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Grand Theatre Books New Films

Commencing with this week's show Manager Rodgers will have an entirely new line of flims and movie stars to offer at his mid week shows in future. Last week saw the showing of the Fox productions, and on Tuesday night was inaugurated the Pathe film service—the feature "Sherry," making a decided hit.

For Wednesday, Feb. 16th, Grand patrons will have their first opportunity to see "Jiggs and Maggie," the two well-known newspaper comic characters, in action on the screen, when "Jiggs and Social Lions" will be the two-reel comedy feature, and along with which will be seen Frank Keenan in "Brothers Divided." There will also be the always welcome "Topics of the Day."

The following Wednesday Blanche Sweet will be presented in "Simple Souls," with the Snub Pollard comedy, "All in a Day," These are but samples of the strong bills that have been secured for the middle week-night patrons of the Grand. Manager Rodgers is particularly pleased with the Pathe booking as it gives him Harold Lloyd, the highest paid screen comedian, in a two-reeler every second week, and such stars as William Desmond, who was seen here lately in "A Broadway Cowboy," H. B. Warner, Johnny Ray, the "Jiggs," comedy star; Blackton Productions, Blanche Sweet, Frank Kernan, Harold Lloyd, and a host of others.

In addition to the superior productions Pathe service will afford it is felt the change will be additionally welcome in that theatre goers will have an entire change both of stars and their supporting companies. For all standard Pathe bills there will be no change in present popular prices.

Wynndel

Miss Marie Hagen returned to Cranbrook on Sunday, after spending a short vacation with her parents here. She expects to return home for good in about a week.

The card party and social evening, under the auspices of the United Farmers, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cooper on Saturday night, was very successful. The winners at whist were Miss C. Rosindale, with a score of 25; and Jack Penson, with a score of 26. M. Wigen was low scorer, and received a very charming rubber doll. Mrs. H. A. Bathie, sr., Miss D. Butterfield and Messrs. E. S. Butterfield and A. W. Mason obliged with songs, which were enthusiastically received. Miss D. Butterfield and Miss F. Bathie gave piano selections, accompanied by M. Wigen on the violin. A very dainty supper was served about 11.30, after which cards and music were indulged in until 1 a.m., when the party broke up, everyone declaring it to be the most enjoyable evening they had spent for years.

Apple packing school opened here on Monday, with an attendance of about a dozen, and good progress is reported.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Anderson moved their household effects from here to Creston on Saturday last. Mr. Anderson, we hear, is taking over the management of the Creston Hotel.

The United Farmers' semi-monthly meeting was held on Wednesday night, when a large turnout of members was in evidence to hear the report of the delegates of the get-together meeting in Creston last week, and also to hear the lecture on pruning by provincial horticulturist Twigg Coffee and refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. President Cooper says his idea of a boffee pot on the stove at all meetings appears to be working fine.

Don't forget Wynndel Athletic Club concert on Friday night, Feb. 11, at 7.45 o'clock, at the Clubhouse. The prices of admission have been revised downward as follows; Concert, adults 50c., children 25c, Children under 10 years free. Followed by dance, music by concert party orchestra, admission 75c. per couple. Ladies are asked to bring lunch. Come early to the concert so as to be sure of getting a seat.

A large turnout of friends were present at the kitchen shower in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hibdley, at the Andestad home on Tuesday night. The nappy pair were the recipients of many and varied useful kitchen articles. The evening was spent in dancing, music and games, and a very dainty supper was served about midnight. After which more dancing and games were indulged in The party broke up in the wee sma oors,

The Co-Operative Fruit Growers started work on Tuesday putting up their summer's supply of ice, and intend harvesting over 100 tons of it.

Pat Dow of Creston paid a flying visit here on Sunday afternoon, looking up old friends.

Washum & Stokes are here now and are putting a crew at work filling a large contracts for ties. They have a considerable area timber on the side of Duck mountain.

J. J. Grady, who has been staying at Creston of late, made a flying visit to his home on Monday, returning the following day.

The school board is busy erecting a house on the school block for the accommedation of the teachers, there being now so many pupils that the living rooms at the rear of the school are now needed for classroom purposes.

M. Wigen started his logging operations at Cottonwood camp on the slough on Monday, with a crew of four men and a team.

The C.P.R. section crew started brushing-out operetions on the right of way at the depot here on Monday.

David McColman, Alec., arrived on Sunday afternoon, and is staying on his ranch here for awhile.

Needlework Prizes 1921 Fall Fair

For the convenience of the ladies who employ some of their spare time at this season of the year making up fancy work for display at the fall fair, the prize list committee have revised the list on which awards will ba made at the 1921 exhibition. The list is similar to 1920 with the exception of a few minor changes, and the addition of about nine new sections, and is as follows:

Tatting.
Woman's work dress, plain
Buttonholes, six, made on double white cotton.
Pair hand knit socks.
Pair hand knit men's double mitts.
Pair hand knit gloves.
Darning on worn sock.
Towel with filet crochet.
Corset cover yoke, any kind of crochet, not made up.
Crochet trimmed nightdress.
Collection crochet work, five pieces.
Pieced and quilted quilt, any material.
Hooked mat, 2 x 3 feet.
Braided mat, 2 x 3 feet.
Pair pillow cases with crochet.
Pair pillow cases with knitting.
Sofa cushion, made up.
Collection of fancy work, five different kinds.
Work apron of colored material.
Underskirt, machine made.
Fancy tea apron.
Collection of home mending
Crochet sleeveless sweater in wool.
Knitted ladies' sweater with sleeves, in wool.
Best collection of Irish crochet
Eylet embroidery tea cosy.
Shadow embroidery tea cosy.
Drawn thread work centrepiece.
Hairpin lace.
Braiding on any article.
Collection of tatting.
Crochet bedspread.
Crochet, piece any other kind.

These are the articles on which the association will pay the usual prizes of $1.50 and $1, and it is hoped that a few other items will be added when the usual lot of special prizes are offered by friends of the fall fair.

Nelson Baptists, who raised about $1850 for church purposes last year are determined to make it at least the even $2000 in 1921.

Boxing Talent in Training for 24th

Judging by the interest already shown in the wrestling and boxing tournament the Grand Theatre will be none too large to accomodate the that are looking forward to Thursday, February 24th, as the one big night of the season. Every one connected with the event, including the manager, the committees in charge, and the contestants, are working hours each day to make the affair a success. Those handlirg the tournament thoroughly understand making all arrangements in connection with conducting a programe of this kind, and the public is assured of action from the rise of the curtain. Something doing all the time is the guarantee that goes with every ticket.

Joe Goodman and Andrew Alex. are both clever wrestlers and are going to put up the struggle of their lives on the 24th. Joe Goodman has yet to lose his first wrestling match, and if anyone is capable of getting two falls from him in one night Andrew Alex. is the man. Any one having a poor opinion of the athletic ability of the local Indians should witnes this match. Joe Goodman is one of the best of his weight bar none in the Kootenay.

In the boxing bouts the matching is entirely in the hands of the manager, and needless to say everyone, including the public, is going to get a square deal.

Five bouts are guaranteed for the evening, eveyon clean and fast. Great care is being exercised in the matching so that there will be no possibility of any contestant not being able to hold his own with his opponant, the line up has practically been decided upon and will appear on the large posters the end of the present week.

Harry Brown of Lister has been giving the match-makers the most worry as with the reputation that Lister fans give their champion it is a difficult matter to get a local boy of his weight to put up an argument. Jimmy Lochhead is the best bet in sight at the present time, and an effort is being made to get him into condition so that he can give the Lister crowd some worry for at least the first two rounds.

Lister

Jos. Bell left the latter part of the week for Vancouver, where he is attending a session of the provincial G.W.V.A. executive, on which he is the East Kootenay representative.

Another departure for the coast last week was A. C. Monk, who had been in charge of the sawmill here ever since its installation. He expects to take a position as travelling representative of the Simonds Saw Co., of Victoria.

C. H. Phillips is among the residents who is quite seriously on the sick list at present, but reports are that he is recovering.

"Tony, the Convict," the three-act comedy drama the dramatic society have been rehearsing for the past couple of weeks, will likely be presented at the schoolhouse some night toward the end of the month.

Col. and Mrs. Lister left on Thursday en route for Victoria—with a stop at Creston for an at home the Conservatives of Creston gave that night, following a meeting of the association. Mr. and Mrs. Lister will most likely be away at least two months.

Business before the meeting of the Literary, Musical and Dramatic Society on Wednesday night last was mostly routine, Mrs. John Johnston being named to fill the vacancy in the list of officers by being elected second vice-president.

The United Farmers meeting on Friday was largely taken up with reports from Messrs. McGee and Webb, who represented the local at the irrigation meeting at Creston last month, and a statement from N. Stones and others who made two trips to Creston last week for U.F. district association sessions.

Miss McLuhan, the Valley's district health nurse, and R. B. Staples, chairman of the health committee for the Valley, are due here on Wednesday of this week, to discuss the health nurse question with the settlers.

The Ladies' Auxiliary had a fair turnout at their whist drive on Saturday night, at which the premier honors fell to Mrs. Jacks and John Bird, while Mr. Jacks distinguished himself by winning the gent's booby, and John Johnston taking home the gents high score trophy.

The GRAND

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 16

FRANK KEENAN
in
Brothers Divided

JOHNNY RAY
in
Jiggs and Social Lions
This is not a Cartoon

Topics of the Day

Wynndel Co-Op. Has Banner Year

The financial statement submitted at the annual meeting of the Co-Operative Fruit Growers Association of Wynndel B.C., on Thursday night last, shows 1920 to have been about the most all-round satisfactory year in the history of this well-known selling organization.

The chair was occupied by President John Bathie, with a full turnout of all the shareholders. Treasurer Rosindale's statement, which had been duly audited by R. R. Piper, showed a turnover for the year of $50,400, and this does not include a couple of cars of apples that had not been sold when the books closed at the end of December. For 1920 it was shown that 11,581 packages had been handled, as compared with 13,608 in 1919 in which year the turnover was but $45,890.

Prices nett to the grower on berries particularly were considerably better than in 1919, the increase on raspberries being most marked. The statement showed that the receipts from the sale of strawberries was just over $37,000, representing 8230 crates and pails, the latter being fruit that went to the jam factory.

1920 saw every grower in the Duck Creek section, with but two exceptions, shipping through the Co-Operative Association, and about the only regrettable incident of the year was the death of August Johnson, one of the pioneer and most loyal supporters of the association. The 1921 officers selected are: President, John Bathie; Manager, O. J. Wigen; Directors, W. J. Cooper, S. Moon and Matt. Hager.

The Gazette states that the sleighing at Grand Forks this winter is the best the district has seen for years.

Last year Vernon hospital handled on an average of 44 patients per day. Their stay in the hospital averaged 20 days.

Kaslo Women's Institute raised about $323 of new money last year. Mrs. John Keen is the new 1921 president.

Erickson, Wynndel, Nakusp and Kaslo are the only Kootenay points that will have apple packing schools this year.

The Penticton branch of the O.U.F. will build a new 130 x 60 foot addition to their present warehouse immediately.

1920's Activities Canyon U.F. Local

Men of Canyon and members of the former United Farmers were called together on the 28th of January, 1920, to organize the existing local to a full-fledged branch of the United Farmers of Britidh Columbia. J. W. Wood was elected as chairman, and H. Young, temporary secretary of that meeting, at which the Canyon City local was duly organized, and 22 persons present were enrolled as members. In the election of officers J. W. Wood was chosen president; H. Young, vice-president; and five directors; C. Blair, W. Browell, A. R. Swanson, G. Dayie and E. Vanackeran. The directors at a subsequent meeting elected E. Vanackeran as the local's secretary-treasurer for that year.

During the year fourteen meetings were held, with a rather poor attendance of the members; notwithstanding this some very important business was tnansacted during those meetings—the most noteworthy feature, possibly, being that fourteen more residents of Canyon signed the membership list of the U.F., bringing the total membership for the year up to 36. Included in these are seven ladies.

All can be satisfied with the gain in membership, but all hope that every will do his duty and try to secure new members so that the local may grow and reach at least the 50-member mark. Among the most important items of business were the drafting of five resolutions which were sent to the provincial convention in Victoria in February, 1920. Canyon local also voted to send a delegate to the Victoria meeting.

During the year two delegates were nominated to confer with the Creston Board of Trade and other institutions at Creston on the question of a rural municipality for Creston Valley. It was also decided to donate two prizes to the Creston fall fair to be awarded to the residents of Canyon who captured the most prizes at the 1920 fair.

The Canyon U.F. took up the matter of installing a water system for this section, and there was formed, out of those members favoring the project, a water users' association. At our July meeting Canyon local also had the pleasure and profit of a visit and an address from J. W. Humphrey, second vice-president of the B. C. United Farmers, and all who were present that night will recall the meeting as one of the most successful of the year.

Another important matter discussed at an early-fall meeting was the question of a central apple packing station at Canyon, which subject was introduced in address by Mr. Loveday of Creston Fruit Growers Union. A little later in the fall an entertainment committee was struck to give socials, etc., for the benefit of the community and, incidentally, to raise funds for the better financing of the local. The first of these took the form of a concert and dance on December 3rd, at which Mr. Adlard gave an address soliciting the co-operation of Canyon in maintaining the new public library at Creston. The entertainment was financially successful to the extent of almost $30.

During the year Canyon local also went on record favoring the United Farmers of B.C. joining up with the Canadian Council of Agriculsure.

During the last month of the year the United Farmers decided to bring in a carload of hay and instruenions given the secretary to procure a car of alfalfa. The cay was unloaded at Erickson at a cost of $34.10 per ton at the car.

The financial income for the year is a matter of $108, of which $67 came from membership fees, another $30 from entertainment, and another $14 from collections which were taken up by Messrs. Wood and Samuelson. Of this amount $33.50 went to the U. F. central office as fees. $10 was paid for advertising a water notice, $10 for fall fair prizes, with miscellaneous expense of about $5; the year closing with a balance of $48. E.V.A.

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Darbo, his swarthy face drawn in malignant hate, slowly sheathed his knife, and moved a little closer to Haight. "White Hawk's back is crushed, and he will die," he said bitterly. "And, sacre! jus' because dat Sagawa is cheated, he say Great Spirit do it all for heem,—hell!"

Haight seated himself on the block again and lit his pipe.

"If I ever get out of this damnable woods, without being killed or driven crazy by you and your like, Darbo," he growled, "I faithfully swear to forever after hold to the world of civilized human beings. You're crazy; that Algonquin's crazy; everybody's crazy, even that damned fool Timberley." He turned slowly towards the sulking half-breed, "Well, why don't you say something? What the devil am I paying you for?"

"Ba Gar, den, I will say somet'ing" flashed Darbo. "I will say dat you also are crazee. And how you lak dat, eh?"

"Well, I like it well enough to express my appreciation of the second real truth I ever heard you utter, my amiable friend. I am crazy, there's not a doubt of it. If I wasn't, do you suppose I'd be risking my life on these hellish trails on account of a fool sentiment for a fellow who doesn't care the smallest of a— But hold on! I know he does care, and, Darbo, if I find what you have to'd me is correct, and we can get proofs, up in the Basin of White Water, I'll make it all right for you. Ah—"

Sagawa had stepped from the tent, and stood fair in the firelight. In his fingers he held a small iron crucifix. His eyes, burning no longer, but filled now with a glow that made his lean face tender and beautiful, sought first those of one and then the other of his watchers.

"The spirit of White Hawk will soon seek the last long trail," he said impressively. "He and Sagawa have spoken together. White Hawk has said that which Sagawa waited to hear.

"Once, when the wigwams of his people were as many as the gulls above the face of the Basin of White Water, Sagawa and White Hawk were little brothers together. Together they roamed the forest paths and hunted the fleet-footed rabbits with bows and arrows, and snared the swift trout from the brooks. Then the trails which they followed forked, and White Hawk and Sagawa went their separate ways."

He paused, and stood in deep thought. Then he continued:—

"When they met again, it was not as brothers. The heart of White Hawk had changed. It was the fire-water of the traders that killed Sagawa's brother, and planted hatred where love once was. And so it was for many snows, and always Sagawa's heart longed for the little brother he had lost.

"What White Hawk has done is now remembered no longer. He has paid, and he has spoken that to Sagawa which has made his heart at peace. Look."

High above his head the Indian held the little crucifix.

"White Hawk kissed it and said after Sagawa that which the Jesuit priest has taught him. All enmity and bitterness has been buried between them. To-night Sagawa has journeyed with his little brother, White Hawk, along an olden forest trail. He has left his little brother there. He will journey on alone until the last long trail stretches out before him. It is well."

Abruptly he ceased speaking, snatched up knife and rifle, and slipped into the forest.

For a time Haight sat, his teeth clamping his dead pipe, his eyes on the smouldering fire, close beside which the half-breed was huddled.

Then, slowly he rose, and walking to his tent, lifted its flap and looked in.

When at last he turned towards the fire again, he carried his hat in his hand. Darbo looked up questioningly.

"That big Injun was right," Haight said gently. "White Hawk has sure found his last long trail."

Like a flash the slender form of Darbo was lifted, and with a bound he was beside the tent. Frantically he lifted the flap, then stood, half crouched, gazing in on the dead form of the Indian lying on a bed of spruce boughs. As he gazed, the tallow candle, bitten by a draft from the opening, spluttered out, and Darbo, with a whispered oath, dropped the flap and staggered back into the firelight.

Twice Haight addressed him, but Darbo paind no attention. Then suddenly, the half-breed sprang erect, terror in his eyes, and pointed towards the forest of the mainland. "Leesen!" he shuddered. "You hear it? Yes?"

Haight bent his head and listened. Faint and weirdly wild, from far away, came the howl of a wolf.

"You hear it?" Darbo repeated.

"It's nothing but a timber wolf, you fool" the other answered.

"Dat's de white wo'f!" cried the half-breed and crossed himself. "Leesen, you hear heem some more? Hee's comin' dis way. Mojie, he is come fas'."

Sure enough, Haight heard the howls distinctly drawing closer. He reached for his rifle, but the half-breed, with a cry, snatched it away.

"No! No!" he cried. "You must lift no hand against dat white wolf. It means death. Sit still and do not'ing! Sacre, but look, look!"

Down the glade, swept now by the soft light of the moon, a compact body moved, splitting into several shapes as it drew swiftly closer. The fire had filmed over and died so that only the moon illumined the glade. Then, as the wolf-pack swept closer, the leader, a great white wolf, lifted his muzzle and howled. And with a new and gripping terror in his heart, Haight covered his face with his hands and waited until another cry besnoke the pack far down the trail.

Slowly then, and with the mien of one who has received a mysterious message, Darbo turned to the white man.

"We will back-trail at once," he said. "I mus' lose no tam. I mus' get back to de Golden Highlands, soon."

"Like hell you will!" Haight sprang up and stood above his guide. "You are going to finish what we set out to do, sabe?" he said, tapping the half-breed on the shoulder. "You're going to lead me to that Basin of White Water."

Darbo returned his threatening look calmly. "It is of no use to go dere now," he said. "What you would learn at Basin of White Water, you can learn better by going back from where we started. You t'ink I lie, but you are wrong. Dis tam, I swear I spak truf. Before, I lie to you, yes. I tell you a leetel of somet'ing which happen eighteen years ago. You say, if I tak' you to one who can tell you all, you pay me well. All right. I say, 'Yes, I will.' But I lie, me, 'bout dat. Only one man have what you would get hold of, proofs, and dat man lies now in dat tent—dead. Now, I will bury White Hawk den we will strike camp and back-trail."

Haight stood chewing hard on his pipe and thinking.

"Well, of all the crooked, measly, little no-breed lice on earth," he burst out, "you are certainly the worst! Of course," ruefully, "I'll have to go with you, 'cause I'd get lost without you. If I killed you, as you richly deserve, it would amount to the same thing. Now you try to salve it over by saying I'll learn what I want to know back where we started from: you liar!"

He gave the half-breed a shake that fairly made his teeth rattle.

"Look you," cried Darbo, "if I spak not de truf, you pay me not'ing. Ees it not fair?"

Haight stood, scratching his head and pondering. Darbo looked at him, searching his soul with his small eyes.

Then he said: "I have somet'ing else to say to you, an' when I say it, you will lose no tam. You will want to fly back to dat udder place, yes. Leesen, den, you."

For five minutes Haight stood, listening to the whispered words of the half-breed. Slowly, as he listened, his blue eyes opened wide, and once his cadaverous jaws opened to explode an oath.

When Darbo had finished, he gripped him by the wrist. "Is that all true?" he gasped—"true?"

"If I lie, may de white wolf tear me to pieces," answered the half-breed. "You change your min', I guess? You would go back now, yes?"

"Darbo," shouted Haight, "we'll bury your brother, and we'll keep going night and day till we get there. Good God!" he shivered. "What if we are too late!"

For the next hour there was no word spoken between them. In the cavity, made by the uprooting of a storm-cast tree, they buried the dead White Hawk. Then they packed their utensils and struck the trail for the lake. It was not until they were out on the water, silvery grey now beneath the rays of the sinking moon, that Haight turned back towards his guide.

"Darbo," he said, "you're not doing all this for me. You've got some work of your own to do back there. What is it?"

Darbo's face twisted in a grin of fiendish hate. "Yes, I have some leetle t'ing to do up dere, me," he said softly. "Dere one feller, nam' Dalton, who whip me wit' stick, lak I was drunk Esquimo. I go back, ma frien', to keel heem. Dat's all."

CHAPTER XVIII.

Then subtle warning which was whispered throughout the millions of acres of lake-shot forest, stretching from the foot of Old Creation to the Basin of White Water, was whispered also to the Hardwoods sanctuary. Willow Farney had been the first to sense it, as she and Dorkin were returning up the path from Wild Duck Lake, to the cabin in the late afternoon. The tall hickory, lifting imperious head above its fellows, had quivered her the note, and she paused, her arms about the rough trunk of the tree, eyes lifted to the blue skies above the forest.

Larry, the shaggy setter, watching, lifted his heavy muzzle and whined, and Willow called to Dorkin, who had lingered along the path to watch a covey of young partridge being marshalled by a drooping-winged mother bird.

"There's goin' to be a storm," she said, as he came up. "This old tree never lies, and it says—listen, Dorkin, to what it is sayin'. Hold your face close here to mine. Now, hear it whisperin', 'Storm, Storm'?"

Dorkin laughed and, reaching forward, drew the girl from the tree. A wisp of a brown curl entwined his finger. The warm touch of her throat against his hand sent an electric thrill through him. She lifted startled eyes to his face. Her lips were trembling.

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East Kootenay Indians claim the weather so far this winter has not been favorable to trapping operations

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Grier's Guesses

Something of a political nature is brewing in federal affairs. Conservatives are organizing and Liberals are slumbering, which gives the best argument in a contest. It is generally believed that R F. Green carries in his clothes a ticket to the political old man's home. If Bob does go to the Senate, it is said there are quite a number of lathe-polished followers of the conglomerate federal cabinet who are willing to sacrifice their private interests for the public good. Among them might be mentioned Jim. Schofield of Trail; Dr. Rose. C. R. Hamilton, F. Payne and W. H. Moore of Nelson; Tom Abriel of Nakusp; D. A. McClelland and Geo Trickett of New-Denver; Mayor Anderson of Kaslo; Joe Bell of Lister; Major Mallandaine of Creston. These are all either Bowserites or Conglomerates. No Tories have yet been mentioned. It is said that Noble Binns of Trail was to get a place in the cabinet of senatorial fossils for his services in the 1917 campaign, but nothing has come of it. It will be remembered that the Liberal first choice was pulled in 1917 and a number of the then leaders of that party supported the Conglomerate candidate, on purely patriotic grounds, of course. That was in support of the crowning disgrace on Canada, when the most effective volunteer army the world has produced was placed on the level of "pressed" men by idiotic act of parliament.—Kaslo Kootenaian.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Saldiers' Memorial

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR.—In reply to Mr. Butterfield's letter to you on this subject in your issue of January 25th, may I say that the committee appointed to erect "a permanent memorial to the Creston Valley Soldiers." are not unmindful of the terms of their appointment, and do not intend to vary from them.

If they are unable to carry out their instructions for any reason, the funds subscsibed will be at the disposal of the individual subscribers.

The delay, regrettable as it may be, has arisen from the difficulty of finding a suitable site. Then the necessity—as each was brought forward and considered—to find a design appropriate to it, and to the subject in hand. And, again, most arduous of all, to get a design within the means at our disposal.

The committee are at present considering two or three designs or modifications of them in the hope of arriving at a conclusion.

R. STARK.

A Timely Suggestion

EDITOR REVIEW:

To be unorganized to-day is to belong to the dangerous element of the community, because the unorganized are in the way. They are not moving and the wheels of progress will overtake them. Those who, unorganized, are content to remain so, are asleep in the path, content in a narrow individualism. They are not in a position to help, but will cause trouble.

Progress unhampered follows the evolutionary course. Progress temporarily blocked brings revolution. The unorganized individual blocks progress, and is therefore the dangerous element in modern society. Get organized and keep the wheels of progress moving at the natural rate of speed. O.G.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

Grand Forks has rather a modest debenture debt of $92.000.

Men employed on government road work at Rossland are now only drawing $4 per day.

It cost $7000 to operate the hospital at Kaslo last year—the most expensive year in its history.

A total of $1150 has been raised in Cranbrook city and adjoining country for the Chinese famine fund.

From Penticton comes the report that dealers claim the Okanagan Jonathan apples were not good keepers again this winter.

Vernon's first postoffice building, which is about sixty years old is to be moved to the city park and preserved as a relic of the early days.

Cranbrook has a ladies bowling league this winter, with three teams entered, and a silver cup to complete for, donated bo jeweler Raworth.

The Methodist are withdrawing the the morning service at Grand Forks, and are putting on some special features to assure a full house at evening worship.

Cranbrook district farmers' institute wants a resident agriculturist located in that city, and they would also like to see a range rider appointed for the same territory.

Revelstoke is looking for a few hundred citizens who are willing to part with at least $5 apiece in order to secure funds to buy a new X-ray machine for the hospital.

The Ledge hears that a firm at Napanee, Ont., would like to start a match factory at Greenwood, and the city council is sending along all the facts and figures asked for.

Fernie council has such a handsome surplus on 1920 operations that the Free Press has visions of lower taxes this year, or the getting on with some badly needed city improvements.

Business and pleasure were combined at the annual meeting of St. Saviour's Anglician church at Nelson last week. The procedure was: Supper, business session and a dance to close with.

Penticton trustees would like legislation enacted so that some revenue could be had from people with families who at present pay no taxes but who send a considerable number of children to school.

It is likely the ranching suburb of Penticton, which has hitherto been included in the town limits, will be separated from the town. The ranchers object to being taxed for so many improvements that are directly for the benfit of the business section of the town.

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We take this opportunity of expressing appreciation of the splendid patronage accorded the old firm, and bespeak the same timely consideration for the new owner.

Yours respectfully,
M. J. BOYD.

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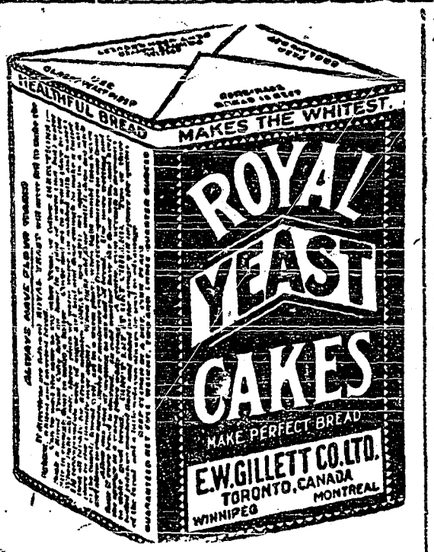

World Happenings Briefly Told

Germans declare the reparation terms decided upon by the Allies as fantastic and impossible.

Lloyd George will visit Palestine in the spring, according to a report printed by the Evening Standard.

Galt police commissioners will engage the services of a policewoman to act when called on.

Decline in wholesale prices is proceeding at the rate of about four per cent. per month from the peak.

Ontario milk producers have been eulogized for voluntarily reducing milk prices, contingent upon the lower production rates.

More than 250,000 children in New York City receive only part-time instruction because school facilities are inadequate.

The first passenger liner to make the trip between Germany and the U.S. is expected to leave Hamburg for New York soon.

A bill, introduced at Washington, would increase salaries of Senators and Representatives from $7,500 to $10,000 a year after March 4 next.

Joseph Dansereau, of Quebec, with an average of 96.56, was awarded the first prize in the all-Canada creamery butter competition held in connection with the Western Canada Annual Dairy Convention at Winnipeg.

Dr. J. C. Ferguson, financial adviser to the President of China, who has just arrived in Vancouver from the Orient, states that in the famine districts of China, people line the roadsides too weak to walk from want of food.

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Poor Outlook For Bolshevism in England

Efforts For World Revolution Not Regarded As Effective In Old Country.

Director of Bolsheviki propaganda in European countries met secretly in Bremen, Dec. 26, under the presidency of the commissar Eliawa of Moscow, for the purpose of reporting the success of their efforts on behalf of world revolution, says the London Times. All the delegates entered Germany under assumed names and with false passports.

"Comrade Facher, an English delegate," the newspaper adds, "reported 79 Communist district organizations in England with 20,000 members and 1,219 agents, most of the latter of whom are paid. He was pessimistic regarding the cause in England. He said that the Russian proletariat need not expect support from the English, but that the Communist outlook in Scotland, Ireland and Wales was brighter."

Facher referred to Plymouth as "the centre of liaison with French and United States naval people."

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A new industry to serve the growing agricultural needs of Western Canada is now practically assured for the city of Medicine Hat, in the centre of the natural gas fields of Southern Alberta. This is the manufacture of stooking machines and stook loaders by the Hilts Stooking Machine Company, which is said to have several excellent machines to put on the market.

Minard's Liniment For Garget in Cows.

Radium Burns Cause Death.

Twenty years suffering from the burns of radium and X-rays were ended recently for Dr. Behrens, a prominent Swiss surgeon of Bienne, when death brought relief. Physicians several years ago pronounced his case hopeless and death certain, but Dr. Behrens, whose hands had been spared, continued his experiments until his last days.

Women and Asthma. Women are numbered among the sufferers from asthma by the countless thousands. In every climate they will be found, helpless in the grip of this relentless disease unless they have availed themselves of the proper remedy. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought new hope and life to many such. Testimonials, sent entirely without solicitation, show the benefit it has wrought among women everywhere.

Lloyd George Scolded

Premier Lloyd George has been taken to task by some of his former Welsh constituents for playing golf on Sunday. The Congregational Church recently voted unanimously to protest against the example set by the Premier in seeking Sunday recreation.

A Farming Community First

Before All Else the Dominion Must Be a Farming Country.

The census bureau of the United States announces that slightly more than half the population of the republic live in towns and cities. This in a country approximately the size of Canada, inhabited by more than a hundred million people, and whose national policy has aimed consistently and powerfully to coax the people off the land and hive them in great industrial and commercial centres. It ought to be accepted as the normal and wholesome condition of things in Canada that the large majority of our people live upon farms, and must for generations. Before all else the Dominion must be a farming country for many years to come.—Edmonton Bulletin.

GOOD HEALTH AND GOOD SPIRITS

Depend Upon the Condition of the Blood—Keep it Rich, Red and Pure

When a doctor tells you that you are anaemic, he simply means, in plain English, that your blood is weak and watery. But this condition is one that may easily pass into a hopeless decline if prompt steps are not taken to enrich the blood. Poor blood, weak, watery blood is the cause of headaches and backaches, loss of appetite, poor digestion, rheumatism, neuralgia, nervous, irritability and many other troubles. To poor blood is due the pimples and blotches, the muddy complexion that disfigures so many faces. To have good health, a good complexion and a cheerful manner, the blood must be kept rich, red and pure. This is easily done through the use of a blood enriching tonic like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The whole mission of this medicine is to help enrich the blood which reaches every nerve and every organ in the body, bringing with it health, strength and new activity. That is why people who occasionally use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills always feel bright, active and strong.

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Mahogany Grows Quickly.

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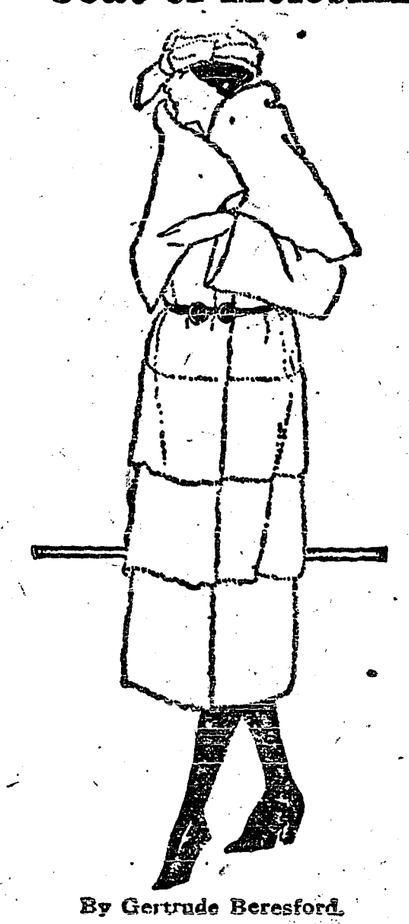

By Gertrude Beresford.

There are times when a fur coat is to be preferred to any that are fashioned of cloth. One of the furs that lends itself well to the art of the coat-maker is moleskin. So soft and silky is this pelt that it is almost as pliable as velvet. The accompanying illustration reveals a very clever use of this fur. The lower part of the wrap is designed in three tiers and the pelts are arranged in horizontal style. The collar affects the lines of the cape and is exceedingly attractive. The belt of cord is finished with a cabochon fastening. A small hat fashioned from moleskin completes a delightful mode for cold weather.

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Jews Walking to Palestine

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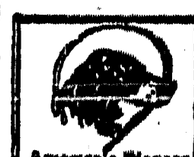

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Rebellion Days, 1884-85

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

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The winter of 1884-5 was my first experience as a free trader. I had located with my family close to the forks of Stony Creek, now in the Melfort district. On account of high prices in Prince Albert, I had made a trip to Fort Qu'Appelle (some 250 miles) and purchased a small trading outfit from the Hudson's Bay Company at that point.

Some two miles to the south of my location was an H. B. C. wintering post, also two French half-breed traders, one of whom was the well-known Zavier Batoche from whom that settlement is named. Being the first genuine white settler to locate here, some of the Indians were violently opposed to this intrusion on their hunting grounds, and on two occasions armed parties of them warned me off the premises.

Well I remember my first interview with the Kinistin band. I was looking over a line of traps I had on the east fork of the creek. It was a cold raw evening early in December, I was homeward bound and had just ran down the bank of the creek to look at a mink trap, and to my joy here was a big fellow. I at once knocked him on the head and put him in my hunting bag which by the way was nearly full and heavy. I re-set my trap and was climbing up the bank, when, turning my head, here was Mr. Mink within an inch of my ear and snarling like a wicked dog. I slipped a lynx snare over his head, thinking if clubbing would not kill him, why hanging should. Being so busily engaged, I had not noticed a bunch of mounted Indians who were watching my proceedings with great interest. Boldness is always the best policy with savages, and walking up to the leader (old Kinistin himself) I held out my hand with the usual, "Wa-chea, Wa-chea." He took no notice, but, in an angry voice, and speaking the broadest of Sauteaux, asked, "What have you in that bag?" I remained silent, and again came the question, "What have you in that bag?" In reply I up-ended it. The contents were one beaver, which I had trapped at his lodge, one lynx, and five minks, one of which I was still dangling in my hand. The scene was a wild one. The Indians were all big men and their blankets and loose leggings made them look still bigger, painted with scarlet and green paint, feathers waving, all armed, five of them carrying repeating Winchesters. I sure had not much of a chance if it came to a racket, and their looks were hostile enough. Now the old man was speaking again, and pointing at the game, he said: "Don't you realize that you have stolen these furs; that you are a stranger and a trespasser here, with your white face. Go away and go quick, or worse will happen," and so on to this effect. It was rapidly getting dusk and I was some ten miles from home, so stooping down and gathering up my furs, I said: "Grandfather, I am sorry you are feeling badly about my little hunt, but I also trade and hope to call at your camps through the winter, or see you if you bring in furs. "Go," was his reply, and so I did, glad enough at last to see the light in the window of our log cabin. This was my first meeting with famous Kinistin and it could not be called a friendly one.

In the meantime I had made some friends amongst the Indians, especially with O-sow-win-is-su (The South Wind) and his band. We had been able to show some kindness towards one of his sons who was very ill from consumption. The old man and I found we were connected in the Indian way; as Ki-say-the-nish in the Pas Mountain was his Cha-Cha-Wow as well as mine. Then Cha-kas-ta-pa-sin had a few tents and were friendly. Some Nut-Lakers came in to trade during the winter, and I found them as a rule a saucy disagreeable bunch with a bad reputation; as twice since I came to the west they had robbed the H. B. Co. post at Nut Lake. Opposition in the fur trade was keen, especially from the French traders, one of whom Maxime—(afterwards sentenced to seven years in penitentiary)—was extremely surly whenever we met, and I soon found out that he was preaching active rebellion in every camp. Well I had not been trained in the Hudson's Bay service by some famous factors if I could not go one better than a French half-breed, so I became a strong counter influence in the cause of loyalty against Maxime, and with success in three of the closest bands. Kinistin's, however, remained sullenly neutral, while there was no doubt about the Nut Lakers' hostility.

Many rumors were flying about all winter. Riel was in the country holding meetings both against the white settlers and natives, making his headquarters both at Duck Lake and Batoche. Runners were being sent by him to the various Indian camps throughout North Saskatchewan. I only went for my mail once a month, so was largely dependent on Indian and traders' reports for news. March came in blustery and cold with deep snow, trade was good, and I was busy enough attending to it. Early in April, We-ah-gun, a son of The South Wind, came in from his camp and as usual asked at once for news, and I could see he was excited and had heard no doubt much more than myself. After a quiet chat, I gathered they had heard of fighting near Duck Lake, in which report said, the whites were defeated. His father did not wholly credit this, so sent him in to me for further news. But as I was quite in the dark, we decided to ride up to the Hudson's Bay post and get further particulars. The last half mile was through heavy timber, and I was riding ahead. On coming out at the site of the trading shanties, here was evidently a hurried abandonment, empty boxes were lying around and the place apparently deserted. While we were looking over the scene, the door of the H. B. shack was partly opened, and out stuck an Indian's head—a stranger, and in full war paint. My companion with dilated nostrils gave one glance at him, gathered up his bridle reins and whipping his pony went off east at a mad gallop. The head was withdrawn and the door closed. I tied my horse up and went in. One Indian and his squaw were the only occupants, with a bundle of bedding. His powder horn was hanging close to me and I gave it a shake and noted it was empty. Also glancing at the fire a kettle hanging in the chimney, I saw it only contained water. Evidently this pair were very poor and out of both ammunition and grub. I asked them at once to come down and camp at my house, saying we had a native nurse girl there who thoroughly understood Sauteaux. But they would not speak. Finally, tiring of their silence, I said, "Well, the distance is only two or three miles. I will carry your bundle on the saddle and you can follow." So out I went and after riding slowly for a little distance, glanced back and saw they were following. After a night at the house and two good meals, Mr. Indian thawed out a little and began to talk. His wife had opened her heart to our girl and verified the Indian news about the Duck Lake fight. This they both claimed had been started by the whites, and he further went on to say that his own brother was the first Indian shot by Joe McKay (police interpreter, and that he was on his way to join Riel's men and try and avenge his brother's death, a project, however, which his wife was very much opposed to. The reason, he explained, of their poverty, was that they started out with a pony which drowned while crossing a river and they lost their effects.

(To be continued)

Take In a Show.

Washington.—President Wilson, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, recently attended a theatre for the first time since he was taken ill over a year ago.

Condemns Eggs From China.

Ottawa.—The influx of Chinese eggs into Canada is proving a menace to home industry, according to Dr. S. F. Tolmie, minister of agriculture.

For Vice-Royalty of Canada

Viscount Burnham, the latest to be associated with the position of Governor-General of Canada. He is a newspaper proprietor and headed the delegation of journalists from Britain to the Dominion last year.

Express Rates Boosted

Rates Increase Granted in Judgment Handed Down by Railway Commission.

Ottawa.—In a lengthy judgment covering some 27 typewritten pages, the Board of Railway Commissioners grants to Canadian express companies, an increase of 35 per cent. on first class rates, 25 per cent. on second class and 20 per cent. on commodity rates, including principally, cream, fish and fruit.

The judgment which is concurred in by all the commissioners who sat in the case, was written by Chief Commissioner F. B. Carvell. In addition to the increases mentioned above, it provides that the rate on all spirituous liquors in the future is to be increased to first class. The cartage differential at non-cartage points has been eliminated, and as a result express charges will be the same to all points, whether city, town or country.

First Entry in Cross-Atlantic Race.

New York.—The first entry for the trans-Atlantic yacht race trophy offered by King Albert of Belgium, was received from Professor Walter F. Clayton, of St. Johns College, Annapolis, Md. The Si sta, Clayton entry, the smallest yacht ever entered in a cross-ocean race, has a waterline of only 45 feet, a 15 foot beam and draws 8.5 feet of water.

Honor For Divine Sarah.

Paris.—The promotion of Sarah Bernhardt to office of the Legion of Honor will be announced shortly. The promotion will be in recognition of the famous actress' work in encouraging French art abroad.

Liquor Act Prosecutions.

Calgary.—In his annual report, Chief of Police Ritchie comments upon the numerous infractions of the liquor act during the past year. No less than 330 were prosecuted and fined under this section during 1920.

Reported Visit by Princess Mary.

Ottawa.—No word has been received here of a reported visit to Canada by Princess Mary next fall.

Grocers Taking Less Profit On Many Lines

Red Rose Tea People Make a Further Statement.

Some of our friends among the grocers, in speaking of our letter to the press on grocers' profits, have indicated that apparently it has been construed by some readers to mean that Red Rose Tea was the only article on which the grocer takes a smaller profit, in order to give his customers a higher quality.

It was not our intention to convey such an impression, as we know that most grocers sell well known brands of other goods at less profit than they could make on some brands equally well known, and for the same reason that they recommend Red Rose Tea, simply to give their customers the best possible value.

In our letter we mentioned Red Rose Tea because it naturally came first to our mind and because we knew that grocers were selling it at a less profit than they make on other teas.—T. H. Estabrooks Co., Limited, Winnipeg, Man.

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Germany Told How To Meet Her Obligations

Financial Experts Say That Conditions Are Misrepresented to Escape Payments.

Paris.—Germany is told exactly how to eliminate the 76,000,000 marks deficit in her 1920 budget in the report to the allies of the conference of financial experts, held in Brussels.

Certain German expenses are declared to have been multiplied 75 times over those of 1919, and certain German taxes, are shown to be far below those the allied populations are paying. The report says

"Many figures in the ordinary budget seem to have been established by an adiministration and parliament equally desirous of showing the world the precarious financial condition of Germany and her difficult situation."

"If the various recommendations made are followed, the budget should be speedily balanced," says the report. Thus, with a continuation of Germany's economic recovery the experts declare that Germany, "in a relatively short period, can meet her treaty obligations through taxation without continuing to increase her floating debt or inflate her currency."

The report says the 1919 and 1920 budgets of Germany carried a number of credits which were only partially disbursed, such as 16,500,000,000 marks for the allied armies of occupation expenses, of which only 4,500,000,000 marks was spent. The budget for 1920 carried 42,000,000,000 marks for execution of the peace treaty, while only 17,000,000,000 marks had been paid out up to December 1 last.

Crerar Receives Endorsement

Saskatchewan Grain Growers Give Farmer Leader Enthusiastic Reception.

Moose Jaw.—The Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association enthusiastically endorsed the leadership of Hon. T. A. Crerar in federal politics, following his address before the session of the annual convention. The resolution endorsed, promised the support of the association to the New National Policy of the Farmer Associations in Federal politics and approved the choice of Mr. Crerar as leader.

Hon. T. A. Crerar received an ovation as he arose after the chairman, J. A. Maharg, president of the association, had referred to him as the next Premier of Canada.

Delegates gave him three cheers and a tiger. Commencing his address he thanked the delegates for the reception tendered him. His subject was "The Canadian Political Outlook," and he began by reference to the development of the farmers' association in politics and paid tribute to pioneers in the movement. The provincial political organization has caused Dominion-wide comment, he said, and in the broader field of federal politics the association is faced with many new problems. He referred first to the railway problem, which he said was one of the most important demanding consideration. This problem must be faced courageously and hundreds of miles of track which are not paying the capital outlay or even the operating expenses must be torn up. The matter must be treated in the same manner as any private business and unprofitable portions cut out. The system should be revalued and put on an economic operating basis, he said, if the deficit of over $60,000,000 faced by the 22,000 miles of government-owned system is to be cut down. An orgy of railway building in which lines were duplicated he held responsible.

Immigrants should be settled along the government lines to build up business.

Government activities in regard to immigration amounts to very little, he declared. A different policy must be followed, and immigrants who can go on the land should be encouraged.

Immigrants, he continued, must be taught the principles of good citizenship and past practices must be stopped. Standards, he said, must be raised and he added:

"We don't want any more wartimes elections act."

Discussing the tariff, he referred to the fallacy of the present Government policy which while it tends to a self-contained country, is advocated by a government which is sending its trade commissioners soliciting trade to all parts of the world. The population of Canada cannot, he said, consume half the wheat production of Canadian farms and the establishment of a home market by protection is no benefit to the basic industry.

Disapprove Lifting Cattle Embargo.

London.—The Royal Agricultural Society have refused to attend the National Conference to be held in London, on the question of the embargo on Canadian cattle and deprecate the proposal to withdraw the restriction.

To Eliminate Overlapping

Close Co-operation to be Established By Governments on Farming Question.

Ottawa.—Overlapping in the work of the federal and provincial departments of agriculture will be eliminated and closer co-operation established through an agreement reached at a conference of representatives of these departments, according to the report of the Minister of Agriculture for the year ending March 31, 1920.

Production advocacy, it was agreed at the conference, is to be carried on through provincial activities while marketing and experimental work are to be carried on by the federal department, except where arrangements to the contrary are deemed wise.

Huns Will Be There

Britain Confident That Germans Will Come to London Council.

London.—Invitations to Germany to attend the Allied Supreme conference will be dispatched in a few days, and the British officials do not even consider the possibility of Germany refusing to attend. They declare it would be only worse for Germany if she declines.

The Supreme Council fully expects German protests on the reparations announcement but as a matter of fact, the protests are not as great as anticipated in view of the objections taken by Germany at the time of the peace conference.

Manitoba Takes Butter Championship

Winnipeg.—Manitoba carried off the interprovincial butter-making championship at the creamery butter exhibition, which is one of the features of the annual convention of the Western Dairy Associations and allied interests at present being held here.

SHORT OF BREATH
Could Hardly Walk— Without Resting.

When you go to a physician to be examined for any heart trouble one of the first questions he asks is: "Are you short of breath?"

Now, when the heart becomes affected there ensues a feeling of a choking sensation, a shortness of breath, palpitation, throbbing, irregular beating, smothering sensation, dizziness and a weak, sinking, all-gone feeling of oppression and anxiety.

On the first sign of the heart becoming weakened or the nerves unstrung Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are just the remedy you require. They regulate and stimulate the heart, and strengthen and restore the whole nerve system.

Mr Stephen Crose, East Clifford, N.S., writes:—"I suffered for five years with heart trouble. I could hardly walk from the house to the barn without resting as I used to get so short of breath. Doctors could not help me. My wife told me to get a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and I felt better after taking them; three boxes made me quite well. I am now helping my son to work the farm, and can truthfully say I feel like a different man."

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Local and Personal

REFRIGERATOR FOR SALE—Weight 850 lbs, $20. F. K. Smith, Creston.

HAY FOR SALE—Timothy, $30 ton. car due Feb. 15th. H. H. Taylor Creston.

Mrs. G. A. Hunt of Kitchener was a week-end visitor with Mrs. Henderson.

STOVE FOR SALE—4-hole McClary range, in good shape, $25. F. K. Smith, Creston.

LOST—Walking stick with military badge on it. Finder please leave same at Review Office.

MILCH COW FOR SALE—Just freshened. Apply Hecter Stewart, care Robt. Stewart (Alice Siding), Creston

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cook, who have been holidaying at coast points for the last three weeks, returded home on Friday.

At the February meeting on Friday the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid chose Mrs. G. P. Smith as secretary for the present year.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid announces a St. Valentine tea and sale of home cooking for Saturday afternoon, Feb. 12th, from 3 to 5.30., in Speers' Hall.

The Presbyterian Sunday School attendance is keeping up around the 80 mark each Sunday, and Pastor James is now making an effort to organize an adult Bible class in connection with the work.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dale of Regina, Sask., are spending a couple of days with Mr. and Mrs. Cherrington, en route home from a wedding trip to coast points.

Rev. Dr. Eby left the latter part of the week for Saskatoon, Sask., where he was called on account of the serious illness of his brother who resides in that city.

LUMBER—Common Boards, Dimension Shiplap. Flooring, Drop Siding. Bevel Siding, at reduced prics. Write or phone for priees. Wynndel Box Factory, Wynndel.

There will be morning service with celebration of Holy Communion at Christ Church on Sunday at 11 o'clock Rev. J, S. Mahood will continue in charge of the Parish until such time as a resident vicar is secured.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Long got away on Friday to Oakville, Wash., where they will make their home in future, with their son, Trennie, who is in charge of the Northern Pacific Railway depot at that point.

Mr. Asher of Cranbrook is moving into the store next the Auditorium, just vacated by S. G. Foreman, and will open out in the barbering and pressing lines. This will give the town three full-fledged barber shops.

Park Road begins to loom up as quite the residential thoroughfare. This week T. Winch is completing quite a commodious new residence, and the carpenters are at work on a small bungalow for F. Mill, janitor at the Bank of Commerce.

President Bevan of the board of trade was at Cranbrook on Wednesday for a meeting of the executive of the Associated Boards of Trade of South Eastern B. C., at which matters in connection with the Trans-Provincial Highway were discussed.

The Imperial Oil Co. is this week putting in another 6000-gallon supply of coal oil in their tank here. This lot accounts for 18,000 gallons of this illuminant that has been unloaded in tank lots, to say nothing of another 2000 gallons almost that has come in in drums—in less than a year.

Jas. Adlard and W. G. Littlejohn were Nelson visitors the early part of the week, on business connected with the Arrow Creek irrigation system. The commissioners report great success in their canvass for signatures to the petition that will ensure the hiring of an engineer to report fully on the project.

After being with the Hardware & Furniture Supply Co., Ltd., since its opening late in 1919, M. J. Boyd has resigned that position, and is going back into his old trade of contracting and building. The hardwsre store and business has been purchased by S. A. Speers, who will get possession on Monday next.

In connection with the concert on January 25th for the benefit of the health nurse apartments furnishing fand, we are asked to announce that of the intake of $110 there were but two expense items, $25 for theatre rent, and $5 for printing and advertising, leaving a balance of $80, which has peen turned over to the Women's Institute.

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK—There will be no issue of the Review on Feb. 18. It is customary for us to knock off for a week each year—and next week's the week. The office will be open for payment of accounts, etc., but no work will be turned out, as the printery is the hands of the painter and decorator, who is dolling up the interior of the works.

Attention of the members of the Women's Institute is called to the fact that Miss Master's demonstrations in dressmaking, remodelling and renovating will be on Friday afternoon and evening and on Saturday evening. The afternoon session on Saturday has to be abandoned due to the fact that the hall is taken for an afternoon tea that day.

The dance under Conservative auspices on Thursday last was fairly well attended, with music by a three piece orchestra consisting of Mesdames Foreman and Lister and Mr. Chorlton. The dance followed a meeting of Conservative Association, the session being just prior to the departure of Col. Lister, M.P.P., for the legislative session which opened at Victoria on Tuesday.

For the Young People's Club meeting on Friday evening, Feb. 18th, a mock trial will be the leading feature. It will be a breach of promise case for which learned counsel has been seeured. The prosecution will be in the hands of Campbell Dow and Rev. J.A. James, while the defence will be looked after by W. Truscott and Miss Vivian Moore. This meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Dow.

Those who will be attending the whist drive and dance under the auspices of Creston local of the United Farmers are reminded that the admission chargs of $1.50 per couple for the dance and cards will include supper. Lunch will also be included in the 50c. admission to ladies, and the $1 charged gentlemen. There will be four prizes at whist and good music has been secured for the dance.

At the Agricultural Association directors' meeting on Thursday night W. V. Jackson was elected president for 1921, with Col. Lister, M.P.P., selecteed as vice-president, and R. Walmsley re-appointed secretary-treasurer. The prize list committee has already got down to work and a list of the awards to be made in the needlework section at this year's fair appears elsewhere in this issue.

Within the next ten days Creston will again have a bake shop in full operation. J. A. Bryan of the Creston Cafe, has leased the old City Bakery, next the Review office, and is having the oven moderhly rebuilt in every way, and has engaged a first-class baker to take charge. Mr Bryan's intention is to have his bread and pastry on sale at all the stores as well as the shop, and will turn out everything in the bread and pastry line. He plans to be open for business not later than Feb. 23rd.

Practically the entire membership was out on Monday night for the February meeting of the Liberal Association. The roads and bridges committee submitted a comprehensive report covering the work that should be done in this line this season between Kitchener and Sirdar. With some amendments their report was adopted and the association's secretary, C. F. Hayes, left on Wednesday for Victoria to discuss these matters with the minister of public works, and while at the capital will also interview the other ministers on other subjects of vital importance to this end of the Kaslo riding.

Manager Loveday of Creston Fruit Growers Union, Ltd., would like to hear from all who will be needing either fertilizers or spray materials, in order that the Union's order for these materials may be ample to supply every need.

Alice Siding

Though many have tried their luck so far the ling fishermen have not been successfnl in landing any of these fish.

Victor Carr is reducing his herd of beef cattle at present, and is shipping his surplus supply to customers at Trail.

Alice Siding school had its 1921 official visit from Dr. Henderson on Thursday last.

Pruning operations have already commenced, the first to commence operations being Mr. Kelly on the Alderson ranch, who has W. H. Hilton assisting him.

Board of Trade

President Bevan was in charge of proceedings at the February session of Creston Board of Trade on Tuesday night, at which a considerable grist of routine business was disposed of. Another citizen was elected to member ship in W. G. Asher, who is opening out here in barber shop line. Resolutions to be submitted to the Associated Boards of Trade convention at Penticton this month were considered and finally adjusted for presentation by President Bevan, who will represent the Creston Board at the gathering. The standing committees for the year were also adopted, as follows:

Finance—C. W. Allen, G. Johnson, R. B. Staples.

Publicity—C. F. Hayes, C. G. Bennett, Jas. Cook.

Transportation—C. O. Rodgers, E. Mallandaine, F. H. Jackson.

Roads and Bridges—S. A. Speers, A. R. Swanson, Dr. Henderson.

Agriculture—Jas. Adlard, W. V. Jackson, J. W. Hamilton.

Reclamation—Guy Constrble, H. K. Oatway, M. J. Boyd, Jas. Cherrington

Municipal and Legislative—C. B. Garland, Geo. Young, E. C. Gibbs, W. H. Crawford.

Irrigation—Jas. Compton, R. Stark, W. B. Embree.

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I solicit your patronage.

Barns open for inspection any day except Sunday.

WALTER V. JACKSON

Dr. Ilsley, provincial dairy inspector, paid this district a visit at the request of the city council. During his visit here twelve animals were condemned and killed. It was found on being put to the test that the animals were affected with tuberculosis. In the case of each animal killed the government pays compensation to the value of $50.00 per animal. It is to be hoped that the government will again send an inspector into this district and make a thorough examination of every animal in the district. For the sake of safety for the children and adults the test is absolutely necessary, as animals may be badly affected with tuberculosis and the owner be ignorant of the disease.—Cranbrook Courier.

Commencing February 1st, my prices are as follows:

Men's Shoes

Half-Soles and Heels	$1.50
" sewn on	2.00
" tacked on	1.25

Ladies' Shoes

Half-Soles and Heels	$1.50
" sewn on	1.50
" tacked on	1.00

Youths' Shoes

Half-Soles and Heels	$1.50
" sewn on	1.50
" tacked on	1.00

Children's Shoes

Half-Soles and Heels	75
" sewn on	75
" tacked on	50

Leather Toe Caps.....25c. to 50c.
Copper Toe Caps, per pair .....35c.
Patches from 10c, to 25c. each.
Stitching from 10c., 25c., and 50c.

JACK JOY

SHOEMAKER. Next to Theatre

Prices Promptly Reduced

Effective immediately the policy of this store will be to pass on to its patrons price reductions as fast as they are announced by the trade on all lines of goods we handle.

While prices are coming down slowly, their descent is none the less sure, as will be noted by the substantial reductions we make on the grocery section in a few lines of "wanted goods."

MAWSON'S BEST TEA, was 85c. lb., now.....75c. lb.
MAWSON'S SPECIAL COFFEE, was 65c. lb., now.....60c. lb.
BLUE RIBBON TEA, was 75c. lb., now.....70c. lb.
BULK BLACK TEA, was 65c. lb., now.....50c. lb.

Watch this space each week for reduced prices, which we confidently expect to be able to offer on many of the lines stocked.

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NEW

Blacksmith Shop

I am now fully prepared to handle all work in both Blacksmithing and Woodworking.

HORSE SHOEING

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My work is guaranteed to give satisfaction, and charges are moderate.

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GRADY SHOP

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REMNANTS!

Stock-taking is now completed and we find we have a superior lot of Remnants—many of them in suitable lengths—in such lines as

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