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Creston Likely to Have 1500 Club

The meeting in Speers' Hall on Thursday night last for the purpose of organizing a 1500 Club was fairly well attended, and the preliminary steps were taken to at once get on with the formation of this popular style of life insurance society. On motion E. C. Gibbs occupied the chair, and R. S. Nelson acted as secretary.

Chairman Gibbs briefly outlined the objects of the Club. He pointed out that it would be composed entirely of members from Creston and the territory from Sirdar to Kitchener, and that its object is to provide immediate payment to dependents of a deceased member of the Club. It would be the object of the Club to endeavor to enroll 1500 members as soon as possible.

The initial membership fee will be $5, an an annual fee of $1 for the first year's dues, and annual dues thereafter will be $1 per year. Upon the death of a member a cheque would be immediately issued to his or her beneficiary on a basis of $1 for every member of the Club in good standing. At the same time notice would be sent to each member advising of the death of the late member and requiring payment of $1, and this would then be available to meet the next claim.

He further pointed out that the 1500 Club at Nelson had reached its full membership within a very short time, and that many people who were unable to join that Club were anxious to join one here, feeling that they would be obtaining protection for their dependents at a very cheap rate, and that at such times as they might be called upon to pay their assessment upon the death of a member they would be helping to assist a neighbor in a time of adversity.

A resolution was unanimously adopted approving of the formation of the club, which will be officially known as the Fifteen Hundred Club of Creston and District, and Messrs. Garland, Gibbs, Embree, Littlejohn and R. B. McLeod were named a committee to draft the by-laws of the association.

It was decided that up to the first 100 members the age limits would be 18 to 60, but after 100 join up the limit will be 50 years. The admission fee will be $6, which will include the first year's dues, and $2 per year thereafter, and a further $1 on the occasion of the death of any member of the Club.

All interested are reminded that a meeting to complete organization will be held to night, at 8 o'clock, in Speers' Hall, to complete organization and get the Club under way.

Canyon City

The following is part of the minutes of Saturday night's meeting of Canyon Local of the United Farmers. H. Young brought up the matter of a movement now on foot to establish a Government liquor store in Creston and would like to have it on record that the Canyon Local of the U.F. is unanimously opposed to it. Mrs. Knott stated that the Women's Institute had already passed a resolution to that effect, and that a Citizens Committee had been formed to watch for and oppose any movement of that kind. Moved by Mrs. Knott, seconded by Mr. Wood, that Canyon Local is absolutely and stremuously opposed to any effort being made to establish a liquor store in Creston Valley. Carried unanimously.

ATTENTION!

Conservatives!

Annual General Meeting of Creston Valley Conservative Association will be held in the

Mercantile Hall Creston

on

Mon., Jan. 30

at 8 p.m.

E. MALLANDAINE, President.

Kitchener

Fred Neilson and Ted Clauson of Yahk are visiting in Kitchener this week.

B. Johnson spent Tuesday in Cranbrook.

Mrs. McKay of Creston was a Kitchener visitor over the week end.

Miss E. Erickson was a visitor with Cranbrook friends last week.

J. Woodman of the Sash & Door Company has returned to Kitchener.

Mrs. Hunt was a Creston visitor a couple of days last week, the guest o Mrs. Henderson.

M. J. Boyd of Creston was a vfsitor here last week.

H. A. McKowan is a visitor at his home in Cranbrook this week.

Mr. Webb and family of Wynndel arrived here last week, and will make their home in Kitchener in future.

E. McGonegal and daughter, Hazel, were in Cranbrook for a few days last week.

A masquerade ball will be held in the dining room of Kitchener Timber Company, Saturday evening Feb. 4th.

Rev. J. A. James of Creston took Presbyterian service in the school house on Sunday, and a fine turnout of worshippers.

Erickson

W. G. Littlejohn was in Nelson a few days the early part of the week, on Ratepayers' Association business.

Dick Penson is now in charge of the delivery wagon of the Mountain View dairy.

In some of the larger orchard areas pruning operations have already commenced.

Erickson is expecting a considerable outside invasion on Tuesday next, when Mrs. G. Cartwright and Mrs. Maxwell are giving a silver tea at the home of the former.

Billy Long spent a few days with friends in Spokane this week.

J. B. Holder succeeds Geo. Cartwright as the Erickson director on the Creston fall fair for 1922. He was chosen at the annual meeting on Monday night.

At the next meeting of the United Farmers, on Tuesday night, Jan. 31, all wanting glass, powder, etc., are asked to bring a list of their requirements so an order can be placed at once.

While coasting on a hill at the rear of the house on Sunday, Beulah, the ten-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Penson, had the misfortune to have her right leg broken just above the ankle, due to a collision with an apple picking stand that had been left out in the orchard. Dr. Henderson was immediately summoned, and the patient is making a very satisfactory recovery.

Milt Beam and H. Brubacker, who are operating a line of cougar traps in the Arrow Creek section this winter, are having fair luck, bnt have lost at least three of them already, due to working with too light a build of trap.

The United Farmers have arranged for a whist party and dance at the J. M. Craigie packing shed on Friday night next, Feb. 3rd, with cards to start at 8 o'clock. All are welcome.

Band Whist

Quite the largest crowd that has ever been seen at an entertainment of the sort in Creston was in evidence on Wednesday night for the whist, concert and dance under the auspices of the band. There were twenty-five tables at cards along with a large group of spectators. Those who carried off the whist honors were Mrs. Verne and Mrs. R. J. Long, while the gentlemen high scorers were Canute Anderson and R. J. Long, and the booby winner was J. T. Hales. After cards there was a short but much appreciated concert programme toward which Capt. Crompton and Jas. Jory contributed vocal selections, Mr. Walter a mandolin solo, Piper Ross, a couple of selections on the bagpipes; Jas. Finlay of Lister, cornet solo; with the band supplying the initial number—a Scocth medley that was well received. The supper was provided and served by a committee from the Women's Institute, and after it had been disposed of there were a couple of hours dancing to music by Mrs. Foreman and Messrs. Al. Lidgate and Hendy. The gross proceeds were a little over $100, and after paying expenses this will be utilized in the purchase of some new band instruments.

Wynndel

The home of John Bathie was the scence of a large and joyful surprise party on Monday night, when some thirty unexpected guests took possession of the home. Cards games and dancing were the order of the evening, with a dainty lunch at midnight and then dancing until almost 2 a.m.

The United Farmers are having a dance in the Club House on Saturday night, January 28th, at 8 o'clock. Admission free, and the ladies please bring refreshments. All are invited.

C. Ogilvie is busy at present loading out three cars of ice, which are going to H. S. McCreath at Creston.

Dr. Henderson of Creston was here on a professional visit on Tuesday, making a call on several patients.

Ken. Dewar has two teams hauling lumber from the Bachman Camp, and storing it on their clearing next the school.

Wynndel of the United Farmers had their annual meeting on Wednesday night, a full report of which will appear next issue.

Lister

BIRTH—On Jan. 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Langston, a son.

Rev. G. Knox of Creston was here on Sunday for the usual Methodist Church service in the schoolhouse.

C. H. Phillips has just returned from a visit to Cranbrook.

A surplus of fresh eggs in the camp has brought the price down to 50 cents a dozen.

A. W. Brain, who is still confined to Cranbrook hospital, is considerably better and his case now resolves itself into one of a very long convalescence.

The G.W.V.A. held their January meeting in the schoolhouse on Saturday night, and possibly the foremost item of business was a discussion of ways and means to bring back the membership to its former high standard

Those who have applied to take the apple packing courses on Feb. 6th and 13th must notify if they require the following: 3 boxes of apples, $3.75; paper, $1; haulage, 35c. This $5.10 must be in the hands of the secretary by January 27th.

A representative of Pullan Mfg. Co., Ltd., mrnufacturers of Made-to-Order Ladies' Coats, Suits, Skirts, and Children Coats. We invite your inspection of these lines at our store on Wedneday, Feb. 1st. *S. A. SPEERS.*

Blacksmith Terms Cash

On and after the First day of February, 1922, our business will be run on a Strictly Cash basis. Our prices are lower than any place between Vancouver and Winnipeg, and in order to keep them as they are we must have the cash. Kindly bear this in mind, and help us out by not asking for Credit.

—Wm. MORROW
E. H. COPPEN

Alice Siding

Tom Anderson and Steve Vaness have the contract for the Alice Siding school fuel supply, and are now busy putting it up.

Miss Alice Carr is a Lister visitor this week, the guest of Mrs. (Col.) Fred Lister.

Tom Midford, who has been at Wenatchee, Wash., for some months past, returned last week, and is renewing old acquaintances here.

Alice Siding Social Club held its fortnightly meeting on Friday in the house of Mr. Wood's property. There were songs by Gladys and Hector Stewart, S. Vaness, Miss V. Marshall and J. W. Vaness, along with a reading by R. Stewart. These were interspersed with the dancing and certainly rounded out a most enjoyable evening.

Elroy Jackson is busy putting up wood for Victor Carr, while Fred Ash has his power outfit cutting up the season's fuel supply for R. Stewart and W. T. Simister.

There was a dance in the packing shed on the Compton ranch on Friday night, and despite the counter attraction at the Social Club there was quite a good attendance.

Pruning has started in this section, operations on the Compton ranch being about the first.

Women's Institute

At the January meeting of the Women's Institute on Friday a resolution protesting against the opening of a liquor store in Creston was unanimously passed. The Institute has decided to buy a plot of land on which to build a small hall at some future time, where their meetings will be held. The energies of the Institute for the next year or two will be devoted to raising funds for that purpose. The new public health nurse, Mrs. Lucas, was introduced, and said a few words in explanation of her work and plans for a health centre. She appealed to everyone for their help and sympathy, and was weleomed with enthusiasm. Mrs. Lyne read a very interesting paper on "National Holidays," giving a great deal of information on the subject of their origin and the reason for their observance.

COLLIE PUPS FOR SALE—Just four of them, purebred, $2 each while they last. S. Moon, Wynndel.

Tom Midford, who has been making his home at Wenatchee since early last spring, is renewing acquaintances in Creston at present.

At the annual meeting of the Agricultural Association on Monday night W. V. Jackson was unanimously re-elected president, with Geo. Johnson equally unanimously chosen as vice-president, and R. Walmsley's the only name put forward for secretary.

The two touches of seven below zero on Wednesday and Thursday mornings last are the coldest experienced so far this winter. Last week's cold dip seems to have extended well down the Pacific, reports from California reporting a frost damage that will account for the loss of half the season's orange and lemon crops.

Fall Fair Officers Chosen for 1922

The largest and most representative attendance seen at an annual meeting was in evidence on Monday night at the yearly conclave of the members of Creston Valley Agricultural Association, whose deliberations were presided over by President W. V. Jackson.

After the minutes of the previous meeting had been declared approved as read, the financial statement for the past year was presented by Secretary Walmsley. Including a balance of $26 carried forward from last year, the fall fair had a gross intake of $1205. Of this $140 was the usual government grant; $97 from sale of membership tickets; $463 from cash donations; $105 came in as special prize money; and the admissions paid totalled $340. Some of the items of expenditure were $374 paid in prize money; $350 on improvements to building and a substantial payment to reduce the debt on the main hall; $150 in interest on the purchase price of the fair grounds, and $89 spent on athletic sports and baseball on fair day, with a balance in the bank of $1.06. All last year's operating expenses were fully met out of revenue, and the only debt against the association is a matter of $245 still owing on the main building.

In a field of 22 candidates the following were elected as 1922 officers for the fair:

President—W. V. Jackson.
Vice-President—Geo. Johnson.
Secy.-Treas.—R. Walmsley.
Directors—E. L. Langston, Lister; E. VanAckeran, Canyon City; J. B. Holder, Erickson; Konrad Wigen, Wynndel; C.W.Allan, C. G. Bennett; R. S. Bevan, C. F. Hayes and Mrs. Jas. Maxwell.

The matter of striking the standing committees for this year's fair was left in the hands of the president and vice-president, while Mesdames Maxwell and Hayden and Messrs. Hayes, Johnson and Bevan were named a committee to put on a box social and dance, or other entertainment, to pay off the debt remaining on the hall.

The request of the Boy Scouts for the use of the building was granted for the months of February and March, with assurance of an extension if the building is not otherwise required, provided satisfactory guarantee is given that the Scouts will make good any damage that may be done to the building during their tenure of occupancy.

Before adjourning very hearty votes of thanks were passed to the Women's Institute and the retiring directors for the able assistance rendered the association last year.

Erickson property owners are well represented in the 60 who are appealing against their 1922 assessment, and there will be a big turnout from here at the court of revision on Wednesday at Creston.

NOTICE!

Ladies' Shoes, half-soled 75c.

Men's Shoes, half-soled $1.00

Boys' Shoes, half-soled 50c. to 75c.

Rubber Heels, all sizes attached, 40c.

Menls Shoes going at wholesale prices

And a reduction in price on all Harness Repairs

JOHN JOY
Creston Shoe & Harness Repairer
Shop: North of Grand Theatre

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A MOST STRENGTHENING BEVERAGE

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27 Years the Same Good Tea--and Always in the Sealed Package

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Canada's Needs

No. 4—A Greater Use of Canadian Raw-Materials

Men of all shades of political thought, and all students of economics, are agreed that the interests of Canada call for a reduction in imports of articles which the Canadian people can produce for themselves, and an increase in the export of those products and articles of which this Dominion can easily and profitably produce a surplus, in order that, through a combination of these two developments, a pronounced improvement may be brought about in the balance of trade in favor of the Dominion. It is when we come to consideration of ways and means whereby such a desirable and necessary change is to be effected that opinions sharply differ.

One school of political thought declares that the only effective means to lessen imports and increase home production is through a protective tariff—that is, a tariff sufficiently high to either shut out foreign competition or at least to enable the Canadian grown or manufactured article to undersell foreign goods of a like kind.

The opposing school of thought contends that the inevitable result of such a tariff is to so enhance prices as to place a handicap on articles needed in the development of the country, and that thereby production at home is lessened, and, while import trade may be curtailed, production for export is likewise lowered and the buying power of the whole country reduced, and prices so enhanced that people are forced to go without many things which otherwise they would be able to purchase, and that this decreased buying power results in depression of trade and consequent unemployment.

The writer has no intention of taking any part in this political controversy. Whatever the effect of the tariff may be one way or the other, the writer inclines to the view that the real difficulty and economic weakness of the Canadian position at present is to be found in another direction.

The commercial strength of Germany before the war was found in the energy displayed by Government and people in developing the natural resources of the country for use at home and abroad. The same thing is true of the United States. Neither of these countries imported to any extent anything they could produce at home. It will be said that both these countries had protective tariffs and it may be argued that such tariffs were responsible for bringing about the result noted. But were they so responsible?

Canada has had a protective tariff for many years, yet this country has failed to develop many of its natural resources of raw material to anything like their full extent, and has gone on importing supplies which could have been secured at home. For example, Western Canada has some of the largest coal deposits in the world, yet for years millions of dollars worth of coal have been hauled by rail and water from Pennsylvania for use in this country. While Western Canada was doing this, Germany, as a result of scientific research work, was using greatly inferior coal to the Western Canada article in the great German factories and as fuel for its people. Ontario lacks coal and has for decades followed the line of least resistance and imported millions of tons annually from Pennsylvania whereas much of Ontario's and Quebec's industrial fuel requirements might have been obtained in Nova Scotia brought by water transportation up the St. Lawrence. But it was easier to continue to get supplies from Pennsylvania than to engage in the national work of developing an inter-Provincial trade in coal from the Maritime Provinces via the St. Lawrence route.

Canada possesses enormously rich deposits in iron, copper and other minerals, but they lack development, and we continue to import huge quantities of iron ore from the United States. Why? It is stated that one reason is that United States capitalists have secured control of the Canadian deposits and refuse to develop them so long as they can obtain sufficient quantities from their own mines; that, in a word, they are holding their Canadian properties in reserve against the day when their United States mines become exhausted and that then, and not until then, will they develop their Canadian held properties. If this is so, and there appears to be evidence to support this charge, then it is high time the Canadian Government took steps to put an end to such an outrage by compelling the development and operation of these Canadian mineral properties with a penalty of forfeiture if such development is not proceeded with within a reasonable time.

Many Canadian manufacturers continue to import raw, or semi-manufactured supplies to be worked up into a more finished product when, by the expenditure of some money and the display of a little more initiative and enterprise, such supplies could be obtained within Canada, thereby lessening our import trade and providing a very considerable volume of employment within Canada, and making possible a large increase in the value of Canada's export trade.

There are many things Canada cannot produce and must, therefore, import, but there are many supplies now imported which could just as well be obtained at home, and it is the duty of the Government to direct its energies and frame its fiscal policy along lines which will promote such development within Canada.

Constipation Vanishes Forever

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS never fail. Purely vegetable—act surely but gently on the liver.

Stop after-dinner distress—correct indigestion; improve the complexion—brighten the eyes.

Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price

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Great Strength of Bones

Human bones have a wonderful power of resistance. It has been proved that they will bear a pressure three times greater than oak and almost as much as wrought iron before being crushed.

Corns disappear when treated with Holloway's Corn Remover without leaving a sear.

His Breath

He—I can hold my breath two minutes.

She—You don't say. And it's pretty strong tonight, too!—Wayside Tales.

Minard's Liniment for Distemper

Farming Not a Dull Occupation

Men Who Like Work Find It Very Interesting

To be a good farmer, one must like farming. He must be interested in the things he works with, and in the problems he meets. He works with soil, with machinery, with seed, with growing crops and with animals. He works also with markets. The problems he meets arise from the weather and its effects on soil, seed and crops; from weeds and plants and animal diseases; from the wearing of machinery; from fluctuating prices and from men who, not willing to work themselves, spend their time in working others, and in trying to reap the rewards of other men's labor. All these interests and problems may be merely perplexing and baffling and defeating, but many farmers are winning financial success out of these conditions and are finding them anything but dull.

EVERY WOMAN IN POOR HEALTH

Has an awful struggle. Lots to do, all kinds of worry, poor appetite, headaches, weakness. Her one desire is for more strength and better health. What sickly worn out women need is a cleansing, blood purifying remedy like Dr. Hamilton's Pills. This wonderful medicine clears out the wastes from the system, regulates the bowels, helps the blood. To look your best, to feel fit and fine all day, to be free from lassitude and headache, use Dr. Hamilton's Pills regularly 25c at all dealers or The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Prince Shoots His First Tiger

The Prince of Wales shot his first tiger while on a hunt in Nepal Terai. The animal measured nine feet six inches from nose to end of tail.

A GOOD APPETITE GREATLY DESIRED

The Occasional Use of a Tonic Ensures a Good Appetite and Good Health

Loss of appetite is a common trouble, and indicates that the digestive system is out of order. Lacking a healthy appetite many people go too long without food or eat sparingly because food seems to distress them, and it is no wonder they complain of being constantly tired and unable to stand any strain. All this simply means that the digestive system is not doing its proper work and that the nutriment that should come from the food is not being distributed to the various organs of the body. In other words, the blood is growing thin and watery. In such cases what is needed is a tonic and among all medicines there is no tonic can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Take a short treatment with these pills and note how promptly your appetite returns and your power to digest food improves. The value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of this kind is shown by the experience of Mrs. William Bennett, Cleland Corners, N.S., who says: "For a long time I suffered severely from indigestion I could hardly eat, and anything I did eat disagreed with me. The result was I became badly run down. I suffered greatly from headaches, and often passed sleepless nights. I had taken a great deal of doctor's medicine with very little benefit, and having read much about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I decided to try them. The result has met my best expectations. My digestion is now as good as ever; I sleep well at night, and have gained in flesh, and now when anyone in our family is ill this is the only medicine to take."

The best time to begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the moment you feel the least bit out of sorts. The sooner you do so the sooner you will regain your old time energy. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Living in Austria is now 98 times as costly as in 1914.

Peevish, restless and sickly children owe their condition to worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will relieve them and restore health.

Red and blue are the best colors for scaring birds.

ERC GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS

UNION BANK OF CANADA

HAS AN EXCEPTIONALLY STRONG STATEMENT

Bank's Position is Well Maintained, the Liquid Assets being 53.70 per cent. of Total Liabilities to the Public — Resources Aggregate $152,625,386

THE balance sheet of the Union Bank of Canada, for the fiscal year ended November 30th, 1921, which was returned to the shareholders at the 57th annual meeting, held at the Bank's head office in the city of Winnipeg, on Monday, January 9th, discloses this well-known banking institution to be in a very strong and liquid position. The meeting was largely attended by representative shareholders. W. R. Allan, Vice-President, presided. H. B. Shaw, General Manager, presented the Bank's annual statement.

Following the shareholders' meeting, the Board of Directors elected W. R. Allan, President, John Gait, former president, retiring because of his removal from Winnipeg to Victoria, B.C. Mr. Galt remains a director of the Bank. H. B. Shaw was elected Vice-President, and will continue as General Manager.

The Bank's assets total $152,625,386. The readily available portion of these assets represents 53.70 per cent. of the Bank's total liabilities to the public, thus demonstrating that the liquid position of the Bank has been strongly maintained.

MR. H. B. SHAW

Newly elected Vice-President and General Manager of the Union Bank of Canada who presented at the recent annual meeting an exceptionally strong statement.

A very strong feature of the statement is the carrying forward of $541,686 into next year's profit account, this being $400,000 greater than the previous year, and the largest amount in the Bank's history.

That the Bank has continued to do its full share for the commercial interests of Canada is shown by the fact that the total of these loans at the end of the year was $62,010,007.

Grain loans total $7,295,483. Loans to Governments and Municipalities are $7,420,529.

Deposits totalling $116,723,755 are reported.

Net profits for the year amounted to $1,342,389, which is about $300,000 less than the previous year.

Complimentary copy of our Year Book, giving statistics of the progress of Canada may be obtained from any of our branch managers

UNION BANK OF CANADA

Drop In Montreal Customs Receipts

Customs and excise receipts collected at the port of Montreal during the past year amounted to $80,271,570. This was a decline of $16,596,588 due to a general diminution in the volume of imports, the abolition of the customs luxury tax, and the declining value of the goods brought into the country.

Mother, Quick! Give California Fig Syrup For Child's Bowels

Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little tongue is coated, or if your child is listless, cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, a teaspoonful will never fail to open the bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste from the tender, little bowels and gives you a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

The Man With Asthma almost longs for death to end his suffering. He sees ahead only years of endless torment with intervals of rest which are themselves fraught with never ceasing fear of renewed attacks. Let him turn to Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy and know what complete relief it can give. Let him but use it faithfully and he will find his asthma greatly benefited.

League Used Thousands of Baseballs

Thirty-three thousand, one hundred and ninety-two baseballs were used in the National League last season, President Heydler reported at the annual league meeting.

Many of the spheres were used, of course, in practice, but figured on a basis of 154 scheduled contests, the circuit clubs used something around 215 balls each day of the season.

For Sprains and Bruises.—There is nothing better for sprains and contusions than Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It will reduce the swelling that follows a sprain, will cool the inflamed flesh and draw the pain. It will take the ache out of a bruise and prevent the flesh from discoloring.

Where Father Shone

Father.—"I never smoked when I was your age. Will you be able to tell that to your son when you are my age?"

Son.—"Not with as straight a face as you do, father."—Exchange.

Minard's Liniment for Colds, Etc.

Big Game Season Disappointing

On the whole the big game season in Saskatchewan has been rather disappointing, only a few hundred moose being killed in comparison with twelve hundred last season, according to the chief game guardian.

Dyed Her Stockings And Skirt to Match

Every "Diamond Dyes" package tells how to dye or tint any worn, faded garment or drapery a new rich color that will not streak, spot, fade or run. Perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with Diamond Dyes even if you have never dyed before. Just tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. For fifty-one years millions of women have been using "Diamond Dyes," to add years of wear to their old, shabby waists, skirts, dresses, coats, sweaters, stockings, draperies, hangings, everything!

Acclaimed as the handsomest man in France, H. Hoffman, of Paris, weighs 210 pounds and has a waist measurement of 66 inches.

RHEUMATISM ?

If you are a Sufferer, Heed This Advice

Collinwood, Ont.—"It is with pleasure that I write this note of commendation. I suffered with muscular rheumatism for three years and have been completely cured of same by taking a few packages of Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery after doctors' medicines failed to do any good. I am now free from all signs of rheumatism for which I most heartily thank Dr. Pierce and his wonderful medicines." Mrs. Kerwood Cook, Box 464.

Send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont., for trial pkg. of any of Dr. Pierce's remedies and write for free confidential medical advice.

HAVE YOU A COUGH?

This is of Vital Interest to You

Woodstock, Ont.,—"My husband always speaks a good word for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and we both feel that he owes his present good health to this splendid medicine. Bronchial pneumonia, as a child, left him with chronic bronchial trouble and it just kept getting worse every year even though he doctored and tried every remedy recommended to him. Some nights he would cough so hard I used to be afraid he might die before morning. Last fall his mother advised him to try the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and from the first few doses he improved. It is just a year now and he seems to be entirely cured of all bronchial ailments." Mrs. S. M. Greer, 27 Sydenham St.

Get the Discovery to-day at any medicine dealers, tablets or liquid.

Farmers Decide That Export Meat Business Is Not Profitable

Calgary.—Expressing an opinion that the establishment of any scheme for wheat marketing would be unlikely to secure for the farmers enough money to make it a problem for serious consideration J. B. Musselman, secretary of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association, speaking as a fraternal delegate to the United Farmers of Alberta convention, stated that the farmers must go through a period of suffering during the time in which there was being brought about a re-establishment of a reasonable parity between the prices at which the farmers have to buy and what they have to sell. Such a time of distress, he thought, was impossible to avoid, and it must be borne by all, farmers, labormen and business men alike.

United Farmers of Alberta at this time will not go into the co-operative meat export business. After a long discussion, the 1,043 delegates decided to table indefinitely a report from a special committee which recommended that the association go into the business of shipping chilled beef to British markets on a co-operative plan.

F. M. Black, treasurer of the United Grain Growers, Limited, who spoke by invitation, was not optimistic over the possibility of developing a chilled beef export business from Alberta points. Mr. Black predicted the removal of the British embargo on Canadian cattle within about six weeks, as the result of the settlement of the Irish question.

The report of the committee advised that action should be taken immediately to start marketing Alberta beef by the chilled meat system, through the medium of a co-operative company.

Hon. George Hoadley, provincial minister of agriculture, had written that the Government was convinced that the weight of evidence went to show that shipping of chilled Alberta beef to the British market would not be a profitable enterprise.

It pays to patronize home industry. Buy from the merchants in your own town.

Specify

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"Imperial" Stereotype
"Imperial" Intertype
"Imperial" Monotype

From the very start "Imperial" Type metals found favor with the leading newspapers of that time. That was because we recognized the peculiar quality of metal necessary and experimented until our results satisfied us. That it satisfied others—is satisfying others—is eloquently proven by the fact that 90 per cent. of the Printing Establishments in Canada are consistent and regular users.

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Six Million For Salmon

Britain and France Take Bulk of B.C. Pack

Victoria, B.C.—In British Columbia 603,548 cases of salmon were packed in 1921, and 6,000,000 was realized. There remains to be sold 120,000 cases of "pinks." France absorbed a large proportion of the 192,906 cases of pinks, and Great Britain took more than half of the sockeye pack of 163,914 cases, leaving about 75,000 cases for Canadian consumption.

COULDN'T DO HOUSEWORK, HEART WAS SO BAD

Many women get weak and run down and unable to look after their household duties owing to the heart action becoming impaired or the nervous system unstrung.

Nature intended women to be strong, healthy and happy instead of sick and wretched. But how can a woman be strong and healthy when day in and day out she has to go through the same routine of work, sweeping, dusting, cooking, washing, etc. Is it any wonder that the heart becomes affected and she gets irritable and nervous, has hot flushes, faint and dizzy spells, smothering and sinking spells and can't sleep at night.

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Working Full Time

Brantford, Ont.—The Massey-Harris Company announced that the 600 employees now on their pay roll would be placed on full time. The hope was expressed that this longer time would prevail for some weeks.

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WESTERN EDITORS

Russell Hogg, Publisher of the News, Oak Lake, Man.

Police Wound Man Who Resisted Arrest

Belgian Charged With Obtaining Money Under False Pretences

Vancouver.—George Darrison, a Belgian, is in hospital suffering from bullet wounds in the thigh inflicted by police of South Vancouver when he resisted arrest on a charge of obtaining money under false pretences. Darrison is alleged to have advertised for workers for a paper mill which was to be started at Coquitlam, B.C., with Belgian capital. He is said to have collected a deposit from prospective employees on account of board and lodging to be arranged for.

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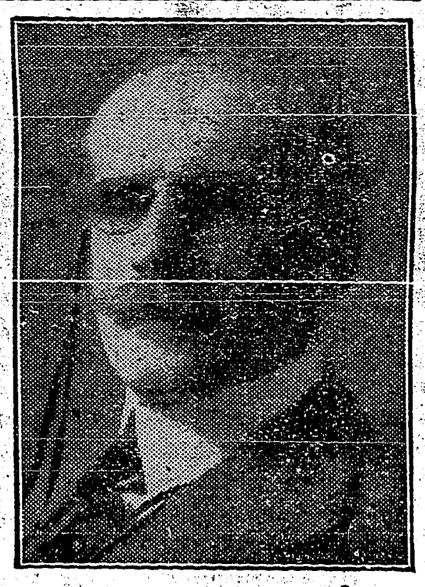

W. R. ALLAN,
Elected President of the Union Bank of Canada, to succeed John Galt, who retires from the presidency because of his removal from Winnipeg to make his home in Victoria, B.C. Mr. Galt remains a member of the Board of Directors.

Union Bank of Canada Aids Agriculture

Annual Report of Union Bank of Canada Shows This Institution Continues to Give Valuable Assistance to Farmers

The 1921 report of the Union Bank of Canada now available to the public could not have appeared at a more opportune time.

The outstanding impression that is gained from examination of the Bank's statement is that the Bank has been particularly active in providing for the needs of its farmer clients. Current loans and discounts in Canada total over $62,000,000 and demand loans in Canada secured by grain amount to $7,295,483. These and other figures in the statement prove that the Bank is helping to finance the agricultural industry of the Dominion in substantial measure.

Dealing with the report as a whole, it is very re-assuring to note that the Union Bank has been able to maintain a strong cash position. Total assets exceed $152,000,000, and include gold and silver coin and Dominion Government notes amounting to $14,229,729, Dominion and Provincial Government securities $15,946,501, Canadian Municipal securities and other public securities totalling $9,618,253, current loans and discounts in Canada $62,010,007, and loans to governments and municipalities $7,420,529.

The officials of the Bank deserve commendation for placing before the public such a strong balance sheet, particularly in view of the fact that such a statement will serve as a stabilizing medium at this time.

W. N. U. 1404

Cabinet Differences Add To Worry Of The British Premier

London.—The London Times says that the cabinet differences were so acute at the last weekend that there was a possibility that Premier Lloyd George would withdraw from the government and hand the reins over to Austen Chamberlain, who, heading a united Unionist party, would have a working majority of about 100 in the House of Commons, from which the Sinn Fein members still remained absent.

The Times adds that this possibility may now be said to have disappeared; that Mr. Lloyd George was reluctant to leave office before completing the act of parliament involved in the Irish treaty and was also keenly desirous of realizing fully the possibilities of the Genoa conference.

The postponement of the re-opening of the British Parliament from January 31 until February 7, was said by the party whips to be due to the fact that parliament usually meets during the second week of February and that there was much financial "spade work" to be done before it can re-assemble.

In political circles, it was said the report of the economy committee headed by Austin Chamberlain and Sir Eric Geddes, was not yet ready and would not be available yet for at least a fortnight. The government wishes to digest the report thoroughly, it was said, before parliament meets.

The Evening Standard says it understands one of the main reasons for postponement is on account of problems in connection with drafting necessary legislation to put the Irish treaty into effect.

May Soon Take Seats

Belfast.—As a consequence of developments in connection with the establishments of the Irish Free State, the Irish Nationalists will soon take their seats in the Northern Parliament which they have boycotted since its establishment, the Belfast Telegraph says it has learned on good authority.

Wants to Sell Menagerie

Sofia.—King Boris of Bulgaria is the modern "man with an elephant on his hands" and he wants to sell part of his private menagerie. Particularly, he would like to dispose of two elephants and several fine buffalos which are now in the grounds of the summer palace near Sofia.

Girl Bank Messenger Robbed

Toronto.—Miss Margaret Redpath, a clerk in the employment of the Penny Bank, was held up and robbed of $1,500. This is the first time that a girl bank messenger has been waylaid in the city.

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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

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Cash Valuations

At the organization meeting of the Ratepayers Association emphasis was placed on the fact that the sound basis for any assessment is cash value of the property in question; Mr. Ebbutt, who enunciated this theory, explaining at some length that the method of determining cash values would be to assume that a property would be taxable at the price one man would take a property as payment for a debt that could not be settled in real money.

This logic, while quite excellent for the purpose of scaling down assessments, would hardly be as popular were it made the law of the land and actually applied in cases of arbitration where land might be taken for roads and railroad right of way purposes, to say nothing at all of its use in the law courts where a purchaser might plead overcharge in the case of land purchases.

Under these latter circumstances we fancy the popular and reasonable demand would be for a valuation somewhere in the neighborhood of the lowest sum a vendor would take in spot cash for any place he might wish to sell.

While some might be willing on very special occasions to preach the cash value doctrine aslaid down by Mr. Ebbutt; in the great majority of cases we fancy the most popular interpretation would be the owner's cash deal figure.

But no matter which view you incline to let's take a look at a recent well-known sale of Valley property and see whether in his latest assessment Mr. Ferguson has strayed very far from even Mr Ebbutt's theory.

Some time last summer Alex. Duperry parted company with 26 acres of Erickson property at aspot cash price of $17,000, Mr. Celli being the buyer. On the 1922 assessment roll Mr. Celli is paying taxes on just exactly $7,500.

And it is quite safe to say that this assessment is a fair sample of the taxation all through the Valley when the acreage planted to orchard and the age of the trees are taken into consideration.

Assuming these figures fairly represent the work Mr. Ferguson has done all over the Valley even Mr. Ebbutt can hardly complain about his favorite cash value theory being disregarded, while those who hold to it that a cash value is something in the neighborhood of the cash price the seller asks, surely cannot complain about Mr. Ferguson being unjust to them.

And assuming, further, that most of the other valuations are some what on a par with the one we have cited (and on the selling price of which Mr. Ferguson must have had full information) it must be at once apparent that any effort to raise assessments would disadvantageously affect the great mafority of owners in the Valley.

As to what constitutes a fair price for an aged apple tree it may be illuminating to some to know that when the Sirdar-Kuskanook road was built and some orchard land had to be expropriated on the Pascuzzo ranch to provide the right of way at that particular point, in addition to paying roundly for the land taken, horticultural experts held that $17 per tree was a reasonable charge for the trees that Mr. Pascuzzo was forced to lose—and which price the government paid. Were the assessor to levy on the 100,000 apple trees in the Valley at even half the price paid Mr. Pascuzzo local ranchers would certainly have good reason to complain of the new tax buaden.

Placing Some of the Blame

While the "Taxpayer" letter in our last issue may fairly be said to have gained the major share of the attention paid the assessment question, the author of "The Plight of the Creston Taxpayer" article which appeared in the Review of January 13th, has also been accorded quite a full measure of criticism—favorable and otherwise according, possibly, to the political leanings of his critics.

One correspondent, signing himself "Fair Play," is curious to know why all the blame for the new situation is laid at the door of the Oliver administration, and no questions asked as to what Col. Fred Lister, M.P.P. for this riding, was doing when the so-called iniquitous legislation was being put through.

Both Premier Oliver and Hon. John Hart, minister of finance, represent the city of Victoria in the legislature, and their constituents are immune from provincial taxation, hence "Fair Play" cannot see the justice of lambasting Mr. Oliver while the local member, half of whose constitueney is liable for the higher taxation, goes unscathed.

In addition to this "Fair Play" is quite curious to know how it comes about that in the selection of officers and executive not a Liberal is chosen to serve in any capacity on the Ratepayers' Association—and this despite the fact that the chairman pro tem stressed the point that the association should be non political as well as non sectarian.

Whether, in the selection of officers there was any organized effort to sidetrack Liberals is quite immaterial, but there is much point to "Fair Play's" demand that the Kaslo member should take his full share of blame for the seemingly unsatisfactory assessment law that has been enacted, unless he can demonstrate that when the legislation was before the house that he protested in his usual vigorous fashion against its becoming law.

Opposition members may in all fairness gain all the votes possible on the strength of the government's enactment of unpopular legislation if merely passive resistance were offered when such legislation was before the house, but unless the local representative can show that he seriously objected to the putting on the statute book of these amendments to the taxation act then he—at least in equal measure with the party in power—must take his share of the blame for bringing about the present unsatisfactory state of affairs. In the premises surely one has been just as negligent as the other.

$150,000 in Four Years

From one intimately acquainted with the matter the Review is informed that not only for the past two years, but for at least four years past, the Creston Valley area has been receiving in the way of public works an average expenditure of almost $40,000 per year. Over this period there has been expended a grand total of over $150,000, and of this approximately $107,000 has gone into roads, $34,000 into bridges, and almost $9,000 into ferries.

As indicating the value the district has gotten for the rates it has paid it will be enlightening to know that up till this year the assessment of the district has been little more than $1,000,000, which at 1 per cent. would give only a tota tax payment of $10,000 per annum—just about one fourth of what has been expended on much appreciated public works, generally speaking.

Aside altogether from the present assessment controversy that is raging these figures are worthy of the consideration of those in these parts who are clamoring for the strictest economy. So long as Creston Valley is willing to participate in public expenditures in the advantageous ratio of four to one as a community we can not consistently clamor for less generous treatment to other sections of the province.

Domestic Pack

One morning last week by actual count no less than twenty-three dogs of one sort and other were noted disporting themselves in close proximity to the postoffice corner Just how many more of the canine tribe were enjoying life and liberty at other centres it would be hard to say, but a round total of 200 would seem to be well within the actual figures. At even a moderate $2 per head license fee the authorities are passing up quite a respectable bit of revenue. And talking about enlarging the provincial incomes how would it be for those who so readily talk about the prevalence of bootlegging providing the assessor with the names of the illegal booze vendors so that they can be levied upon for income tax by both the B.C. and Dominion authorities.

When it comes to getting quick results in community advertising the publicity committee of the Board of Trade believe they have established a record. In the Lethbridge Daily Herald of Friday appeared an article similar to the one in last week's Review showing the details of the 1921 export trade, and on Saturday's mail the board of trade president received the following letter:

113 Tenth St. S.
Lethbridge, Alta.
Jan. 20, 1922.

President Board of Trade,
Creston, B.C.

Dear Sir,

Having seen in the Lethbridge Herald such an account of Creston I would ask you whether it would be possible to purchase about two acres in that district.

If you could furnish me with any particulars concerning prices and other items of interest I should be obliged.

Yours truly,
Wm. BATES.

This is a fair sample of the useful service the board of trade renders the community in many ways. If you are desirous of having the Valley speedily and intelligently developed the most effective way to give exercise to this commendable energy is to join up with the board.

FOR SALE—White enamel 3-foot single bed, mattress, springs, $12.50; also Western Queen cook stove, wood or coal, $15. Rev. H. Varley, Creston.

Nelson Assessment District

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision and Appeal under the provisions of the "Taxation Act" and Amendments thereof, and under the "Public Schools Act," respecting the Assessment Roll for year 1922 for the Nelson Assessment District, will be held at toe Court House, Nelson, B.C., on Tuesday, the 31st day of January, 1922, at the hour of ten a.m.; and at the Police Police Buildings, Creston, un Wednesday, the 1st day of February, 1922, at 2 o'clock p.m.

JAMES O'SHEA
Judge of Court of Revision and Appeal
Nelson Assessment District.

CATTLE ESTRAY

Came to the premises of the under signed at Camp Lister: Two mulley cows; one red, with 6 brand, and the other light roan. Owner can have same on paying all expenses. C. FRAMPTON, Camp Lister, B.C.

HEIFER ASTRAY

Came to the premises of the under-signed about November 1, 1921, roan heifer 1 year old, no brands visible, horns turn backward and downward. Owner can have same on paying all expenses. PAUL HAGEN, Wynndel.

To Our .... Customers ....

Creston Meat Market will be closed for a time.

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Long Cloth, pure finish, 36 in., at 30c.

Crompton's a la Grace Corsets
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Child's, Misses and Women's Shoes
Mahogany, Brown and Gunmetal leather, high tops. Childs', sizes 4 to 7½, $2.65. Misses, 11 to 2½, $4.35. Women's, 3 to 7, $5.25

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APPLICATIONR FOR GRAZING PERMITS UNDER THE GRAZING ACT, 1919

Applications for permits to graze livestock on the Crown Range within each Grazing District of the Province of British Columbia during the grazing season of 1922 must be filed with the District Forester at Williams Lake, Cranbrook, Prince George, Kamloops, Nelson, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, Vernon, or with the Commissioner of Grazing, Department of Lands, at Victoria, B.C., on or before March 31, 1922.

Blank forms upon which to submit applications may be obtained from the District Foresters at the above named places or from the Department of Lands, Victoria.

The grazing of livestock on the Crown Range without permit constitutes trespass, prohibited by law.

G. R. NADEN,
Deputy Minister of Lands.

Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C.
January 9, 1922.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

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

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

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

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

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1919.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

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

GRAZING.

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

Christ Church Annual Meeting

The largest and most enthusiastic annual meeting in the history of Christ Church congregation was the gathering on Wednesday night last, which was preceded by a supper served by the Ladies' Guild in the Parish Hall, and favored with an attendance of some seventy members and adherents, Rev. H. Varley presiding throughout.

The treasurer, C. G. Bennett, submitted the financial statement that showed all the year's accounts met, and a balance of $110 to the good. Mrs. F. H. Jackson presented the yearly statement of the Ladies' Guild, which showed a cash intake of almost $600, with quite a fine credit balance, which is being conserved for the paying of the instalment of principal and interest on the loan secured for the erection of the rectory, which will shortly be ready for occupation. During the year, too, the ladies have cleared the Parish Hall of debt, and have connected the hall up with the town water system.

The Sunday School report was most encouraging. With the advent of a resident rector the school had taken on a new lease of life, both in the way of increased attendance and revenues. The following officers were chosen for the ensuing year;

People's Warden—W. McAlpine, sr.
Rector's Warden—J. W. Hamilton.
Treasurer—C. G. Bennett.
Auditor—W. S. Watson.
Hall Supt.—H. Venus.
Synod Delegates—Jas. Cook, Chas. Moore, A. R. Palfreyman.
Sidesmen—A. B. Norris, A. R. Palfreyman, W. Bush, Major Mallandaine, Major Garland, A. A. J. Collis, C. G. Bennett, P. H. Watson.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. McAlpine, people's warden, for his splendid effort during the year, and in like manner Mr. Collis as organist, the Ladies' Guild and Sunday School teaching staff were enthusiastically remembered. After the business had all been disposed of there was a couple of hours' dancing before the gathering broke up.

Successful Year For Presbyterians

With the able assistance of the members of the Ladies' Aid, who provided a supper as well as getting together quite an attractive concert programme, the annual congregational meeting of St. Stephen's Church attracted by far the largest attendance ever recorded at any previous yearly session. In fact the crowd was so large that although all the available space in the Parish Hall was occupied it was necessary to set a second table in order to adequately refresh the inner man of the large attendance. The business meeting was presided over by J. F. Rose, with W. S. McAlpine officiating as secretary.

The financial statement submitted showed contributions from all sources of $1736. Of this amount $482 had been utilized to pay off the last instalment of debt on the church which, along with the manse, is now entirely unencumbered. During the year, too, there had been quite considerable expense incurred in putting in a new gasoline lighting system.

The report of the Session—the first time in the church's history that such a report has been presented—showed that there had been seven meetings of the elders during the year. There had been three sacrament services at which there had been an average attendance of 27 communicants 11 new names were inscribed on the membership roll—7 on profession of faith and 4 by certificate.

The report of the Ladies' Aid showed a cash intake of about $600, ahd out of this income a very substantial grant had been made to enable the managers to pay off the last of the church debt. $5 had also been contributed to the stipend of the district public health nurse. For this year the report states the endeavors of the ladies would be to beautify the interior and exterior appearance of both church and manse. The Aid has a total membership of 20, six recruits being added during the year. Ten regular meetings were held, with an average attendance of 12 members.

The financial side of the Sunday School statement indicated that collections totalled $180 for the year—about the same intake as for the year previous—but this does not take account of a special offering of $9, which was turned over to the Chinese famine fund. The school has nine classes and the average attendance has been 60, with the biggest showing 85 on one Sunday in March.

The report of the Mission Band dealt exclusively with finance, the intake being $133 for the year, and of this $75 went to the Chinese Famine Fund.

Canyon City

According to the mercury at the mill Canyon City was favored with a couple of ten below zero touches on Wednesday and Thursday morning last.

Leslie McInnes, who has been at home for about ten days recovering from the effects of an axe gash in his foot, returned to work at the pole cutting contract on Monday.

Frank and Alf. Palmer and Frank Putnam of Erickson are here this week putting up a season's supply of fuel on the Alf. Palmer place, with Dad Browell's power sawing outfit doing the manufacturing.

Sam Scott is another native of Erickson who is here at present. He is clearing a site on his newly-acquired twenty acres and will erect a house thereon in the spring.

During the gale that prevailed the fore part of last week the new barn on the Otto Johnson ranch on Calgary Heights had a close call from being wrecked. The wind shifted it a matter of three feet and had it not been that it lodged up against a neighboring building it would have been bowled over completely. With the aid of a team and stump puller it has been restored to its old foundations. The barn on the R. Hurl ranch was also rather badly shifted in the same hurricane.

The Methodists are having a concert here on Feb. 9th, the proceeds from which will be applied on the purchase of the lot the church now occupies, and which has been acquired from the Land Settlement Board.

The Social Committee of the United Farmers are having anorher concert and dance in the schoolhouse on January 27th, in aid of the piano fund, to which an admission fee of 50 cents will be charged.

Mesdames Knott, VanAckeran, McInnes and Wickholm, along with Messrs. Jim Turner and Andy Wickholm, have just been named as the United Farmers entertainment committee for the present term.

The Major Burritt ranch is reported sold this week to a Mr. Messenger of Lethbridge, Alta. This is a ten acre place, mostly cleared and a couple of acres planted to orchard.

Fred Speaker was a visitor with Calgary, Alta., friends a few days last week.

There is a considerable export of lumber at the Siding these days the Canyon City Lumber Co., Ltd., shipping at least a car a day for the last couple of weeks.

At the United Farmers meeting on Saturday night the feature was the passage of a resolution demanding that no liquor store be established in Creston until such time as a vote favorable to such an innovation is recorded in the Valley. The delegate to the U.F. central meeting at Creston on the 14th reported that Jas. Adlard had been named as official delegate from the five Valley locals to the provincial convention at Vancouver this week and that Canyon local would be called upon to pay one-fifth of the delegate's expense. At the next meeting, on Feb. 4th, a committee from the newly-organized Ratepayers' Association will be present and discuss the work of that organization. At the close of the meeting on the 21st there was a couple of hours of sociability at which a collection was taken and $4 netted for

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M. J. Dyer, $70.00,
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for this year's assessment work, from 1920 to 1921, on said mineral claims, together with all costs of this advertisement; and

Hannah E. Larson, $450.00

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And further take notice that unless these sums are paid within the time above stated your interests in the said claims will become vested in me, your co-owner, who has made the required expenditures on said mineral claims, under Sections 28 and 48 of the Mineral Act.

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The Homesteaders

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He leaned forward in the trees, but at that moment Riles clutched Gardiner's arm and said something in a low voice. The two men rode through the river, and their words were drowned in the lisp of the water.

The smile did not leave Travers' lips as he wound up his reel and stole swiftly along a cattle-track up from the river, but a sudden light gleamed in his eyes and his muscles hardened with excited tension. He knew the shanty to which Gardiner referred, as they had once been there together, and he resolved that if there were going to be any "doings" in that locality to-night he would furnish a share of the excitement. Unfortunately, the ford was on a cross-road little used, and it was two miles back to the ranch. Had he been raised on the ranges he would not have been caught so far from his horse, but a Manitoban sometimes uses his legs to walk with, while his brother in Alberta finds them useful only for wearing schaps and straddling a saddle. By the time Travers reached the ranch buildings, caught and saddled his horse, made a fruitless search for his revolver, substituted a rifle which lay at hand, and at length found himself upon the trail, darkness was setting in, and Gardiner and Riles had many miles' start of him.

When the two plotters stopped to let their horses drink at the ford Gardiner suddenly broke off from their conversation to make a few remarks about Travers and Harris. Riles had listened indifferently until his eye caught sight of Travers, half concealed among the cotton-woods that fringed the stream. He clutched Gardiner's arm.

"S-s-sh," he cautioned. "Jim's just behind the bank. I'm sure I saw him, an' he heard you, too."

"Good," said Gardiner, quite undisturbed. "Now we can go on." They reined up their horses and plunged into the swiftly-running water. "You see," said Gardiner, as the horses took the opposite bank with great strides, their wet hoofs slipping on the round boulders that fringed the stream—"You see, I knew Jim was there all the time. Those remarks were intended for his benefit."

Riles parted with a great chew of tobacco. "You beat me," he said, wiping his lips with the back of his hand. "You plumb beat me."

Gardiner enjoyed the note of admiration in his companion's voice. He enjoyed also that knowledge that Riles was utterly at sea; that he had no more idea than the horse he rode what lay before them that night.

"It's all quite simple," said Gardiner, after a pause. "Jim will hurry back to the ranch, saddle his horse, and follow us. By the way, I didn't tell him I borrowed his revolver. That may delay him some. But he should arrive at the shack in time to be taking a few stealthy observations just about the moment the Harrises are hunting for their money bag. I hope Allan doesn't use that shot-gun on him. A shot-gun makes an awful hole in a man, Riles."

Riles experienced an uncanny feeling up his spine.

"Well," continued Gardiner, "I promised to lay the whole plan before you, when we were safe on the road with no possibility of any strange ears cocked for what a man might happen to say. . . . Look at that sunset, Riles; isn't that magnificent!"

"Good enough, I suppose," said Riles, "but I hope we didn't come out here to see the sunset. How about this plan of yours?"

"Riles," admonished Gardiner, "you've no more soul than a toadstool. You haven't any imagination. I wonder you have faith enough to wind your watch. Now if you could paint a picture like that it would make you more money than you ever saw—including what you're going to see to-night.

"But to get down to the scheme. It's all easy sailing now. The big thing was to get them on the road with the coin. That's what I needed you for, Riles. And you didn't do too bad. I had to prod you along a bit, but you'll thank me for it when it's all over."

"Yes, but it's them that's got it, not us," commented Riles.

"Sure, but it'll be different in the mornin'. Riles, you are a gloomy devil. Here you have ten thousand dollars right in your mit and you're as happy as a man with a boil. Now this is how it will work out, to a T. The two Harrises will get up to the shanty about dark. They'll pitch camp there and begin to wonder when we'll be along. Well, we won't be along until it's good and dark, even if we have to kill time on the road. If Travers catches up on us we'll just let him make one of the party, which will be sort of embarrassing for Jim. But he won't catch up. Well, when it's good and dark—there'll be no moon till after midnight—and they're both sleepy with their long drive in the high altitude, we will arrive nearby. You will go up to the door and take a look on the quiet. I will go up to the window and do the same. There's no glass in the window, and there's no door on either, as I remember. We'll size up things inside, particularly the location of the coin. Then you show yourself. Tell 'em I have the owner of the mine out there in the trees, but the old fellow won't come in until he has a talk with them. Tell 'em they better not show the money until they chat with him a few minutes. Likely they'll fall for that, as they don't seem to have the slightest suspicion. But if they balk at leaving the money let them bring it along. Once put in the dark the rest will be easy. But I figure they'll leave the money in the shack—it's just for a few minutes, you know—and they'll reason that it's safe enough with no one but ourselves within miles. Well, you lead them off down through the bush. As soon as you do that I'll slip in through the window, gather up the long green and cache it somewhere in the scrub. You won't be able to find me at first, but when you do I'll say the old fellow wanted to go up to the shack himself to meet them, and I let him go. Then we'll all go back to the shack, and find both the money and the old man—the mine-owner, you know—missing. Then we'll start a hue and cry and all hit into the bush. You and I will gather up the spoil and make a quiet getaway for the night. Of course we'll have to turn up in the morning to avert suspicion, but we can tell them we got on the robber's trail and followed it until we lost ourselves in the bush. In the meantime the Harrises will be tearing around in great excitement, and they're almost sure to run on to Travers. Harris recently fired Travers, and Allan had a fight with him, if you told me right, so it's not likely they'll listen to any explanations. They'll turn him over to the police, and as it's the business of the police to get convictions, they'll have to frame up a case against him or be made to look stupid—and that's the last thing a policeman likes. Then you and I will quietly divide the proceeds of our investment, and you can go back to your farm, if you like, and live to a ripe old age and get a write-up in the local paper when you shuffle off. As for me—I'm not that type, Riles, and I'll likely find some other way to spend my profits."

"It looks easy," Riles admitted. "But what about Jim? He'll tell what he heard you say at the ford."

"Let him. Nobody'll believe it. Remember that when he tells that he'll be under arrest, and when a man's under arrest his word is always discounted. To be arrested means to be half convicted. It takes two good witnesses to offset the moral effect of arrest, and Travers will have no witnesses.

"It's all quite easy," Gardiner continued. "And if it should fail there are a dozen other ways just as easy. But we won't let it fail. We mustn't let it fail, on your account."

"On my account? What more account mine than yours?"

"Well, you see, Harris, no doubt, has your letter stowed away somewhere, and it would make bad evidence for you. I don't think it mentions me at all. Besides, I know a way through a pass in these mountains, and if it doesn't turn out right—why, I'm glad I know the way. You see, I've nothing to lose, and nobody to worry over me. But it's different with you, Hiram. You have a wife and a fine farm down in Manitoba, and it would be inconvenient for you to slip away without notice. So I say that on your account we mustn't let it fail."

"You didn't say nothin' about that before, I notice," said Riles.

"You mustn't expect me to do your private thinking as well as that of the firm," Gardiner retorted. "You had the facts—why didn't you patch them together for yourself? You're in a mess now if things don't go right. But, as I said, I'm going to stick with you and see that they do go right."

They rode along in silence in the gathering darkness. Had they been able to read each other's minds they would have been astonished at the coincidence of thought. Gardiner was planning to make away with the money when he got out of the building. Why should he divide with Riles—Riles, who would only hoard it up, and who had plenty of money already? Not at all. Riles might sue him for his share, if he wanted to—and could find him, to serve notice! On the other hand, Riles' slow wits had quickened to the point of perceiving that there lay before him a chance of making twenty thousand dollars instead of ten thousand, if he only had the nerve to strike at the strategic moment. When he got the Harrises out of the shack, by hook or crook he would leave them and follow Gardiner.

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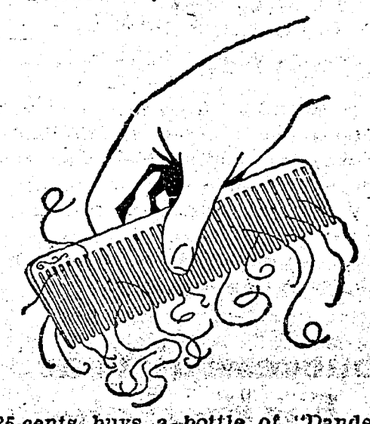

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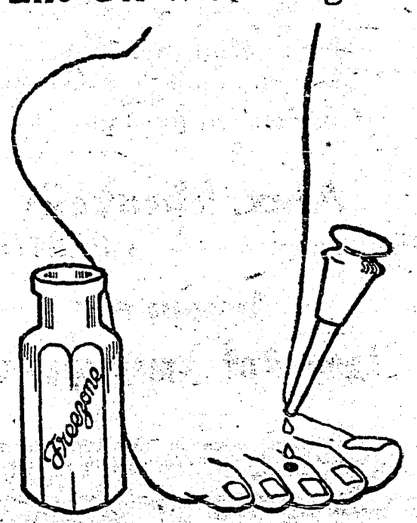

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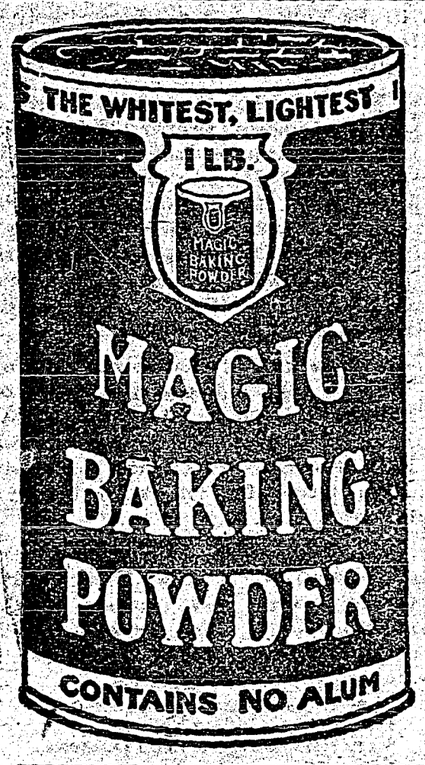

World Happenings Briefly Told

E. B. Borthwick, ex-chief of police of Swift Current, has been appointed chief of The Pas fire and police departments.

The Scots Guards band sails for Canada on April 22. The band will give concerts throughout the Dominion on behalf of the war veterans.

George Baldwin Selden, 77, inventor of the first gasoline propelled vessel and a pioneer in the present automotive industry died recently at his home in Rochester.

Eleven members of the crew of the German steamer Vesta bound from Hamburg to Lisbon as well as the wife of the chief officer, were killed by an explosion on the ship following a fire. Ten survivors of the crew were landed at Lowestoft by a trawler.

Maude Adams, who is known to thousands of Canadians as Peter Pan, has presented her 300-acre estate at Lake Ronkonkoma, L.I., to the Roman Catholic sisterhood of Our Lady of the Cenacle. The estate is valued at $130,000.

The minister of publicity Dublin, has published a letter from "the Irish consulate to New York" advising suspension of all emigration from Ireland to the United States in view of the depression in trade and the unemployment which prevailed there.

The city of Montreal was found guilty of gross negligence in connection with the death of Lillian Manning, the eight-year-old daughter of Joe Manning, who fell through an open manhole into a sewer last winter, and was ordered to pay $665 to the child's parents. Mr. Manning originally sued for $2,500.

Grain Growers Had Profitable Year

Financial Report Shows Total Profits Of $233,743

Five hundred delegates, representing 30,000 shareholders, were present at the annual meeting of the United Grain Growers, held in Winnipeg. All the retiring directors were re-elected. The financial report for the year ending August 31st showed total profits of $233,743, while the total current assets of the company are reported to be $5,975,000.

Fish Catch Is Valuable

The value of fish and fish products in Saskatchewan is $300,000 annually according to the report of the Department of Labor and Industries. The total catch of white fish for the year was 2,420,600 pounds valued at $212,869. The scarcest fish for marketing this year is the gold eye. Only one ton was caught, the value being $240. Other commercial varieties are mullet, pickerel, pike, sturgeon, trout and tullibee.

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Winnipeg Planning Industrial Credits

Estimate Five Million Dollars Needed to Finance Undertaking

A system of industrial credits, similar to rural credits scheme, will be put into operation early in the new year by the Winnipeg Trades and Labor Council, it was announced. The proposal, which is only in a tentative form, will be to loan money to small industrial concerns at a slightly higher rate of interest than it costs to provide for administration expenses. It is estimated $5,000,000 will be needed to finance the undertaking, and this will be raised by means of a loan.

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KEEP LITTLE ONES WELL IN WINTER

Winter is a dangerous season for the little ones. The days are so changeable—one day bright, the next cold and stormy, that the mother is afraid to take the children out for the fresh air and exercise they need so much. In consequence they are often cooped up in overheated, badly ventilated rooms and are soon seized with colds or grippe. What is needed to keep the little ones well is Baby's Own Tablets. They will regulate the stomach and bowels and drive out colds, and by their use the baby will be able to get over the winter season in perfect safety. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cts. a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Still a Mystery

Another would-be contributor to a comic paper sent a humorous paragraph for insertion. Not getting any reply, or seeing it in print, he presently wrote:

"I sent you a joke about ten days ago. I have heard nothing respecting its safe receipt, and should be glad to hear whether you have seen it."

The editor's reply was as follows: "Your joke arrived safely, but to the present we have not seen it."

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By Marie Belmont

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The simple bodice extends into a straight across top portion, which drops over the shoulders in the newest fashion. The plain bodice is drawn in to fit the figure.

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Immigration to Canada

Report Shows More British Than Other Nationalities

The total immigration to Canada for the month of November, 1921, was 4,560, 1,404 being from the British Isles, 1,747 from the United States and 1,409 from other countries. Immigration to the Dominion for the first eight months of the fiscal year, April to November, totals 76,575, of whom 35,941 are British, 23,279 from the United States and 17,355 from other countries.

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(Signed) Ellison Gray.

Alberta Turkeys Sent to States

Twenty thousand pounds of Alberta turkeys were shipped to Minneapolis and St. Paul during the Christmas season through the medium of the egg and poultry branch of the department of agriculture, which handled 40,000 pounds altogether of the surplus turkeys raised by Alberta farmers.

Minard's Liniment for Warts, Corns, Etc.

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Many people feel that they have to be agitated into wakefulness in the morning. They think that without the tea or coffee they take in the morning that they will not be able to meet the tasks and duties of the day.

Nothing could be more false than this reasoning. Any doctor can tell you this. For a healthy body does not need or require a stimulant. It gets all the stimulant it needs from food.

The thein and caffeine found in tea and coffee are irritating to the heart and nervous system. They jolt the nerves into undue activity. The result is a reaction. This is why regular tea and coffee drinkers think they must have their stimulant the first thing in the morning to wind them up for the day.

If you will stop using tea and coffee for a week, and drink Postum, the pure cereal beverage instead, it will give Nature an opportunity to rid the system of the irritating substances that harass your nerves, upset digestion, increase your heart action, and make you nervous, and irritable.

Many people who have tried Postum say that inside of a week they wake in the morning without that "all gone" feeling that they used to have, and are full of energy, strength and endurance.

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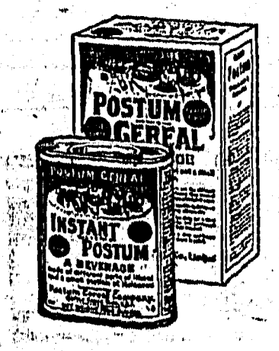

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WANTED—Purebred Barred Rock rooster. J. W. Vaness, Creston.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Staples left on Tuesday for a few days' visit with friends in Spokane.

FOR SALE—Tables, chairs, utensils, tools, etc. Can be seen at Stanley Watson's, Victoria Ave.

Miss Lyda Johnson was a visitor with Cranbrook friends a few days last week, returning on Sunday.

POULTRY FOR SALE—11 White Leghorns, one year old, 1920 prize winners. First-class breeding stock. Mann, Creston.

W. Truscott, who has been on a combined business and pleasure trip to coast points the past month, returned on Sunday.

The February meeting of Presbyterain Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. John Robden next Friday afternoon, Feb. 3, at 3 o'clock.

Friday evening, Feb. 24th, has been appropriated for a concert for a community purpose, which will be put on under the direction of Mrs. Garland.

FOR SALE—Three-quarter Jersey cow, 4 years old, due in March; also one three-quarter Jersey heifer, due in April. W. V. Jackson, Creston.

A. H. Bluemenauer of Fort Steele spent a few days here last week with his son who is now managing the Beattie-Oatway, Ltd., store in town.

Mrs. Lucas, the Valley's public health nurse, has rented the E. Driffil house near the fair grounds, and will make headquarters there for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cameron got away on Monday on quite an extended holiday trip to friends at Ontario centres and points as far east as Montreal, Que.

R. Lamont left on Frtday last on an extended visit with friends in Ontario and other eastern points, and will probably be away until the first of May.

A meeting to complete the organization of the Fifteen Hundred Club will be held to-night (Friday) at 8 o'clock, in Speers' Hall. This is an invitation to all interested to attend.

Creston's movie favorite, Douglas Fairbanks, will be seen again at the Grand on Saturday, Feb. 11th, for which date Manager Rodgers has him booked to appear in "The Nut."

FOR SALE—Galvanized water cistern, 13 barrel capacity, galvanized top and tap at bottom. Gasoline lighting system, 3 lights and tank. 3 gasoline hand lamps. Enquire Review Office.

At the annual meeting last week at Victoria of the B.C. Fruit Growers Association, Guy Constable was the unanimous choice as member of the executive for the Creston Valley section.

A hard, hacking cough is unpleasant. Why have one; we can cure it. Beattie Oatway, Ltd.

W. V. Jackson of the Mountain View Dairy announces that he has now available an abundant supply of cream, which is selling at 35 cents a pint, or 60 cents a quart, and prompt delivery guaranteed.

J. D. Moore of Kaslo, road superintendent for the Kaslo constituency was here on on official visit at the end of the week. At the last session of the legislature $30,000 was voted for public works in this riding for 1922.

The 1921 provincial police returns for Creston do not indicate any unprecedented demand for the government article in the liquor line. In at least five months the intake on liquor buying permits issued was less than $20.

Albert Walter of Woodstock, Ont., arrived the latter part of the week on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Hendy, and his mandolin playing at the band entertainment on Wednesday night was one of the features of the musical programme.

A silver tea under the auspices of the Methodist Ladies' Aid, will be given by Mrs. G. Cartwright and Mrs. Jas. Maxwell at the home of Mrs. Cartwright, Erickson, 3 to 5.30 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 31st. Gentlemen are cordially invited.

Jack Barraclough, who opened up the Creston Meat Market in the store in the rear of the postoffice early in December, closed his shop the latter part of the week, but expects to resume when things generally show the usual revival in the late spring.

The evening of Easter Monday, April 17th, has been appropriated by the directors of the Agricultural Association, on which date they will put on an entertainment, which will include a dance, for the purpose of raising funds to pay off the debt on the fair building.

Bridge foreman Jim Johnston and crew will this week complete extensive repairs that have been made on the bridges at Erickson, Canyon, Arrow Creek and Goat River crossing, at which they have been working since the latter part of December.

The biggest turnout at a practice since re-organization was in evidence on Tuesday night, when Bandmaster Hendy had eighteen bandsmen out. With the proceeds of Wednesday night's whist he hopes to secure instruments for three more players.

Creston Valley Conservative Association is having the annual general meeting in Mercantile Hall on Monday night, Jan. 30th, at 8 o'clock. In Conservative circles the impression prevails that there will be a provincial general election within the next three months.

A court of revision in connection with the 1922 assessment roll will be held at the provincial police office on Wednesday afternoon, starting at 2 o'clock. There are almost 60 appeals to be heard, and the judge of the court will be James O'Shea, the well-known Nelson lawyer.

C. O. Rodgers is a business visitor at Calgary, Alta., this week, attending the annual meeting of the Mountain Lumbermen's Association in that city. The mill at Canyon City is shipping considerable lumber at present, for use in construction work on the Lethbridge Northern irrigation system.

Jas. Adlard got away the latter part of the week for Vancouver, where he is attending the annual convention of the United Farmers of British Columbia, which opened in that city on Wednesday. He is the joint representative of the five locals in the Valley, and will most likely be choseh as the East Kootenay representative on the provincial U.F. executive.

WANTED—Men and women to sell to women in homes rubber lined, waterproof Gingham Aprons for use in the kitchen. Can easily earn $14 daily and more. Rapid seller and ready demand. Send 75 cents for sample apron and full particulars. Money refunded if sample returned. BRITISH RUBBER COMPANY, 232 McGill Street, Montreal, Canada.

At the annual meeting of Creston Valley Public Library Association on Saturday afternoon Mesdames J. W. Hamilton and Ebbutt, and Messrs Adlard, Brousson and Garland were chosen the board of directors for the ensuing year.

The re-organized Mission Band in connection with the Presbyterian Church, which now consists of girl members only, have chosen the following officers for the ensuing year:

Superintendent—Mrs. Dow.
Asst. Supt.—Eunice Moore.
President—Edith Conling.
Vice President—Muriel Oatway.
Secretary—Louise Nickel.
Treasurer—Helen Moore.

For last year the Band had financial income of almost $133, and of this amount $118 was spent on missions. The year opens with a total membership of twenty-five.

Mrs. Lucas, Red Cross public health nurse, is about to start a course of lectures for adults in home nursing next week. The classes will be held on Monday afternoons at the G.W.V.A. room at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Lucas is anxious to begin promptly and requests everyone to be there at that time, equipped with a pencil and notebook. Mrs. Speers, treasurer of the local branch, will be present at 2.30 to take the names of those wishing to join at the first lecture, which will be on Monday, January 30th. A fee of $1 for the lecture course will be charged.

Anglican Church Services

SUNDAY, JAN. 29
CRESTON
10 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

TENDERS FOR SLASHING

Bids will be received by the undersigned until Feb. 1st, 1922, for slashing 5 acres at West Creston. Lowest or any bid not necessarily accepted. J. SCHMIDT, Bank of Montreal, Rossland, B.C.

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All these goods have been very recently purchased, which means that the original price fairly regresented today's selling value, and emphasizes the fact that our decision to make such a substantial cut is to effect a speedy clearance.

While everything in the Furniture Department is offered at 20% off, we would specially emphasize the splendid values in

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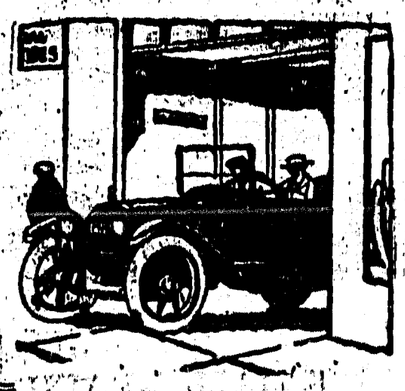

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