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Kitchener

The arrival of snow the latter part of the week helped out the hunting considerably, no less than eight deer being taken between Friday and Sunday noon, E. Botterill of Erickson taking four of them.

Kitchener Lumber Co. Ltd., have closed down operations for a couple of months, Mr. Wright leaving for the coast a few days since.

F. V. Staples' portable sawmill is running in good shape again and will run steadily until the contract is complete. Frank was at his home at Erickson for the week-end.

B. Johnson has just completed the installation of a Delco electric light plant and now has the hotel throughout lighted by electricity. It makes a much-appreciated change to the large number of guests, the hotel being filled to capacity every night.

G. A. Hunt was a business visitor at Cranbrook last week, and also made the trip to Creston for the funeral of the late G. M. Benney, on Saturday.

Mr. Paulson, sr., is here from Spokane, and proposes making a business visit of a couple of weeks.

The young people had another successful and enjoyable dance in the new Paulson-Mason warehouse on Saturday night, Mr. McGonegal and McKowan handling last week's affair, for which the Chorlton orchestra of Creston supplied excellent music.

A. Johnson is expecting his equipment along any day now and will at once open a barber shop in the hotel poolroom. With the electric light for the premises he will have the best shop between Cranbrook and Nelson, and will do just as good work as any city shop, too.

T. Geroux, who has been working in Toronto, Ont., for several years past, got back last week on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Geroux.

Charles Crawford, who recently went to the old men's home at Kamloops, writes friends here that he likes his new residence fine, and is feeling as well as ever.

Canyon City

The deer shooting season closed on Tuesday, and so far as we can learn only about three carcasses of venison have been secured here. Axel Bergren and Matt. Clayton are the two lucky hunters.

Canyon City electors had the political issues of the day expounded generously last week. On Tuesday night John Keen spoke here in the Liberal interests, while on Thursday night, Major Mallandaine, C. B. Garland, Jas. Compton and F. H. Jackson, all of Creston, held forth in the interests of the Conservative candidate, with J. A. Lidgate speaking briefly on behalf of Mr. Keen. Both sessions were well attended.

Religious meetings are still in vogue nightly at the schoolhouse. Last week Methodist evangelist Roper was here, and this week Elder Yates of Spokane is speaking on behalf of the Latter Day Saints. Both attracted rather good audiences.

Mr. Hurl, who a few weeks ago purchased the Harry White ranch arrived in from Saskatchewan the latter part of the week, to take possession, bringing a car of effects, including cattle and horses.

Mrs. Pochin, sr., has been quite seriously under weather the past week, but is now recovering nicely, all will be glad to hear.

Dances and other social functions at the schoolhouse will be considerably brightened up, due to the arrival of a Kahn piano, which the United Farmers social committee purchased a few days ago in Nelson.

For the United Farmers meeting tonight, Dec. 3rd, arrangements have been made for a concert programme and dance to follow the regular meeting, which will start at 8 prompt. There will be an admission to concert of 50 cents, and another 25 cents to those who stay for the dancing. Supper, of course, included.

A. D. Pochin had charge of the voting here on Tuesday, with F. Knott acting as poll clerk. The weather was ideal, in consequence of which a big vote was polled. The majority of 14 for John Keen was about what workers on both sides expected the result to be.

Erickson

The Fruit Growers Union had J. A. Lidgate here between trains Tuesday, to handle the feed business at the new warehouse, and he was kept fairly busy during his stay. The Union has just unloaded two cars of feed here.

Mr. Clark, a newcomer, who is on the Lewis place, complains of the high cost of venison. Under the regulations it cost him $25 for a license and one rather small sample of a deer was the best luck he had.

E. Botteril and one of the boys are reported to have had all the season's luck at deer taking. He was in the Kitchener country the latter part of the week, and secured his full quota of four. Milt Beam and Ray McKelvey got two in the same locality.

Mrs. Truscott, sr., was not overlooked this year with the usual birthday party, the friends in that section happening in unexpectedly on Thursday night to celebrate the auspicious occasion in the usual style. The fore part of the evening was devoted to whist, at which the winners were Mrs. Dodd and Mr. McAlpine. Supper followed cards and then a short programme of dances, the guests leaving about 1 a.m., with heartiest wishes of many happy returns of the day.

Ira Beam rather thinks that when it comes to raising hogs the Erickson section deserves honorable mention at least. Last week he butchered a couple of 7½ months' old Chester Whites, one of which dressed 263 pounds, and the other 257.

The favorable weather on Wednesday brought out a big vote here with a majority of 2f or John Keen. This was rather a bigger plurality than the Conservatives were looking for.

Lister Beats Keen Govt. Looks Safe

Vancouver, Dec. 2.

Hayes, "Review,"
Creston.

24 Liberals, 15 Conservatives, 4 Independents, 2 Socialists, 1 Labor, 1 doubtful. Liberals expect total of 27 when absentee vote counted. Daily World (Cons.) says this resvlt is likely. Sutherland.

Up to the time of going to press this (Thursday) noon yesterday's election returns are incomplete, but figures to hand seem to warrant the prediction that Col. Lister has been returned member for the Kaslo constituency by a majority that will possibly reach 50 when all the absentee votes have been accounted for. At noon The Review telephoned Kaslo and the reports then to hand gave Lister a lead of about 40 with four small polls to hear from, which the Liberals conceded would hardly be sufficient to wipe out the Lister majority. As to the absentee vote there are possibly twenty Lister men absent from the camp who will vote in other parts of the province, and the majority of these ballots are sure to be for the colonel.

Up till midnight on Wednesday in the whole province the Oliver Government had 22 seats, the Conservative 9, and Farmers, Labor and Independant candidate possibly a total of nine. This would account for 40 of the 47 seats in the house, and with an even break on the seven yet to be heard from the Oliver forces would have a small but practically working majority over the combined opposition forces.

The defeat of John Keen in the Kaslo constituency comes as a surprise to many. The more conservative Liberals conceded Col. Lister as many as 100 majority at the eight Creston Valley polls, and another 50 majority at the Kootenay Lake points, which is about a dozen under the actual polling figures. But there was every assurance given here that Keen's major ity in Kaslo and Ainsworth would offset this adverse majority of 150, and that with all the other favorable polls in the country north of Kaslo, Mr. Keen's election by about 100 majority could reasonbly be looked for. We have not the figures from Ainsworth yet, but the Keen vote in Kaslo was disappointing, his majority being only 66— two more than he got in 1916.

The vote at the eight Valley polling places follows:

	Keen.	Lister.
Creston	118	173
Erickson	27	25
Canyon	32	18
Sirdar	11	17
Wynndel	19	35
Lister	14	82
Reclamation Farm	14	17
Kitchener	30	14
	265	371

Majority for Lister.....106

At the lake points Lister ran equally strong. Boswell giving him 13, Crawford Bay 12, Queen's Bay 11, Gray's Creek 11.

The big surprises in the Valley polls were Creston and Canyon City. In town 30 was the highest the Liberals would concede the Conservatives, but when the vote was counted the town poll was Tory by 55. At Canyon City the Conservatives looked for a dozen majority but the poll was Keen's by a lead of 15 Camp Lister, which was expected to start the colonel off with a majority of 50 accommodated him with 68. At the Reclamation Farm Keen was stronger than expected, but at Kitchener his vote was not quite up to expectations.

The voters list for the Valley shows a total of almost 820 names, and of these 636 polled their votes. Out of 368 votes due at Creston only 291 actually voted. For the whole riding it would look as if 60 per cent, of the voters exercised their franchise.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. Benney and family take this opportunity of expressing their fullest appreciation of the many kindnesses shown them in their late bereavement.

The Social Club had their regular dance at the schoolhouse on Saturday night, with a good turnout of townspeople, but no outside visitors.

Wynndel

There was quite a good turnout at the Conservative meeting last Wednesday night, at which the speakers were C. B. Garland, F. H. Jackson and Jas. Compton, all of Creston. A few Liberals were in attendance and W. V. Jackson, also of Creston, was afforded opportunity toward the close of the meeting to reply to the remarks of the Conservative speakers.

O. J. Wigen got back on Friday from a business trip to Lethbridge, Alta., and reports business conditions on the prairie none too good.

A general meeting of the United Farmers was held on Saturday at which various propositions were discussed, and the lady members were given authority to form themselves into an auxiliary body. They will take over the social affairs of the organization.

Mr. Roper, the Methodist evangelist, held a service here on Sunday evening, which was well attended and is, we understand, continuing his services every evening up to and including Friday.

John Bathie and H. Bathie, sr. and jr., have been away on another hunting trip. Result, one deer; this time H. Bathie, sr., bringing home the venison.

Col. Lister, Conservative candidate, paid us a short visit Tuesday noon, and gave an informal address at the depot.

Saturday's dance was, in the main, quite a success, despite the fact that heating arrangements were nil. There was a good crowd, which was augmented by a bunch from Sirdar, and everyone, apparently, enjoyed themselves.

There will be a meeting on Friday at the schoolhouse at 3.30 p.m., of the ladies of Wynndel, for the purpose of forming themselves into an auxiliary of the United Farmers, and to elect officers and appoint committees.

Sirdar

Sirdar had its first and only political meeting of the campaign on Monday night when Col. Lister, Conservative candidate, and some Creston supporters, addressed the electors in the schoolhouse. There was a good turnout, and the best of order prevailed.

R. Dennes had a trip to Kitchener on Monday to look after some cars that had been set out there in bad order. He reports the kill of deer at that point was quite heavy the latter few days of the season, snow having arrived there on Friday.

There was quite a good turnout at the Church of England service on Sunday evening, and the musical part of the session was brightened up much by the use of the social club piano.

Local hunters have not had any luck at the deer this season at all, but Hans Hage startled the fishing enthusiasts last week when he landed a thirteen-pound char.

Mayor Daly has been confined to his room for a couple of weeks past due to heart trouble, but is sufficiently recovered to be able to be out to vote on Wednesday. Joe's illness in part accounts for the worse-than-expected showing the Liberals made at the polls that day.

Freight traffic is rather on the quiet side both east and west. Now the shipping of lumber has stopped almost entirely the freight crews out of Cranbrook have considerable time on their hands.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cook of Creston were visitors here last week, with Mr. and Mrs. Loasby, returning on Wednesday to the metropolis.

Road superintendent Moore was here a few days ago on an inspection of operations on the new Sirdar-Kuskonook road. The open weather that we have been favored with so far has helped out the road crews and they will likely have their work complete by the middle of the month.

Another Price Suggestion

COOKIES and SMALL CAKES

WHEN the children romp in hungry as young bears, here are some wholesome, economical delights that will not only be received with glee, but will satisfy the most ravenous appetite in a most wholesome manner.

Cookies

¾ cup shortening
2 cups sugar
¼ cup milk
2 eggs
¼ teaspoon grated nutmeg
1 teaspoon vanilla extract or grated rind of 1 lemon
4 cups flour
3 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder

Cream shortening and sugar together; add milk to beaten eggs and beat again; add slowly to creamed shortening and sugar; add nutmeg and flavoring; add 2 cups flour sifted with baking powder; add enough additional flour to make stiff dough. Roll out very thin on floured board; cut with cookie cutter, sprinkle with sugar, or put a raisin or a piece of English walnut in the center of each. Bake about 12 minutes in hot oven.

Cocoa Drop Cakes

4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
1 egg
½ cup milk
1¾ cups flour
3 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
½ cup cocoa
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla extract

Cream shortening; add sugar and well beaten egg; beat well and add milk slowly; sift flour, baking powder, salt and cocoa into mixture; stir until smooth, add vanilla. Put one tablespoon of batter into each greased muffin tin and bake in moderate oven about 20 minutes. Cover with boiled icing.

Orange Cakes

4 tablespoons shortening
1 cup sugar
⅔ cup milk
1 egg
2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon orange extract
grated rind of 1 orange

Cream shortening; add sugar slowly, beating well; add milk a little at a time; then add well-beaten egg; sift flour, baking powder and salt together and add to mixture; add flavoring and grated orange rind; mix well. Bake in greased shallow tin, or individual cake tins, in hot oven 15 to 20 minutes. When cool cover with orange icing.

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The Cabinet and Parliament

In order to arrive at a clear understanding of forms and functions of government in Canada it is first of all necessary to have a correct appreciation of the relation which the Cabinet of Ministers has to Parliament. It is a common error for people to call upon the Cabinet, or Government, as it is popularly termed, to do certain things and take certain action which it has no power to do and which power rests exclusively with Parliament tself.

It will perhaps lead to a clearer conception of the functions of the Cabinet, or Government, if it is likened to a board of directors of a Company wth Parliament as representing the whole body of shareholders. All the rights, privileges and powers of a Joint Stock Company are conferred upon the shareholders. These shareholders select from among their own number a board of directors to whom is entrusted the management and administration of the Company's business. The directors make rules and regulations for the management of the business, choose the employees, and constitute the active directing head of the business. They make recommendations and reports to the shareholders, and so long as they enjoy the confidence and support of a majority of the shareholders they govern and direct the Company's affairs. But once the directors lose the confidence and support of the shareholders, they are replaced by others possessing that confidence and support.

It will be seen, therefore, that the directors can only exercise such powers as have been conferred upon them by the shareholders. In other words, the directors are but a committee of the shareholders. So, too, is the Cabinet merely an executive and administrative committee of Parliament, and it is restricted to the exercise of such powers as Parliament has delegated to and conferred upon it. Parliament alone can pass laws; the Cabinet cannot do so. Hence Governments are frequently asked by individuals and delegations to do things which they cannot do because the Acts passed by Parliament do not authorize such action.

The Cabinet has the power to make regulations for the proper carrying out and administration of Acts passed by Parliament and to issue Orders-in-Council under those Acts, but it cannot vary the provisions of the Acts nor go beyond the powers conferred by the Acts. The Government, too, is restricted in the expenditure of money to the amount voted by Parliament, except in cases of emergency arising when Parliament is not in session. In such cases a special warrant of the Governor-in-Council must be issued to cover such unforeseen expenditure, and immediately upon the reassembling of Parliament in session, such expenditure must be reported to and approved by it. If such approval is refused, the Government must resign. In like manner, should an amount in excess of any appropriation made by Parliament be expended, a supplementary estimate must be obtained from Parliament to cover such over-expenditure.

Acting as the executive and administration committee of Parliament, the Cabinet Ministers constitue the advisers of the Crown, and the Ministers are responsible to Parliament for all such advice tendered. If the advice is bad, the Ministers, not the Crown, must suffer the consequences. Furthermore, the Crown is precluded from accepting advice from any other source. Should such advice be tendered, it is the duty of the Crown to submit it to the Prime Minister as head of the Government, and the Government, not the Crown, is responsible for its final acceptance or rejection.

What is here outlined in regard to the Dominion Government and Parliament applies in like manner to the Provincial Governments and the Legislative Assembly.

The analogy drawn above between the board of directors of a Company and the shareholders on the one hand, and the Cabinet and Parliament on the other, is not absolutely correct, because whereas in Company Management the shareholders possess all the power, Parliament is but representative of the people who, in the last analysis, are the shareholders of Canada, and the people are, therefore, the final court of appeal in all matters of government. However, the people delegate their powers to their representatives in Parliament and, therefore, to all intents and purposes, the analogy holds good.

In the next article in this series consideration will be given to the division of authority between the Dominion and the Provinces, a division which is frequently the cause of misunderstanding leading to demands on Provincial Governments and Legislatures for action in regard to matters over which they have no control but which come within the sole jurisdiction of the Federal authority.

Health In Humor.

Possibly there are doctors with a depressing manner, but we fancy they are exceptional cases, and most people who have ever lain on a sick bed will gratefully recognize what they owe to the brightness and hope their medical attendant has brought with him. The pity is that other physicians and other patients do not learn from the doctor the health-giving qualities of cheerfulness. It is a remedy the world needs more than ever just now for its manifold ills.—Yorkshire Post.

Titian, probably the greatest of portrait painters, lived to be 99 years old, and painted his last picture at that age.

Alberta Cattle Winter in Okanagan.

An interesting experiment will be conducted at the Experimental Farm in the Okanagan with 50 head of young cattle, which have been brought from Calgary ranches for winter feeding and will be fitted for market by spring. In the feeding of these cattle a test will be made of the comparative value of sunflower and corn silage; half will be fed with sunflowers and the other half with corn. The relative building values of these foods will therefore be determined.

The motion picture films exported from the United States each year would, if placed end to end, reach a distance of 4,000 miles.

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Farmers and Motors

One-Third of the Automobiles in U.S. Owned by Farmers.

Seven and a half million motor cars are reconstructing America, and one-third of the owners are farmers. The largest percentage of increase in automobile registration has been in the cotton-growing sections of the south. These points are revealed in "Facts and Figures," an annual published by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce.

Following the Civil War was the day of the railroad, when vast territories were opened up with a resulting increase in prosperity. Following the World War has come a marked increase in motor trucks and passenger automobiles. 316,364 motor trucks were built during 1919, an increase of 39 per cent. over 1918.

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Canada Is Land Of Promise.

The British Overseas Settlement Committee, according to advices from London, has received nearly 50,000 applications from ex-service men and women for emigration to all parts of the Empire. About one-fifth of the applications are women who intend to take up domestic or land work. Canada is the favorite dominion. Between 6,000 and 7,000 applicants express a preference for this country, while Australia, New Zealand and South Africa are next in order of popularity. With dependents the total involved is well over 100,000 persons. The lists for ex-service men close December 31, and applications are now pouring in at the rate of 1,000 a week.

Nation-wide Fame. — There is scarcely a corner of this great Dominion where the merits of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil have not been tried and proved. It is one of the world's most efficient remedies for sore throat, lame back and many other ailments arising from inflammation. Rubbed on the skin its healing power is readily absorbed, and it can also be taken internally.

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Big Coal Seam Discovered.

A despatch from New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, states that a seam of coal five feet thick is reported to have been discovered in the vicinity of West River, where discoveries of gold are alleged recently to have been made.

Minard's Liniment For Diphtheria.

For Protection of Lake Shipping

Great Lakes Are Now to Have Wireless Compass Depots.

Wireless compass stations, similar to those which have been in successful operation on the North Atlantic coast for more than a year, are to be installed along the Great Lakes. These stations, operated by the U.S. Navy Department, enable the operators to give ships lost in a fog their positions within a narrow radius of accuracy.

Fogs on the upper lakes have claimed one freighter and 30 lives as victims this year, and the record of previous years shows a heavy toll of shipping. Success of the system on the Atlantic coast led to its recent installation on the Pacific and now, it is announced, the inland waters will be similarly protected.

Minard's Liniment For Distemper.

Eggs and Civilization

The Egg Contains the Vital Principle Of Growth of the Body.

The world has grown better since the discovery of the egg and the growth of civilization has kept pace with the growth of the egg-eating habit—two contemporaneous facts, though their exact correlation may not be capable of demonstration. But from the facts of the case we may be warranted in concluding that a still greater consumption of hens' eggs would not hinder the coming of a more civilized world. Why should not the facts be correlated when the egg contains the vital principle of growth of the body and also a substance that nourishes the brain—an article of food that is responsible for both body growth and mental quickening? Why should we not eat more eggs and look for a higher civilization?—James Dryden.

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The Germans are experimenting with the use of porcelain for some of their small coins. The Americans will be eager to resume business activities with a country where they could swap their old campaign buttons for delicatessen stuff.—From the Los Angeles Times.

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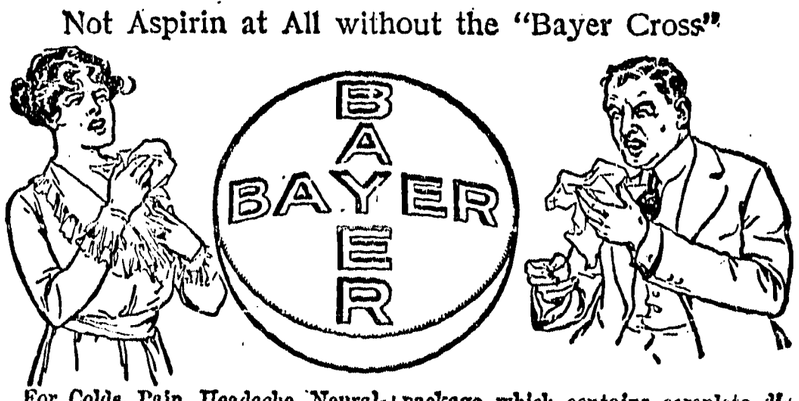

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From the Diary of A Hudson's Bay Clerk in the Seventies

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

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(Continued From Last Issue)

Next morning, and I hoped the last morning, as our breakfast was tea and crumbs from an empty provision sack, I was taking my spell ahead with lines on the head of my small snowshoes to help lift the weight of snow. I suddenly looked round and found that the party had stopped. On turning and marching back to investigate, I found one of the drivers (Musqui-a-tik) a hard young case, with his sleigh pulled to one side and he busy unlashing it. I thought for a minute, then realized it had come to a show-down, for he was going to leave his load of invaluable ammunition on the ice and no doubt the others would follow suit. This was mutiny—rank mutiny.

All the men were watching me, as I was busy tramping down a cock-pit about twelve feet square. On finishing this I took off my L'assomption belt and capot. Then, in a loud voice, I challenged Mus-qui-a-tik in these words: "We would fight. If he was the best man the load could stay on the ice, and, if I was, the load would go on intact." A deep silence followed. Mus-qui-a-tik looked me up and down, and finally turning to his sleigh he commenced re-lashing it. A cheer broke from the rest of the men and the outfit went on, leader succeeding leader, and late that evening we reached The Pas.

Seeing every load unpacked and carried in the store houses, with rations and dog feed given out, I finally went to the office. Dear old Alick M. was like a hen with her chicks. "Such a trip you have had. How did you stand it," and so on. While he talked I was loosing my moccasins and duffles (northern travellers know we wrap our feet in squares and do not use made socks). Every toe was cut and bleeding, matter had formed on the balls of both my feet, and on jerking off my wrappings a glance was enough for the Chief. He became violently sick at his stomach, and truly it was a nasty sight. I had hid them from the men for the last two days.

No doubt some of my readers have experienced the same pangs, but of all kinds of pain that is hard to endue, it is when the snowshoe lines have cut your feet and the next morning as the scabs are slowly rubbed off, you must still stand it and tramp on with an unconcerned air, nevertheless biting yor lips till the blood comes. Over the top all right, with apologies to the boys from the front.

Before I wind up this article I must tell you another dog story and a good title for it would be "The Cannibal Dog." After the seven dog trains had been made up, there were, as usual, several misfits whom no one wanted, and these gained a precarious living by stealing the other dog's fish at feeding time. Notorious amongst these was a grey husky from Lac du Brochet, who showed the wolf strain plainly, and was bad to handle. He had to bite something, either you or his train-mates, so I christened him Wen-di-go, or "evil spirit." We all tried him, but he got worse, so was for the present chained up in the woodshed. One morning our French cook, Louis la Liberte, came in while we were at breakfast, with a very pale face, and addressing the Chief, said, "Please, sir, Master, Wendigo has turned cannibal." "What do you mean, Louis?" "Come and see, sir," and on both of us going out to the shed, here was Wendigo growling furiously, turning round and round, while biting mouthfuls of living flesh out of his haunches and swallowing them, blood, hair and all. The sight was too much for the Chief, and turned him sick. "Kill the brute at once, and take him away," was the order. So, getting a small revolver, I was very proud of, I fired six rounds into his head and told Louis to drag his body down on the ice.

That evening at dog feeding time, who should come staggering up the bank with his head as big as a pail, but unconquerable Wendigo. A council was held, execution was the sentence, and an axe and block obtained. Then the head was severed from his body and placed on the ice a distance apart. So ended Wendigo, and this article.

Alberta's Lieut. Governor

HIS HONOR R. G. BRETT, M.D., L.L.D.

Awaiting Final Returns

Ottawa Will Not Take Action On Referendum Until Returns Are Complete.

Ottawa.—Complete returns of the voting on the bone-dry referendum on Oct. 25 in the three prairie provinces are still lacking at Ottawa. In view of the fact that the time within which the returning officers must send in their figures has practically expired, it is expected that they will all be received shortly and formally gazetted.

There is no possibility of the necessary proclamations making the results of the voting effective being issued within 60 days. It is probable that the Government authorities, in order to remove any possibility of legal complications, will wait the full two months before taking action.

McGill Secures $6,321,511.

Montreal.—The McGill University centennial endowment fund reached a grand total of $6,321,511, thus exceeding its objective by over a million and a quarter dollars, it was announced in the final statement of the amount of the subscriptions at the banquet which closed the campaign.

To Rescue World from Danger

Lord Bryce Says People of Britain and United States Have Special Mission.

Boston, Mass.—Lord Bryce, former British ambassador to the United States, pictured the world at "the abyss of calamity into which the war has plunged it," in a letter to the Colonial Society of this city. The peoples of Britain and the United States, he said, are specially called to try and rescue the world from the danger. He added that the influence of the United States is prized because "she is impartial, raised above the jealousies and ambitions that vex this distracted Europe."

To Set Date for Parliament Opening.

Ottawa.—One of the matters which is likely to come before the Cabinet Council soon, it is expected, will be the setting of a date for the opening of Parliament. Ministers still speak hopefully of January 20 as the opening date, but there may be a delay of a week or so beyond that.

Proposed Farmers' Pool for the Marketing of Wheat

Wheat Growers of Prairie Provinces and Ontario To Be In Plan.

Calgary.—A proposed farmers' pool for the co-operative marketing of the wheat crop of Canada, was outlined to the U.F.A. secretaries' convention by J. H. Murray, assistant general manager of the United Grain Growers. Mr. Murray announced that a scheme embodying these proposals has been drawn up by a special committee of the Canadian Council of Agriculture, but that until the sanction of all members of the committee had been obtained, the actual contract would not be made public. Mr. Murray did not name the members of the special committee, but it is understood that they are H. W. Wood, president of the U.F.A.; F. W. Riddell, manager of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company; and Mr. Murray.

Provisional board to handle 1921 crop to consist of one representative each of the following organizations: U.F. of Alberta, Saskatchewan Grain Growers, United Farmers of Manitoba, and United Farmers of Ontario. There will be two representatives of the United Grain Growers and two of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company, making a total of eight, who will elect a ninth member as chairman.

Contract holders must sign for a term of five years, binding themselves to sell wheat only through the pool. Fifty per cent. of wheat acreage, or about 8,500,000 acres, to be brought under the scheme. Expenses of operation to be paid from the pool. Wheat grower who signs contract and afterwards sells grain elsewhere than to the pool to pay 25 cents per bushel as liquidated damages to the pool.

In event it is discovered that contract holder is breaking contract by selling elsewhere, the pool is to be entitled to an injunction to restrain him from such action.

Phone System for Far North

Will Link Up the Peace River and Grande Prairie Districts.

Edmonton, Alta.—As a result of the big program of construction planned and carried out by the Provincial Government, the close of the present year will see another 6,500 miles of pole line added to the telephone system of Alberta with about 16,000 miles of new wire lines available for toll and rural service.

Norman L. Harvey, deputy minister of railways and telephones stated that the contractors will practically complete every foot of the $4,000,000 building program of the present year before the middle of January. This extension of the telephone system carries new lines into almost every section of the province, including the Peace River and Grande Prairie districts.

Paper Mills Destroyed.

Winnipeg.—The premises of the Red River Paper Mills, Ltd., were gutted by fire, which is believed to have started from spontaneous combustion. The loss will probably be about $10,000.

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New York.—John D. Rockefeller has given away nearly half a billion dollars, his son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., declared here in what he believed to be the first authentic detailed statement that has ever been made concerning his father's philanthropic gifts. The approximate total of the gifts is $475,000,000, nearly half of which has been distributed in the last five years.

Bismarck, N.D.—Four more North Dakota banks closed their doors due to depleted resources, bringing the total of such closures reported here for the past ten days to thirteen.

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More Sinn Fein Plots

Accused of Planning to Destroy Property in Liverpool and Manchester.

London.—A conspicuous incident in the Irish debate in the House of Commons was the revelation by Sir Hamar Greenwood, chief secretary for Ireland, of Sinn Fein plans to destroy property in Liverpool and Manchester—a revelation which was greeted by Joseph Devlin with the exclamation: "All that was written in Dublin Castle."

Former-Premier Asquith moved a resolution expressing abhorrence of the recent Dublin assassinations and condemnation of reprisals and urging immediate steps to bring about Irish pacification. An amendment by Col. John Ward converted this motion into an expression of admiration for the courage and devotion of the crown forces in Ireland. This was adopted by 303 to 83, and the motion as thus amended was adopted by acclamation and ministerial cheers.

Complete Line To Fort McMurray.

Edmonton.—Premier Stewart has returned from a ten-day trip over the A.G. and W. Railway to Fort McMurray. He says that about $100,000 has been spent by the Government in improvements to the waterways system this fall. During the winter, 300,000 ties will be got out for repair work and by next fall it is hoped to have a regular service in operation to Fort McMurray.

Turks Enter Armenian Capital.

Constantinople.—It is reported from a Turkish source that Erivan, capital of Armenia, has been entered by the Turkish Nationalist forces of Mustapha Kemal Pasha.

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Absolutely Best

Huving two or three weeks ago successfully accomplished the feat of convincing a native son of Neva Scotia (one L. P. Sullivan, editer of the Cranbrook Courier), that Creston Valley Gravenstein apples as produced on the Ashley Cooper & Sons ranch at Wynndel surpassed the best of the same variety ever produced in the far-famed Annapolis Valley, all that seemed requisite and necessary to be done to give the Creston Valley absolute and indefeasible title to rank as the peer of them all in producing qualtiy Oravensteins would be to score a similar triumph at Kaslo, which section has always been noted for its exceptionally fine cherries as well as Gravensteins.

The Cooper ranch was again called upon to turn the trick, and just how successful the attack has been can be best judged from the words of Editer Grier of the Kootenaian, to whom the apples were sent. Says the Kootenaian:

> "A box of Gravenstein apples was received this week from C, F: Hayes, secretary of the Creston board of trade. The apples were grown on the ranch of Ashley Cooper & Sons. If the same quality of fuit was grown in the Garden of Eden, Eve was quite justified in sending Adam for the ladder. They are the largest and best-colored Gravensteins we have seen anywnere."

In addition to Editer Grier the apples were subject to the closest inspection of all Koslo's real and so called horticultural authorities, including Mayor Robb, Aldermer. Garland and Spiers, Sam Green, Postmaster Kane, as well as barber Noble, the local authority on lemons; all of whom were unanimus that the Creston product was better tnan the best they had ever seen or heard of in Kaslo. For political reasons ex-Mayor Anderson and John Keen were excused from passing any opinion, but both have since been seen here and heartily concur in the ?udgment rendered by their fellow-townsmen.

Women's Institute

Notices are out for the December meeting of Creston Valley Women's Institute, and the Review has been asked to lend a hand in the effort that is being made to have a full turnout of all the members on this occasion, which will also be the annual meeting for the election of officers and presentation of the yearly statement of the Institute's activities.

The Institute has now been in existence at least five years and in that time has rendered the com munity much useful service directly, as well as by co-operative effort with other organizations. Among other things the Institute can claim full credit for reviving the Valley's fall fair, which has since grown into a regulation agricultural association with grounds and buildings of its own.

This year the ladies' put Creston on the map as a convention centre by handling the annual conference of the Kootenay-Boundary Institutes in a fashion that has never been excelled in B. C. Institute history in the territory mentioned. The Institute can justly claim to be at least primarily responsible for the establishing of a district health nurse in the Valley, and unless the unexpected happens they will also be entitled to the same credit in connection with a much wanted library.

These are some of the larger matters they have successfully coped with, and their record of performance in disseminating know ledge on various subjects appertaining to the home, as well as lending a helping hand in charitable causes as well as to those in distressed circumstances is equally to be commended.

Now that the women have had the experience of exercising their franchise at the polls and their equa-ity with menestablished in this important regard a still wider sphere of usefulness opens up for Institute activity, particularly in a growing but unorganized district such as the Valley is.

With five locals of the United Farmers and a live board of trade handling the men's end of community effort, all that is needed to assure the long and the strong pull and the pull altogether is an active women's organization such as the local institute has lately shown signs of fully developing into.

For much good work already accomplished and a still greater field for service opening up Creston Valley cannot afford to be without the Women's Institute, and we have every confidence that the women will see to it that the good work it is capable of doing will be carried on fully as efficiently in the future as in the past five years.

Time to Get Busy

Now that the provincial election has been so harmoniously disposed ot, and we have got into the season of the year when the man on the land, particularly, has about four months ahead of him that offers a prospeet of a little spare time to consider and get on with at least the preliminary features of projects that may vitally affect his material well being. The Review hopes to see concerted action taken to get on with at least two matters that have received some attention in the past few months.

We refer specially to irrigation ahd municipilization, aud possibly the matter of a consolidated school. For at least parts of the last two years the lands department has been investigating Arrow Creek and Goat River as sources of supply for an irrigation scheme that wonld serve the greater part of the Valley, and a report on the cost etc., of the Arrow Creek project will be available this week.

On municipilization United Farmers locals as well as the Board of Trade have committees that have been holding joint sessions for some months past and should by now be in a position to make some statein the promises.

The irrigation question however is one of greatest urgency. Most everyone is convinced of its necesity and pretty much in the humor of being ready to pay better than a fair price for it. And if it is desired to undertake the work by way of government assistance it will be well to be making the best possible showing as to our bona fida interest in the propositfon so that the minister of finance can make provision for having the money necessary for the work in case it is decided to get on with actual construction next year.

As the legislature will be meeting possibly in February and supply will be voted the following month at the latest it will be seen there is no time to be lost if 1921 is to get us anywhere in the matter of irrigation.

While the matter of a central school has not been formally discussed its urgency has been none the less felt—and the situation is like to be considerably worse before it gets any better. Too, now that we have every assurance of a good roads system the rather serious matter of transportation will shortly be overcome.

And, perhaps something might be done on that hardy annual the reclamation of Kootenay Flats. As these are matters that more properly belong to the agricultural ists what is your pleasure, Messrs. United Farmers.

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

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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 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.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Ferry Again

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—We have heard much discussion as to the advisability of the Kootenay ferry being removed to Goat River landing as a more convenient location than it enjoys at present. Speaking as a returned soldier, and one who might have to haul hay from Nick's island to Lister, I have thoroughly looked over the situation and to my mind the most suitable location for the ferry would be at the Davis sheds on the Reclamation Farm, which is in a direct line from Lister to Nick's island, and both banks of the river are high at this point, and it would not materially lengthen the road for anyone, while it would be more centrally located for the majority of users. As it is now the distance the soldier has to go for hay by the present ferry route is almost prohibitive, as one can barely make the round trip in a day. It really requires a day and half the night with the best of luck, whereas if the ferry were placed at the Davis sheds it would shorten the distance for us about three or four miles both coming and going from Canyon as well as Lister, and since we understand a new ferry is to be installed I think it should be placed where most convenient for the majority of ferry users.

SOLDIER FARMER.

Death of G.M. Benney

In the death of Glen M. Benney, on Nov. 25th. Creston Valley loses one of its ontstanding as well as a quite old-time citizen. Deceased, who was in his fifty-second year, was a native of Indiana, but had been a citizen of British Columbia for the past twenty-one years. His early business experience in the province had mostly to do with contracting and railway construction work, up till 1908, when he was made provincial road superintendent for the old Yuir riding, which position he held until 1917, since which time he has devoted his attention to ranching on his place along the K.V. Deceased was married in Nelson in 1902, to Miss Briggs, and the widow, two sons, Edgar and Harry, and one daughter, Marguerite, survive him. The funeral, on Saturday afternoon, was under the direction of Creston Masonic Lodge, of which deceased was senior warden, and was very largely attended. Rev. J. A. James conducted a short service at the house, after which the remains were laid at rest in Creston cemetery, G. A. Hunt, R. J. Long, E. Mallandaine, S. A. Speers, Jas. Compton and John Blinco being the pallbearers. In addition to the large concourse who were out to pay their last respects, the popularity of deceased was fittingly shown in the many floral tributes. Throughout his long residence in Creston the late Mr. Benney enjoyed the respect and friendship of all. Coupled with his demonstrated ability to handle the work—and the workers under him—of road and bridge superintendent, he was a man's man alike to the many who knew and appreciated him. Although a severe sufferer from stomach trouble for many weeks past, and his end a merciful release, his death is none the less distinctly felt, and the kindliest sympathy of the whole community goes out to Mrs. Benney and family in their bereavement.

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Three (3) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester, Cranbrook, B.C.

LAND REGISTRY ACT SECTION 24

In the matter of Part (South 20 Acres) of Block 31 of Lot 892, Group 1, Map 698A, 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.

1920 Forest Fire Losses Lighter

Norman Moore, provincial forester, Cranbrook, who is in charge of the whole East Kootenay territory, who was a Creston visitor a few days ago, states that the loss from forest fires in that area this year will be considerably smaller than in 1919. Official figures show the 1920 fire losses to have been about $41,000, while in 1919 the total was in the neighborhood of $56,000.

For this year the forestry staff have been able to reduce the fires from preventible causes from 62 to 18 per cent, and Mr. Moore advances three reasons for the decided improvement: Building of fifteen camping places where tourists or picnic parties can light fires with perfect safety, and even go away and leave them smouldering. Greater care in the matter of putting out camp fires by the general public, and more efficient work by the forestry employees due to the fact that they now have to pass a competitive examination before getting a position of any sort.

Of the fires this year Mr. Moore's figures show that 82 per cent. of them were due to lightning, and that almost 90 per cent. of the expense incurred was for fighting this class of forest blaze. 1920 fire fighting expense was abnormal due to the fact that many of the fires were at out of the way spots, which made it expensive to get crews in to fight them and take in the necessary supplies for the fire-fighters.

Out of a total of 108 fires 18 of these were in the territory supervised by the local fire-warden, Jas. Long, and the records show that the timber loss at these blazes was the lightest since 1911. This is Jim's second year in charge of the work and so well has he handled the job that it is likely he will be taken on the permanent staff. Since the close of the season in September the department have kept him busy at cruising and mapping out improvements for his territory for 1921. The extent of the area that Forrester Moore has to handle is estemated at 28,000,000 acres.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

At Fernie a drive is to be lounched to raise $1000 to start the newly-organized boy scout troop off in good shape.

The Gazette is highly pleased at the recent sale of some ranch property at Grand Forks at a price of $1000 an acre.

The new ice making plant and storage room the C.P.R. is erecting at Cranbrook will be 140 x 100 feet, and about tnirty feet high.

Penticton trusteet will not start a night school. Only two persons signified their intention of attending an evening seat of learning.

Chief of police Adams of Cranbrook has just had his salary boosted from $150 to $200 a month. The two men under him are now drawing $140 a month.

Cranbrook agricultural association has come to life somewhat and the talk is now of securing new grounds closer to town and reviving the annual fall fair.

At Vernon the Presbyterian congregation is increasing so rapidly that it has been decided to rebuild the church so as to double the present seating capacity.

Fernie curling club has been reorganized for the season, with a list of almost ninety players.

West Kootenay Power Co. plans to make electric power available to the ranchers in Grand Forks Valley who have places alongside the company's pole line.

Kaslo is gradually assuming all the dignity of a government office town. R. McCane, a coast lawyer, has just opened up for business in the metropolis of the Slocan.

The Free Press hears that at least twenty pupils of school age are unable to attend school at Fernie due to the fact that all the classrooms are already filled to overflowing.

Phoenix soldiers memorial will probably be the most unique in all B.C. It is erected at an altitude of almost 5000 feet, on the main highway between Greenwood and Grand Forks.

Some health authorities advise the parent-teachers' association at Fernie that the ventilation of the Fernie high school is exceptionally detrimental to the health of the pupils attending.

It costs $200 to secure a license to retail 2 per cent. beer at Fernie, and regulations are also provided as to just how big a shop and its general layout a vendor must nave before he gets a license.

Rev. A. Rannie of Calgary, Alta., has been invited to supply the Presbyterian pulpit at Cranbrook for six months, and in the spring a move will be made to call a permanent pastor.

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The dogs, which had risen to stand for a tense moment with rigid muscles, resumed their former position in the corner, white fangs bared and neck bristles erect.

Sagawa, the Algonquin, broke the silence with a question.

"Why has White Hawk, your brother, hidden himself from the eyes of his people?" he asked fiercely, turning his blazing eyes on the half-breed.

"How am I to know dat?" flashed Darbo suspiciously.

The Indian turned towards the forest, and stood, his long arms folded across his massive chest, his grave eyes gazing beyond the star-strewn skies above the silent tamaracks. Darbo silently moved a little closer to the dogs. Dalton crouched above the spluttering smudge, his hands clenched, his heavy jaw set, his dark face twisted in an ugly frown. The other white man, who had resumed his seat on the stool, watched and waited, an enigmatical smile on his lips. The Algonquin turned slowly and again fastened his eyes on the half-breed.

"The forest is big and its trails lead always, somewhere," he said dramatically. "The springs of the woodland are many, but, always, there is a lake into which they empty. When hatred burns in the soul, the heart follows the red trail. The forest trails are hidden in a mist; the white streams are frozen; a blood-red trail stretches away to Somewhere. It is so when we hate. Sagawa knows. He has followed such trails. And at the end is vengeance. Three times he has sought for the end of the red trails, three times has he tasted vengeance, so that the old woodland trails, the white ribbons of streams, the star-dotted roof of his hunting-ground might lose the red mist that grew from hatred.

"But," he said, his voice growing deeper, "Sagawa has never killed save in fair fight. Foot to foot and shoulder to shoulder with his enemy, he has fought and killed, and afterwards tried to forget the red trail, tried to remember only the old trails and streams. But . . ."

He ceased speaking and stood with lowered head. "White man may forget altogether," he continued gently. "Half-breed may remember but one half; but Indian—" He straightened up and his eyes flashed. "It is always here," he cried, striking his breast, "and the red mist is always there." He pointed outward to where the stars were drooping lower over the forest.

Once more he looked straight into the eyes of the half-breed.

"And now Sagawa again sees the red trail stretching across the upland, growing redder and deeper; and calling to him to follow it. From the time that he learned that his aged white brother fell, shot from behind [illegible] the trail has called. [illegible] was Sagawa's [illegible] Sagawa from the [illegible] ago. He fed [illegible] Once [illegible] fever, his [illegible] watched beside [illegible] back to health [illegible] He was Sagawa's brother. Sawanga, who has followed [illegible] many days and nights, [illegible] more to follow [illegible] his sweeping [illegible] each man [illegible] gone."

For the space of a minute following the Algonquin's departure, silence [illegible] Dalton [illegible] Darbo. The [illegible] stood alone Darbo.

"Did you kill Old Man Farney?" he asked in ominous tones. "Come, speak up, did you?"

Like a flash the half-breed slipped from his stool and backed between the alert, snarling huskies in the corner.

"Keep away from me!" he cried. "You touch me, and I sick dese dog on you." As he spoke, the larger of the huskies crept a little forward, crouching, belly low, and long tongue licking his spiked jaws.

"Ef I say so, Dalton, dese dog tear you to bits. I know. You keep off, dat's all."

"What's the matter in here?" spoke a gruff voice at the door.

Dalton turned, and a twisted smile flashed across his face as his eyes rested on the four men who had just entered.

"Hello, Gregg," he greeted the speaker, "just in time for the entertainment. Darbo here has been drinking and is inclined to be ugly; wants to sick his dogs on me because I used little badinage with him.—This is Mr. Timberley," he introduced with mock solemnity, bowing low and waving his hand towards the man on the stool. "You know what he wants us to help him do."

Gregg, a short, heavy-set man, about twenty-eight years of age, with round, closely cropped head and long face, let his small eyes rest contemptuously on the tweed-clad figure of the man before him, and grinned.

"You'll do," he said with a leer. Then, turning to Dalton, he asked: "Just what the 'ell's wrong, Abe? Your face is black as a cloud."

"Nothing," Dalton answered; "only Sagawa, the Algonquin, has hit the red trail again. Old Man Farney's killer is going to get his sure."

Gregg took a chew of tobacco, and champed meditatively for a second or so.

"Well, what of it?" he asked.

"What of it?" echoed Dalton, his dark skin flushing. "You ask that! You act as though it were no news to you, Gregg."

"Well, for that matter, it isn't. I knowed it all along. Fact is, I was up there, at Cove Haunt, the day Daddy Farney was buried, an' I overheard the Injun tellin' Dorkin what he intended to do. I was close enough for that, all right, and close enough to hear that limb-of-the-devil, Danny Farney, promise his dead father he'd even things up with you. Seems the kid thinks you had something to do with the killin'," he chuckled. "Did ye?"

Dalton turned on him quickly, an ugly scowl blackening his face.

"Well, you have a lot of nerve," he growled, "to ask me that question; but you've got nerve enough for most anything. Some day one of your awkward questions is going to get you into trouble. I mean that," as Gregg laughed shortly. "Just remember, when you're up here, you're in bad man's land, savvy? So," he clenched his fist and lowered his voice—"don't you get starting anything you can't finish or you'll get planted same as Old Man Farney!"

One of the other men spoke. "Would you mind givin' us our orders right where we are?" he asked. "[illegible] I want to get back to my cabin."

"Right you are, Harvey," put in the sourface discomfited Gregg. "But first, Abe, maybe you'll enlighten us a bit to how this Injun Sagawa's goin' out on the red trail is goin' to affect our plans?"

"How does a drowned rat in a milk pitcher affect the porridge?" snarled Dalton. "Do you think I want to play the very devil with our plans, that's what it's going to do? The Algonquin and Dorkin are on it, it's as a couple of marooned toads on an island, so I've learned, and you can bet your bottom dollar, if he's Injun enough to kill the murderer of one friend, he's Injun enough to do it for another, even if he has to call out his whole damned tribe from the Basin of White Water, to help him. You'll admit he's too strong for us. That's why I've tried to get him with us."

He ceased speaking and glanced from face to face of the men grouped about him. "Old man Farney's death has put Dorkin wise to everything," he went on impressively, "and with him wise to everything, it's not going to be so easy for us to raid his Preserve. Wait—" as Gregg attempted to speak. "When I get through you can have your say. I've gone to a lot of trouble to plan this thing, and it means money to every man of us—and more than money to two of us"—he added, flashing a look at the big man by the table.

"But Dorkin is sure to be on his guard now, and will look after his own. You all know him. Now, then, what are we going to do? That's the question."

Darbo had crept out from between the protecting huskies, and something of his old-time swagger had returned. "One way, and best way, maybe, is to get Dorkin, hemm," he said, sinisterly, his beady eyes glowing with hatred.

"You mean shoot him?" queried Gregg, with a grin.

"Maybe so, or—"

The half-breed picked up the long knife from the floor and made a significant gesture. "I s'pose," he said with a leer, "Abe Dalton would radder use de rifle—lak he did on Daddy Farney."

He laughed, but nobody joined him.

Dalton wheeled on the half-breed: his face had gone suddenly white, and a quiver shook his brawny arms as he proceeded to roll up his sleeves.

"What you goin' to do?" cried Gregg, in alarm.

"I'm going to give this half-breed what I've ached to give him ever since I first set eyes on his snaky face," answered Dalton gently, "and you fellows are going to stand by and see me do it. You hear me; and, by God, you keep out of this; we'll see if I allow an Injun to call me a murderer."

Gregg sank back on a stool, and Dalton lifted down a lithe hickory wipingstick from the rack.

"Gregg," he commanded, "take your rifle and keep an eye on those huskies. If they make a move, shoot them. Darbo, put down that knife—and come over here!"

"I'll see you—" commenced the half-breed.

But one of the men standing behind him struck his hand so that the knife fell to the floor with a clatter, and gave him a push forward.

Dalton caught him by the scruff of the neck and shook him as a fox shakes a squirrel. "Now, my little snake," he grated, "here is where you pay!"

He lifted the half-breed and, holding him out at arm's length, struck him again and again with the supple wand. The wretched creature cried and begged and swore. He screamed a promise to kill his tormentor but again and again the hickory fell until at last his cries grew to a mere whimper. Then he was thrown between the grovelling dogs, where he lay groaning.

"There," panted Dalton, "that's over. Now, to return to the subject under discussion; what are we going to do about raiding Dorkin's Preserve?"

Gregg, a new respect in his tones, answered: "Why, we'll pull it off all hunky, Cap, don't you fear; an' soon too. The Algonquin has gone out on his man-hunt, you say. All right, we'll do it while he's gone."

"What do you think, Mr. Timberley?" asked Dalton.

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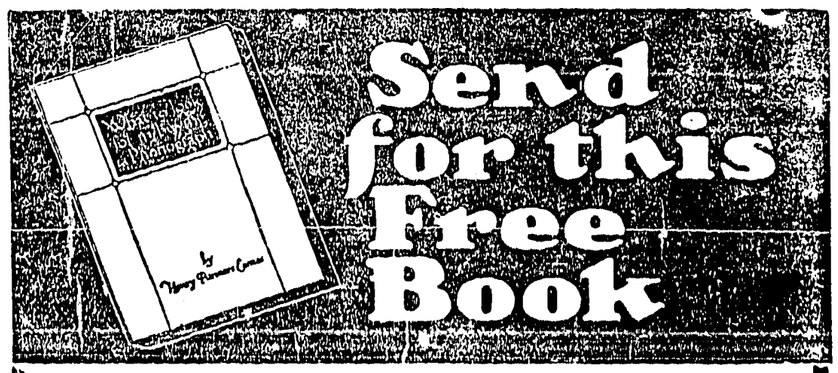

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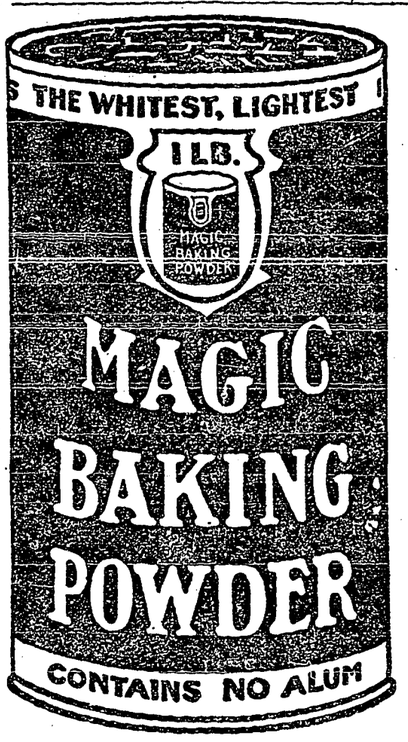

Girls on the Farm.

Farming on the western prairies is great fun in the opinion of harvesting girls returning on the excursions after the completion of their work. City girls of various occupations, which kept them indoors the year round, saddled to a desk or switchboard, found enjoyable occupation in minding small babies, feeding large men, washing dishes and pitching hay, milking cows and wearing overalls, and the whole enterprise was in the nature of novel playmaking. Many of the girls were war-workers, having spent years in munition plants and as land workers in the fields and proved their efficiency on Canadian farms. All were unanimous in their expression of determination to return to the same work next year.

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Manitoba Wheat Yield.

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Saskatchewan Farm Loan Bonds

Provincial Government to Raise $3,500,000 From the Farmers

Unique in the annals of government financing in Saskatchewan is the effort which is being made by the Provincial Government to raise $3,500,000 from the farmers by the sale of debentures to provide funds for the Saskatchewan Farm Loan Board.

The board has up to date loaned out $5,250,000 to farmers for development purposes on first mortgage security at 6 1-2 per cent. interest, but these funds have been secured in the outside market. A campaign, to close December 7, has been instituted to secure additional funds from the more wealthy farmers who became acquainted with the pleasures of coupon clipping as purchasers of Victory Bonds during the war. The farm loan debenture is issued in denominations from $20 to $1,000 and bears interest at 5 per cent., payable every six months, maturing in 30 years. An attractive feature of the bond is a provision for redemption, subject to three months' notice to the provincial treasurer.

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DEATH — On Nov. 25th, Murray, twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan O'Neil aged five days.

FOR SALE—Dairy Jersey-Shorthorn yearling heifer, $40 cash. Chas. Moore, Creston.

MILK COW WANTED—Will buy good milch cow, must be milking all winter. A. Joy, Wynndel.

G. A. Hunt of Kitchener was in town on Saturday for the funeral of the late G. M. Benney.

The Attridge house on Victoria, just vacated by Jas. Wood, is now occupied by Mrs. Pettigrew.

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FOR SALE—One White Leghorn cockerel, took first prize at fall fair. $3, Mrs. M. B. Long, Creston.

November has three births to her credit—all boys. There were no marriages, but two deaths are recorded.

FOR SALE—Cayuse, used to light farming, or will exchange for poultry. Phone or write A. H. Pigott, Wynndel.

Mrs. Hare of Winnipeg arrived on Saturday, for a visit with her son, C. H. Hare, bookkeeper with the Canyon City Lumber Co.

LOST—On Nov. 8th, between Creston and Goat River Crossing, time book. Reward to party returning to Geo. Hendren, Creston.

Communion service, which will include a reception to new members, will be held at tne Methodist Church on Sunday evening at 7.30.

There is no shortage of refrigerator cars at this point this season. On Saturday F. Belanger loaded out a car of posts in one of the freezers.

Auction sale of the furniture, household effects and fixtures of the Creston Hotel, announced for Dec. 7th, is postponed until further notice.

During his stay in town, C. R. Hamilton, who spoke at the Conservative meeting on Tuesday night, was was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Garland.

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In the neighborhood of 2½ inches of rain fell during November, during which month the highest temperature was 50 on the 3rd, and the lowest 16, on the 9th.

Manager Allen of the Imperial Bank was a visitor at Nelson on Friday He reports that the city is taking the election very quietly, but with both sides sure of winning.

Rev. J. A. James announces his subjects in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday next as follows: 11.10 a.m., "Comfort ye my People." 7.30 p.m., "Incomparable Love."

Mr. and Mrs. H. Briggs of Cranbrook were Creston visitors the latter part of the week, for the funeral of the late G. M. Benney. Mr. Briggs is a brother of Mrs. Benney.

Mrs. W. G. Jackson, who has been a visitor here for several months with her sons, Walter V. and F. H. Jackson, left last week for Regina, Sask., where she will spend the winter.

R. Lamont got back on Thursday from Cranbrook, where he had been in attendance at the Shriner ceremonial. A couple of dozen candidates were duly initiated into the mysteries of the order.

Miss Anna Anderson, who has been on the Review staff for almost the past eighteen months, left yesterday for Vancouver, where she will make an extended stay with her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Falaise.

FOR SALE—Six choice White Leghorn hens and one rooster, Tom Faris heavy laying strain, $25; 18 Leghorn pullets and 2 cockerels to match, purebred, $40. Jas. A. Bryan, Creston Cafe, Creston.

The deer shooting season closed on Tuesday. The Kitchener country had a slight snowfall on Saturday and some of the hunters from here operating in that section were able to secure a supply of venison,

The Jazz Revue road show had a full house in Mercantile Hall on Saturday night, the intake at the door being well over the $100 mark, The dance after the show attracted only a fair attendance, however.

Election day, passed off without incident, 291 out of 368 names on the list voting in Creston, the town poll giving Col. Lister a majority of 55. For the eight polls in the Valley Col. Lister's total majority was 106.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid announce their annual bazaar for Saturday, Dec. 11th, in Speers' Hall. There will be the usual booths for the sale of fancy goods, home cooking, candy, as well as a memory table. Afternoon tea will be served.

Miss Phyllis Hamilton, who has been a patient at the Nelson hospital since Nov. 6th, where she underwent an operation for appendicitus, arrived home on Tuesday, and is recovering nicely. Mrs. Hamilton, who has been in Nelson with her, is also home.

The raffle features of Christ Church bazaar on Wednesday were generousously patronized, A crochet yoke donated by Mrs. W. S. Watson brought $10.50 and was won by Mrs. H. Christie, while a pup was good for almost $8, P. R. Truscott being the winner.

R. B. Staples was a business visitor at Calgary a few days the latter part of the week. In southern Alberta business conditions are none too good, the banks are forcing collection of notes due them for advances made the farmers the previous two years when the crops were poor.

Up till Friday last only four scholars of the full school age were reported as wanting to attend school at the first of the year. As the number hardly justifies the hiring of a new teacher and securing a new room, the trustees hope to be able to accommodate the newcomers at the present school.

The Methodist Church was fairly well filled on Tuesday night for the conference on young people's and Sunday School work, at which the Methodist and Presbyterian travelling secretaries, Revs. Galloway and McLean, delivered addressess. Rev. J. A. James, local Presbyterian pastor presided.

Members of the Women's Institute are asked to be on hand prompt at 3 p.m, next Friday for the annual meeting, the features of which will be a talk by Miss McCluhan, district health nurse; payment of fees, election of officers, and discussion of plans for 1921 Institute activities. Mrs. H. Lyne is retiring president, having served a two-year term.

More fall ploughing has been done in the valley this year than for several years back. The short crop enabled ranchers to finish harvest operations earlier than usual, while the open showery weather we had all last month expedited operations wonderfully. About two inches of rain fell last month, and a quite abundant supply of moisture is now provided,

The election campaign at this end of the Valley closed on Tuesday night with a rally in Mercantile Hall in the interests of Col. Lister, which was fairly well attended. Col. Lister made his first platform appearance here on this occasion, and he was ably supported by C. R. Hamilton, the well-known Nelson Lawyer, who spoke here three years ago for R. F. Green, during the Unionist campaign.

Christ Church Ladies' Guild had their annual bazzar in the Parish Hall on Wednesday afternoon, and as the occasion was also election day there was a good crowd of buyers for the quite extensive line of needlework, home cooking, candy etc. The whist and dance at night was not as well attended as usual, the men preferring to stay down town to hear the election returns. After paying all expenses the ladies expect to clear $225.

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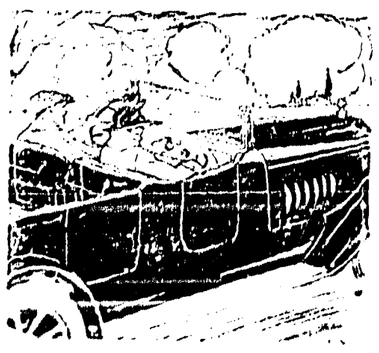

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