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West Creston

Mr. Newbury of the ranch firm of Newbury & McCreight, left a few days ago for Lngdon, Alta., where he expects to spend the next few months.

Most every resident on this side of the river has been laid up within the past two weeks, either with colds or a mild sort of flu.

Report has it that Jimmy Lockhead of Creston will succeed F. K. Hurry in charge of the ferry. Mr. Lockhead is both a married man and a returned soldier, and comes well recommended all round for the job.

Miss Leona Pendry was a week end visitor at Creston, attending the Latter Day Saints at home in that town on Friday night.

Mr. Bliss of Creston was here with his team a couple of days last week, having the contract to move the old house from Lot 1005 to the C. C. French ranch, where it is being fitted up for occupancy.

Some good old summertime weather is very badly needed to take the ice off the flats so that cattle can be pastured advantageously. The 1921 cut of flats hay is about exhausted with most ranchers.

Beam and Brubracker, the Creston trappers, who have been operating in the Corn Creek area the past month, so far have been successful in taking two cougar, half a dozen skunk and five mink. Three of the latter were exceptionally fine pelts, measuring at least 30 inches.

There is still a heavy coat of ice on the Kootenay River. Only on one previous occasion within the memory of oldtimers is it recalled that the river was as heavily frozen up at the end of March.

Wynndel

H. Legneboin, of Nelson, who was on the J. B. Winlaw staff here about three years ago, returned to Wynndel last week, and is once more in charge of the sawmill engine.

The United Farmers held a meeting in the small schoolhouse on Thursday. The chief business was a discussion as to whether this local would support the Farmer-Labor-Progressive party, but as the meeting was not a very representative one the matter was not finally decided upon. After the meeting there was about two hours dancing, and the ladies served refreshments.

At their last meeting the United Farmers elected a new entertainment committee, as follows: Mrs. M. Hagen, Monrad Wigen and Carl Carlson.

Owing to the illness of Miss Topliss, principal of Wynndel school, D. J. Dewar is temporarily in charge of the local seat of learning.

H. Rosindale, who has been at Vernon on business for the Co-Operative Fruit Growers Association, returned home on Sunday morning.

W. H. Crawford of Creston was a business visitor here on Tuesday in the interest of his business here.

C. Ogilvie, who is working at Yahk paid a week-end visit to his home here, returning on Sunday.

The United Farmers are having a dance in the Clubhouse on Saturday evening, April 1st, at 8 o'clock. Good music, good floor, and everybody welcome. Gents 50 cents; ladies bring supper.

Monrad Wigen left on Tuesday for Yahk to purchase a supply of lumber for his box factory business, returning on Wednesday.

The Athletic Club concert is due to come off sometime about April 22nd. Keep your eyes open for the date, as this is too good a thing to miss. Absolutely the finest programme ever arranged in this part of the country.

Miss Alice Embree was a visitor here a few days last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Penson, returning on Saturday.

A bunch of about eight deer have been very troublesome this year in the neighborhood of the Piggot ranch. Police officer McLaren of Creston was down last week and gave Mr. Piggot permission to shoot them as they are doing altogether too much damage to the strawberries.

Erickson

Mrs. E. Martin is a visitor with friends at Yahk a few days this week.

Miss Ruth Klingensmith is a Cranbrook visitor at present, with the McLeod family, most of whom have been laid up with illness this month.

Tuesday night was the last of the weekly sessions of the United Farmers, and from now until fall meetings will be held but once a month—the second Tuesdays.

Frank Putnam was a business visitor at Nelson a couple of days the fore part of the week.

A couple of cars of hay which came in on Tuesday and Wednesday were welcome arrivals, as there was a decided shortage in this class of feed. Most of it was alfalfa, which sold at $27.50 a ton.

A company of about two dozen young people from this section and town were hospitably entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Woods on Thursday night last, dancing being the chief form of amusement. A substantial supper was served about midnight, and the evening throughout was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Milt Beam, who is operating his trap line in the Corn Creek section, reports quite a fine catch of mink and skunk the past couple of months. Three of the mink taken measured over 30 inches in length. He also shot a couple more cougar, bringing the season's kill of these up to seven so far.

Quite a commodious new house is under construction on the Herb Gobbett ranch, next the J. M. Craigie place.

Maximum production from the 40 White Leghorn pullets on the Alf. Palmer ranch is required to take care of the orders coming in for setting eggs. Poultrymen as far east as Lethbridge, Alta., are sending for them.

C.P.R. roadmaster Walker of Cranbrook met with quite a painful accident on Tuesday morning, while making a trip over the rails between here and Canyon, on his moter speeder. While going around a curve with a couple of the Kitchener section men aboard he was suddenly thrown clear off the car sustaining a nasty scalp wound as well as injury to his shoulder. He was brought back to Erickson and received first aid, and was taken on the noon train to his home in the divisional city.

Pending the investigation of O.U.G. affairs growers at Penticton have had their five-year contracts returned to them. Out of 100 patrons of the Penticton Union 65 had signed the 5 year document.

Band Concert

The band and the assisting artists are busy putting the finishing touches on the programme to be submitted at the Creston District Brass Band popular concert in the Grand Theatre, Friday evening, April 7th. Special care has been taken in the selection of the various numbers, and the same careful attention has been given practices, thus assuring the best possible presentation of each and every selection. The menu will be largely musical and embraces novelty numbers as well as new marches and overtures by the band, along with vocal and cornet solos, and solos with band accompaniment, and a real novelty musical number, as well as a song and dance and at least one humerous sketch. The proceeds will be used for the purchase of band instruments and new music, and for such a good cause and at the popular 50-cent admission there should be a capacity crowd out for the concert.

Sirdar

Section foreman Tolerico, who has been critically ill with pneumonia the past few days, is on the mend, and is now quite out of danger.

M. McLeod, the Cranbrook optician, will pay Sirdar a professional visit on Wednesday and Thursday next.

Westbound freight traffic through Sirdar this month constitutes the busiest March in at least four years.

Mayor Daly continued his celebration all through last week—the Liberal sweep of Nelson furnishing the excuse for the final rejoicing.

Miss Aileen Spence of Boswell was a Sirdar visitor this week, the guest of Mrs. Whitesides.

The sewing circle meets this Saturday afternooh at the schoolhouse with Mrs. Loasby as tea hostess. The circle sessions are being well attended and much work done, while the men are liberal tea patrons.

Rev. H. Varley is due here this Wednesday for a mid-week Church of of England service, and in future will give Sirdar a Sunday morning and a Wednesday night service each month.

Mrs. North, Mrs. Touhey, Mrs. Loasby and Mrs. Cameron have been Creston visitors during the week.

Mrs. H. Taylor of Creston, who has been nursing the Rogers family during their spell of illness, returned home on Sunday.

Misses Eva Webster, and Ruth Swanson of Creston were week end visitors with Mrs. Sid McCabe, and are counting the weeks between now and the time they can come back and enjoy the bathing, both being expert swimmers—and equally proficient in either boats or canoes.

Dr. Henderson of Creston is making almost daily trips here looking after the sick of Sirdar. Mr. and Mrs. Dennes who have been laid up a couple of weeks are now able to be out and around again. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers are also better, Mr. Rogers now being back in charge of the store.

The Wilson quarry shipped a couple of large pieces of granite to Creston this week, the haul being made by wagon.

Bob Dobie is getting to be quite an adept at apple tree pruning, having just finished operations on the Mannerino and Goodman orchards.

Harry Hughes was a business visitor at Creston on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were entertained by a surprise party at the Wilson home on Saturday, the evening being most enjoyably spent with cards and vocal and instrumental music.

Arthur North is busy at prunning operations on his orchard and bush fruits, and getting the land ready for the 1922 crop. Messrs. Pascuzzo and Mannerino are also busy in the same line.

Mr. Parker had one of his fingers injured the other day while at work in the granite quarry. We take it the damage is not serious as he avers he feels certain he could handle the bones in a red herring if opportunity presented.

Canyon City

Canyon roads are again in pretty fair shape, and Canyon City Lumber Company have resumed lumber hauling operations to the siding. It is expected the mill will continue to run at least all through April.

Mr. Cook of Calgary Heights has just completed the erection of about the largest greenhouse in this section, and will have a large supply of tomato plants for local sale this spring.

Joe Hurl left a few days ago for Waldeck, Sask., where he will likely remain until fall.

Tom Hickey was home for a few days last week, making the last trip over his territory buying fur. He will be back to stay within a month, and will then start work on the rection of his permanent home on the 40 acres he secured from the Land Settlement Board early last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair, who have spent the winter on the Reclamation Farm, are expected to return to Canyon the fore part of April.

Huygens & VanAckeran are going into beekeeping on quite a large scale, having purchased about a dozen hives of the honeymakers from the Webb apiary at Lister last week.

A full attendance of members of the United Farmers is hoped for at the April meeting on Saturday night at which there will be a report from the special committee selected to deal with the community hall and central packing shed.

A small sized hay famine in the Canyon district was relieved on Tuesday when the Union unloaded a car of this feed at Erickson.

Owing to the long-drawn out winter Matt. Clayton has been given a six weeks' extension of time in which to complete clearing the right of way of the new road into the Cleave ranch. The contract for stumping it will be let shortly.

To-night's entertainment attraction is the three-act drama, "Too Much of a Good Thing," which the Literary Society is putting on at the schoolhouse, the overture by Mrs. Pochin to be played at 8 prompt. In between the acts there will be solos, choruses, quartettes and recitations, and the evening will conclude with a supper and dance. The admission is 35 cents to adults, 15 cents to children, and ladies bringing cakes are admitted free.

Cranbrook's tax rate this year will be 46 mills. A year ago the rate was 45 mills.

Kitchener

Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert, who have been visiting Mrs. Hulbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fransen, for several weeks, left for their home in Moosejaw, Sask., on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fordham and little daughter, of Seattle, arrived in Kitchener on Saturday, and will visit here a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robillard of Canyon City were here between trains on Sunday.

C. Erickson was here a few days last week, on a visit to his sister, Miss Esther Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clancy, who have resided here for some time, left on Saturday.

Mr. Crowe was a business visitor in Nelson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen and three children, who arrived last spring, left on Wednesday for Alberta, where they expect to make their home.

Rev. J. A. James of Creston was unable to come to Kitchener two weeks ago, on account of illness, will be here for service in the schoolhouse on Sunday, April 2nd.

Lister

Miss Winnifred Webb of the nursing staff of the Kootenay Lake General hospital, Nelson, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alfred R. Webb.

The first of the open meetings held by the United Farmers took place on Friday evening last in the schoolhouse, with President Fred Powers in the chair. The feature of the evening was an address by W. G. Littlejohn of Erickson, who motored out that evening. He spoke to the large turnout for almost two hours, his subject being "Small Fruit Culture." A large number of questions were asked the speaker at the close of his address. He was quite optimistic as to the future of this district, and a hearty vote of thanks was tendered him for his visit and timely lecture.

Alfred R. Webb, who spent last week at Okanagan points, returned home on Saturday.

Incubator owners are busy in this district. The first day-old chicks arriving on the scene almost two weeks ago.

FOR SALE—Fresh young cow, $75. C. Blair, Reclamation Farm, Creston.

Rossland property owners will pay taxes on a 40-mill basis again this year.

Grand Forks had a remarkably steady winter, the rink management providing ten weeks of continuous skating.

Wednesday Half-Holiday

Creston, March 21, 1922.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to close our stores at 1 p.m., Town Time, on each and every Wednesday COMMENCING APRIL 5th and CONTINUING UNTIL NOVEMBER 1st, 1922.

Signed:

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SIRDAR, at Sirdar Hotel, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 5th, from 5 p.m. to 4 p.m. THURSDAY, APRIL 6th.

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Imperfect vision, if not rectified, grows worse with the years. The surest way of preserving your eyesight at maximum efficiency throughout life is to have your eyes examined by an optical specialist once a year.

The scientific accuracy and precision of his eye examination with experience in handling thousands of cases in a painstaking manner should commend his services to you.

RE-OPENING

Creston Cafe

Mrs. O. Hayden announces the re-opening of the Restaurant known as Creston Cafe, on SATURDAY, APRIL 1st, in the stand opposite Speers store—formerly Asher's photo shop.

Open 7 a.m. to 10.30 p.m.

prepared to serve

Meals, Light Lunch Afternoon Tea

Splendid cooking. Faultless service. Reasonable charges.

A trial solicited.

HORSES COUGHING? USE

Spohn's Distemper Compound

to break it up and get them back in condition. Twenty-eight year's use has made "SPOHN'S" indispensable in treating Coughs and Colds, Influenza and Distemper with their resulting complications, and all diseases of the throat, nose and lungs. Acts marvelously as preventive; acts equally well as cure. On sale at all drug stores.

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Abraham Lincoln's Advice

With the approach of Spring, and a revival of business activity following a winter characterized by much unemployment and the necessity for the distribution of relief on a large scale by Governments, municipalities and charitable organizations, the air is filled with rumors of impending strikes and industrial disturbances. The coal miners of Canada and the United States threaten a walk-out to enforce their demand for a six-hour day and a five-day work week, while the engineering and other trades in Great Britain are also resorting to extreme measures.

It would naturally have been thought that, instead of creating conditions which mean idleness, not only for those going out on strike, but for countless thousands engaged in other trades which are dependent upon a plentiful supply of coal, and instead of striving for less work and employment, the lessons of the past year would have taught all men to exert themselves to create more work in order that, with the employmnt of all and renewed activity, there woud be better times and a larger measure of prosperity for all.

However, it would appear that the fallacious teaching of paid agitators, that a reduction in working hours and days below a reasonable limit must inevitably provide work for a larger number, still influences many of the world's workers. The theory that the world must have a certain quantity of any given article, and that if each individual produces a smaller quantity of it, a larger number must be employed to make up the required total, is a false theory. It is possible to so enhance the cost of an article as to make it prohibitive, and to so seriously reduce the demand, that, instead of there being any increase in employment in such production, there is a damaging decrease.

Again, those who preach this false doctrine lose sight of the fact that mankind can get along without an amazingly large number of things if circumstances force them to do so. The experiences of the war should have been sufficient to thoroughly convince all people of this fact.

Last year the coal miners in Great Britain sought to dictate to the whole nation, and in tying up the coal mining industry they not only inflicted enormous losses on themselves, but dealt a blow at Britain's position as a great coal exporting country from which it has not yet recovered. Valuable properties were so seriously damaged that even yet they have not been restored to their old-time producing capacity, and fewer men are employed.

Canada's workers would do well to heed the advice once given by Abraham Lincoln, himself a worker and a son of the people. Lincoln said: "Property is the fruit of labor; property is desirable; it is a positive good in the world. That some should be rich shows that others may become rich, and hence is just encouragement to industry and enterprise. Let not him who is hopeless pull down the house of another, but let him build one for himslf, thus assuring, by example, that his own shall be safe from violence when built."

The man who gains a competence in this world, or amasses wealth, does not do so by working as little as he possibly can, or by skimping the work he does. The world's rich men are among its most industrious and hardest workers. Their aim in life is not to accomplish as little constructive, productive work as possible in the course of a day, but rather to strive for a maximum of results.

If men who now regard their position as hopeless, and are envious of the success of their fellows, would but follow Lincoln's advice and get busy and exert themselves, not as little as possible, but to the full extent of their powers, they could quickly establish themselves and make a worthy place for themselves in the world. But they will never get anywhere by simply criticizing what others do and striving to tear down what others have built up. They should change their tactics, and, instead of endeavoring to do as little as possible, and skimping that little, try the plan of exerting all their efforts and endeavoring to achieve a maximum of good work accomplished during the full period of a reasonable long working day.

What this old world needs is not more spare time, more sport, more entertainment and pleasure, but more work, steady work, constructive and productive work. The busiest man or woman is the happiest, healthiest, most prosperous.

A Beautiful Complexion & Admiration

Ladies — A few days' treatment with CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS will do more to clean up the skin than all the beauty treatments in creation. An imperfect complexion is caused by a sluggish liver.

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Millions of people, old young and middle age, take them for Biliousness, Dizziness, Sick Headache, Upset Stomach and for Sallow, Pimply and Blotchy Skin. They end the misery of Constipation.

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Joys of Rural Life

City Man Had Nothing on His Country Brother

A boy left the farm and got a job in the city. He wrote a letter to his brother, who elected to stick to his farm, telling the joys of city life, in which he said:

"Thursday we auto'd out to the country club, where we golfed until dark. Then we motored to the beach for the weekend."

The brother on the farm wrote back: "Yesterday we buggied to town and baseballed all the afternoon. Then we went to Ned's and pokered until morning. Today we muled out to the cornfield and gee-hawed until sundown. Then we suppered and then we piped for a while. After that we staircased up to our room and bedsteaded until the clock fived."

Addition

Prisoner.—Good morning, Judge.

Judge.—How old are you?

"Twenty-nine."

"You'll be thirty when you get out."—Chicago Phoenix.

Cause of Asthma. No one can say with certainty exactly what causes the establishing of asthmatic conditions. Dust from the street, from flowers, from grain and various other irritants may set up a trouble impossible to erradicate except through a sure preparation such as Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. Uncertainty may exist as to cause, but there can be no uncertainty regarding a remedy which has freed a generation of asthmatic victims from the scourge of the bronchial tubes. It is sold everywhere.

In Ceylon are to be found snails which attain a length of from four to five inches.

Minard's Liniment for the Grippe and Flu

A Firm Foundation

Franco-British Alliance May Result in United Europe

We doubt if much good will come out of Genoa, but if France and Great Britain go there as allies there cannot be much harm. Adbul Hamil remained in Constantinople long after authority had left his nerveless fingers simply owing to the jealousies of the European powers. Bolshevism in its turn will succumb when it finds itself face to face with a united Europe. A Franco-British alliance is the only foundation on which that unity can be built.—London Morning Post.

Manslaughter in 2nd Degree

Using a razor—bad stuff—but many people do it for their corns. The only remedy that is painless and sure is Putnam's Corn Extractor, which does remove warts and corns, cleans them right off. Refuse a substitute for "Putnam's," 25c everywhere.

Identifying It

Nina.—Tom, isn't that the same suit you wore last year?

Tom.—Yes, and it's the same suit you asked me last year if it wasn't the same suit I had the year before.—Harper's.

SPRING IMPURITIES DUE TO POOR BLOOD

A Tonic Medicine a Necessity at This Season

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an all-year-round tonic for the blood and nerves. But they are especially valuable in the spring when the system is loaded with impurities as a result of the indoor life of the winter months. There is no other season when the blood is so much in need of purifying and enriching, and every dose of these pills helps to enrich the blood. In the spring one feels weak and tired—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills give strength. In the spring the appetite is often poor—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills develop the appetite, tone the stomach and aid weak digestion. It is in the spring that poisons in the blood find an outlet in disfiguring pimples, eruptions and boils—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills clear the skin because they go to the root of the trouble in the blood. In the spring anaemia, rheumatism, indigestion, neuralgia and many other troubles are most persistent because of poor, weak blood, and it is at this time when all nature takes on new life that the blood most seriously needs attention. Some people dose themselves with purgatives at this season, but these only further weaken themselves. A purgative merely gallops through the system, emptying the bowels, but does not help the blood. On the other hand, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills enrich the blood which reaches every nerve and every organ in the body, bring new strength and vigor to weak easily tired men, women and children. Try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills this spring—they will not disappoint you.

Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A course in the maintenance and repairing of motor cars is now a feature of one of the largest American colleges.

REMARKABLE LETTER

Canadian Woman Recommends Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Winnipeg, Manitoba.—"I can not speak too highly of what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I was a nervous wreck and I just had to force myself to do my work. Life was a misery and work was a burden. Even the sound of my own children playing made me feel as if I must scream if they did not get away from me. I could not even speak right to my husband. The doctor said that he could do nothing for me owing to my condition, but told me to expect another miscarriage. My husband's grandmother advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I started it right away and everyone noticed what a different woman I was in a short time. I went and engaged my doctor and he did not know me, I was so well. I was able to do my work once more and it was a pleasure, not a burden. Now I have a 'fine bouncing baby' to use the doctor's own words. I am able to nurse her and enjoy doing my work. I can not help recommending such a medicine, and anyone seeing me before I took it and seeing me now, can see what it does or me. What it has done for me it can do for anyone in the same condition. I am only too pleased for you to use my testimonial."—MRS. EMILY DAVIS, 721 McGee St., Winnipeg, Manitoba.

He Never Saw Wife So Well And Strong Says Railroad Man

"If anybody wants to hear about Tanlac, they ought to come out to my house. My wife is so enthusiastic I believe she would be willing to talk all day about it," said M. Burns, St. Rose, Man., well-known Canadian National Railroad man.

"It is natural that she should be delighted with the results she has obtained, because she is like a different person now from what she had been for three years past. Stomach trouble and indigestion made life miserable for her and she was failing day by day.

"Tanlac proved to be the very thing she needed. She says she never felt better in her life and I can believe it, because I know I never saw her looking as well and strong as she does now."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists.

When Milady Goes a-Walking

Madame Fashion is very busy now preparing for spring, in spite of the gloomy winter weather. Here is a coat which she has designed for afternoon wear. The blouse back, which is very popular just now, will be worn extensively this coming season. It is of tan twill and the color value is greatly enhanced by the self-toned embroidery.

For Scientific Research

Give Grants for Research on the Action of Alkali

The Saskatchewan and Alberta Governments and the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. have this year contributed $1,000, and the Advisory Council on Industrial Research has contributed $5,000 towards the research on alkali action through the ground water on concrete piping, piles ,etc. Already more than $200,000 has been spent on this work by the Greater Winnipeg Water District Board. The City of Winnipeg recently made a grant towards the work of $200. The action of alkali ground water on the concrete pipe mains of the Greater Winnipeg Water District has already cost a great sum of money. The engineers have been compelled to put in a subsidiary pipe line to carry away the ground water.

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

Wealth in North Land

According to Lieut.-Colonel A. C. Garner, of Regina, the principal wealth of the north country lies in its minerals. That while some of the land in the extreme north might be reclaimed and made available for farming, the greatest consideration must be given to the development of the mineral resources.

Use Minard's Liniment for the Flu

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

ARE YOU A MOTHER?

Mrs. Dalton tells of a Well-known Doctor's Prescription that is safe for Young Mothers to take as a Tonic and Nervine because it contains no harmful ingredient.

London, Ont.—"Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription saved my life years ago and for that reason I am most enthusiastic in my recommendation of it to women who are ailing and weak. I was taken with the measles when in an expectant condition; then blood poisoning set in and my family became greatly alarmed. The doctor advised them to give me Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and I took several bottles of it and was restored to absolutely perfect health. I later took Favorite Prescription as a tonic and nervine and received great benefit from it. As a woman's medicine it is unequalled."—Mrs. Jennie Dalton, 767 York St.

HEALTH BRINGS BEAUTY

Your Health is Vital to You

Barrie, Ont.—"I was suffering from a rundown system some time ago, was unfit to perform my daily duties, and was advised to try Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. I tried it, took two bottles, and was restored to my natural strength. I cannot praise Dr. Pierce's medicine too highly and will be willing to write to any one sending stamped envelope."—Mrs. A. H. Bishop, R. R. No. 1.

You'll soon feel better if you obtain this "Prescription" of Dr. Pierce's at your nearest drug store, in tablets or liquid, or send 10c to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont., for trial pkg. tablets and write for free medical advice.

Proposed Reductions In British Army Meets With Strong Opposition

London.—An interesting debate arose in the House of Commons between Field-Marshal Sir Henry Watson, former chief of the Imperial General Staff, and Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, secretary of war. Field-Marshal Wilson opposed a reduction in the army on the ground of Great Britain's many responsibilities in Ireland, India, Egypt and elsewhere, while Sir Laming defended the government's policy of retrenchment.

The field-marshal was supported by a number of Conservatives. He denied that the Russian menace was ended. The war secretary contended that the only way to meet Field-Marshal Wilson's demands was to raise a conscript army. Thereupon the field-marshal admitted that he had never dreamed of a conscript army because it would be impossible to order conscripts to serve abroad in peace time.

Sir Laming, in upholding the plan for a reduction, argued that even with Great Britain's enormous responsibilities it was necessary to take some risks.

Propose Soviet Bond Issue

Old and New Debts Are Included in Proposal

That the Russian Soviet Government should issue bonds covering the whole of Russia's indebtedness is understood to have been the British proposal at the first sesison of the allies' technical experts meeting here to prepare an agreement for the conference. Bonds not only covering all of Russia's national debts but also municipal and individual loans to the old and new Russian regimes are understood to have been included in the proposal. The bonds would be exempt from interest for five years. Discussions concerning Russia are featuring the conference of the experts although the Soviet Government is not represented in London.

Order Restored in Nairobi

London.—Nairobi, British Southeast Africa, is all quiet now after the native outbreak, Reuter's correspondent cables. Witnesses in an enquiry into the trouble state at the magistrate's court that the conduct of the native troops had been excellent. They were on duty eighteen hours without a break and maintained discipline in spite of continuous jeering by the rioters.

Urge Wireless Chain

London.—The Council of the Empire Press Union passed a resolution deploring the lack of adequate telegraphic communication and urgently pressing the government to immediately carry or support some scheme for an imperial wireless chain obtaining general approval throughout the empire.

WEAK HEART

NERVES BADLY SHATTERED

Many a woman who should be strong and healthy, full of life and energy is bound by the shackles of ill-health.

Some disease or constitutional disturbance has left its mark in the form of a weak heart, shattered nerves, impoverished blood and an exhausted condition of the whole system.

In

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they will find a remedy that will supply food for the exhausted nerves, one that will strengthen and regulate the weak heart and invigorate the whole system.

Mrs. W. W. Pearse, 14 Seaton St., Toronto, Ont., writes:—"I was left with a weak heart and in a run down condition from the "flu." My nerves were badly shattered, and I had such pains around my heart I could not sleep much at night. I took several doctors' medicines without getting any better. My husband got me to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and after I took one box I got relief, and after taking six boxes I have been well and not bothered since."

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CANADA MUST GUARD AGAINST DISEASES

CHOLERA AND TYPHUS MAY SPREAD THROUGH RUSSIAN IMMIGRANTS

Berlin.—Canada and the United States as well as Central Europe must be on guard against the introduction of cholera and typhus through immigration of Russian refugees, says a warning issued by Dr. A. Schlesinger, of the German Red Cross. Hordes of these refugees are pouring into Germany over the Polish, Letvian and Esthonian borders, and many are seeking passports to Canada or the United States, where they have relatives and friends who are financing them for the journey.

Already nearly 50,000 cases exist in Germany, traced to refugees, and German immigrants from the Volga region have been found to be infected.

"The German and Polish Governments recognize the danger, but cannot head it off. We can only lessen it, and the necessity of doing this led to the calling of the typhus conference in Warsaw," he said.

Asks Information On Natural Resources

J. F. Johnston Also Enquiring About Government Merchant Marine

Ottawa.—The operation or non-operation of the vessels of the Canadian Government Merchant Marine is to come up under question in the House of Commons as a result of a series of enquiries filed by J. F. Johnston, Last Mountain, the chief whip of the Progressives. Mr. Johnston has given notice that he will ask the Government to state how many vessels of the merchant marine fleet are being operated and also the average cost per day of the vessels when they are not in operation.

Mr. Johnston also asks for information on the proposed conference regarding the return of natural resources to the western provinces. Mr. Johnston has given notice that he will ask the ministry to state the total acreage and value of lands held by the Dominion Government in Saskatchewan and Alberta from September 1, 1905 to December 31, 1921.

Air Navigation Must be Developed

Winston Churchill Says Britain Needs Separate Air Ministry

London.—During the House of Commons debate on the air force estimates, Winston Churchill, secretary for the colonies, sturdily defended the need of a separate air ministry and said that Great Britain's insular position had largely disappeared, making progress in air navigation of the highest consequence, not even second to the navy. The vital sea battles of the future would, he said, be fought by airplanes from ships.

Mr. Churchill announced that a committee has been established to examine the relations of the air ministry to the admiralty. A subcommittee of the committee on imperial defence was also being established to enquire into the question of creation of a common brain for the three services while another committee would examine on which question the pooling of the administrative services on all three services depend. Thus the question of establishing a ministry of defence is reaching the threshold of practical politics.

Against Daylight Saving

Ottawa.—Daylight saving is apparently to be a bone of contention in the present session of parliament. Fred Kay, Liberal for Missisquoi, Que., has given notice of a resolution that, "In the opinion of this House, it is desirable that legislation be introduced during the present session to prompt the adoption of daylight saving time in any part of Canada."

WESTERN EDITORS

V. C. French, Editor of The Times, Wetaskiwin, Alta., and President of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association.

British Officers for B.C.

Young Officers from India May Settle on Land in British Columbia

Victoria, B.C.—Major J. W. Clark, in charge of soldiers' settlement work under the department of lands, will leave soon for India.

Several hundred young British officers are being paid out of the Indian army, and at present the British Government is making arrangements to assist their assimilation into civil life in various parts of the Dominions. All of these young officers will have from two to three thousand pounds each.

A few days ago the India office in London cabled the Provincial Government and offered to pay half the expenses of sending a British Columbia representative to India to interview these young officers with the idea that they would come direct from India to British Columbia. It is the intention to place them, if satisfactory arrangements can be concluded, upon lands in the South Okanagan irrigation project.

Further Conference On Embargo Favored

Cities of Great Britain Asked for Views on Matter

London.—Representations on the subject of the importation of Canadian steer cattle have been addressed to the city of London by the Aberdeen County Council, Edinburgh and Glasgow City Councils and the Parliamentary Committee of the co-operative congress as well as other bodies, in favor of a further national conference being called by the Lord Mayor at the Guildhall. The cattle markets' committee of the corporation of the city of London has now communicated with all the cities in Great Britain with a population of 25,000 and upward inviting their views on the matter.

May Send Troops to Ulster

London.—The British Government may have to consider whether it will be possible to place a cordon of Imperial troops between the warring elements on the Ulster frontier, Winston Churchill, the colonial secretary, stated in the House of Commons.

It will Prevent Ulcerated Throat.—At the first symptoms of sore throat, which presages ulceration and inflammation, take a spoonful of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Add a little sugar to it to make it palatable. It will allay the irritation and prevent the ulceration and swelling that are so painful. Those who were periodically subject to quinsy have thus made themselves immune to attack.

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Partial Moratorium Is Granted To Germany Under Certain Conditions

Paris.—The conditions under which the reparations commission will grant Germany a partial moratorium are announced. They include perfect autonomy for the Reichsbank and new legislation to prevent evasion of German capital, the legislation to be ready for application upon a fixed date.

A number of reforms in German financial methods are stipulated. These must go into effect at fixed dates beginning May 31. New resources for reparations money must be found and the funds collected under the control of the allied committee on guarantees which will pass upon their effectiveness and probable yield. If they are found insufficient the reparations commission will consider a number of other measures, including a domestic or foreign loan and eventually a levy upon capital in Germany.

It is stipulated that if reparation payments in kind to the value of 1,450,000 gold marks yearly are not entirely distributed the balance may be required in cash.

If the German Government fails to apply the reforms upon which the partial moratorium is conditioned, the allies may resort to the terms of the annex to the treaty of Versailles authorizing them to take further pledges as a guarantee for reparations payments.

The commission upheld the figures arrived at during the recent Cannes conference for Germany's payments in 1922—cash payments of 720,000,000 gold marks and 1,450,000,000 marks in kind.

The text of the decision of the commission were immediately forwarded to Germany and the various allied governments.

ONTARIO WILL SEIZE LIQUOR IN TRANSIT

ATTORNEY GENERAL WANTS TO KNOW HOW LAW STANDS REGARDING EXPORT

Toronto.—Two recent liquor seizures at Oakville and Hamilton have given rise to an announcement by Attorney General W. E. Raney that all liquor shipments intercepted upon a highway in Ontario will be confiscated and held until such time as the courts pass upon the legality of conditions under which they were in transit.

Mr. Raney said that it was his intention to learn exactly how the law stood in regard to the export of liquor. In order to do this he would press a test case to the highest court. He intimated that legislation might be brought to bear immediately in regard to the present wholesale transportation of liquor, it not being necessary to await the final decision of the courts in this respect.

Object to Orientals

Receiving Education at Expense of Taxpayers in British Columbia

Ottawa.—The House heard something of the perils of Oriental immigration when a British Columbia Progressive had the floor—L. G. McBride, of Cariboo.

Oriental immigration was costing the country millions of dollars, Mr. McBride said, and the effect it would have on civilization could not be ignored. Orientals would not assimilate, and the white and yellow races would never associate. They should not be brought together. He declared that in 1910 only 20 Japanese were born in British Columbia, but in 1920 the number had grown to 657. In 1910, 17 Japanese were born in British Columbia to every 1,000 white. In 1920, the foreigners were 69 Japanese to 1,000 white.

Orientals were receiving their education at the expense of the British Columbia taxpayers, Mr. McBride continued. In Vancouver it cost $60,000 to educate Orientals last year. The influx of Japanese and Chinese tended to lower the moral and laboring standards of the community. It was a situation which must be ended at once.

"We think about Orientals now, what you will think about them in 25 years," Mr. McBride added.

Dye Skirt, Dress Or Faded Draperies In Diamond Dyes

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye or tint faded, shabby skirts, dresses, waists, coats, sweaters, stockings, hangings, draperies, everything like new. Buy "Diamond Dyes"—no other kind—then perfect home dyeing is guaranteed, even if you have never dyed before. Tell your druggist whether the material you wish to dye is wool or silk, or whether it is linen, cotton, or mixed goods. Diamond Dyes never streak, spot, fade, or run.

France to Retain Army

Must be Prepared to Guard Against German Menace In Future

Paris.—"France must have three men to one man for Germany as a standing army when the zero hour ends again," said General De Castelnau, chairman of the army commission in the Chamber of deputies, in advocating the eighteen months' "service bill as sponsored by the commission."

"Germany," General Castelnau continued, "has seven divisions of infantry and three of cavalry, and these forces can be trebled over night. The League of Nations has not yet realized militarily that the U.S. absolutely refuses to cross its threshold. We are a great pacifist nation, but we cannot vouch for others. Thus we must remain attached to the principle of an armed nation."

The eighteen months bill now before the Chamber of Deputies provides for thirty-two metropolitan divisions ready for immediate action.

Hong Kong has a slave colony where girls are sold as low as $5 a head.

Extending Paper Mill

Work Being Commenced on Building at Port Arthur

Port Arthur, Ont.—A. G. Pounsford, manager of the Port Arthur Division of the Provincial Paper Mills Limited, announced the actual commencement of work on the construction of a paper mill extension to the company's present plant.

The extension is to be completed by May 1, 1923, and at an estimated cost of $1,500,000. The mill will be equipped with one 146 book machine capable of turning out thirty tons of book paper a day. The main market for the product will be Western Canada.

Lords' Vote Defeats Government

London.—The Government was defeated in the House of Lords by the adoption of an amendment to the Irish Free State Bill to guarantee pensions to Irish civil servants. The vote was 42 to 40.

Successful Air Trip

St. John's, Nfld.—The air mail in charge of Pilot V. H. Bennett and carrying one passenger, made a successful trip from Bolwood to Twillingate.

"They Certainly Did Help Me"

WHY PASCAL THEBEAU RECOMMENDS DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

New Brunswick Man Now in Good Health Advises all Sufferers from Kidney Trouble to use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Village St. Jean, Kent Co., N.B.—(Special).—"Dodd's Kidney Pills certainly helped me."

Such is the emphatic statement of Pascal Thebeau, a well-known resident of this village.

"I was very ill of Kidney disease," Mr. Thebeau continues. "In the morning I was so weak I could not get up before mid-day. I took three boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they did me a lot of good."

"Now I am well again and I advise any person suffering from Kidney disease to use Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills are known in every corner of Canada as the old reliable Canadian Kidney remedy. They are known by the work they have done.

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills are not the remedy for sick kidneys.

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We have a quantity of this grain for sale.

It is one of the surest crops for use in dry or hilly ground; two crops in the season.

Also for growing in orchards and ploughing under as a fertilizer.

Price: $3.00 per 100 lbs.

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CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, MAR. 31

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Red Cross Nurses

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—The nurses placed in rural communities by the Red Cross Society in British Columbia are public health nurses; that is, they are graduates of hospital training schools giving a three years' course, and have taken a university post graduate course in public health nursing.

The entire modern health movement depends upon the adequate development of the public health nurse. While her activities consist in doing the necessary bedside nursing, the largest part of her work consists in teaching people how to live so as to keep well, hence her work is largely instructional and preventive, as the following will show: Bedside care, prenatal care, infant and child welfare care, home nursing lectures control of communicable diseases, tuberculosis, and sanitation.

When a community applies for a nurse a local branch of the Red Cross Society must be formed, who are expected to provide comfortable quarters and adequate transportation facilities.

The salary paid is $1500 yearly. The local branch must undertake to raise and pay as much as possible towards this salary. The Provincial Branch pays toward the support of the public health nurse at Creston $1200 yearly; the community pays $300 yearly. The head office retains control of its nurses through the director of nursing service, who pays periodical inspection visits to all the rural centres throughout B.C. O.E.L.

Value of Fertilizer

[Publication requested]

Apple trees that will bear a crop every year have been and are almost as eagerly sought after as the elixir of life. In many cases the difference between annual bearing and biennial bearing means just the difference between profit and loss. W. M. Grant, of Blenhelm, Ont., who has a fruit and early vegetable farm near Chatham, has an orchard which has borne continuously for the last six years and promises to keep this up indefinitely. The secret, according to Mr. Grant, lies in the timely application of fertilizer.

Mr. Grant is a graduate of the O.A.C., and has been growing apples, tobacco and vegetables for many years. His farm is about twelve miles from Chatham, on the provincial highway from Niagara to Windsor. The problem of annual bearing of apple trees interested him strongly, and the system which he has worked out is based on his scientific knowledge of the fruiting habit of the apple as well as on his practical experience as a farmer.

When the tree commences the operations of growth and reproduction in the spring it has three things to do. First, it has to produce enough leaves to manufacture its food; then it has to develop the fruit buds for the year's crop; and finally it has to produce fruit buds for the next year's crop.

If there is any deficiency of food the first to suffer are the fruit buds for the next year's crop. They simply are not produced. If the food supply is still further diminished the fruit buds for the present year's crop are sunted in their development.

Nature always protects the tree and produces leaves first so that the life of the tree will be saved. Therefore if the food supply is large enough at the time when the tree is beginning its work, all three processes can be taken care of at once and the result is annual bearing.

There is just one time to apply the fertilizer and that is when the leaf buds are showing green and are just ready to burst. The fertilizer is of necessity of an "available" form, and if it is applied too early it will leach away before the tree can use it. If it is applied too late the tree will have gone past the stage when food would save next year's fruit buds and the fertilizer applied then will merely start the tree off into a riotous production of wood. A week either way from the correct time is nearly useless.

Mr. Grant's orchard covers about four and a half acres and is composed mostly of Baldwins with a few Kings. On that orchard he puts two tons of fertilizer every spring. Five hundred pounds of nitrate of soda are used with two thousand pounds of bone flour. These provide the main source of nitrogen and phosphorus. In addition to this fifteen hundred pounds of a four-two-six mixture are used. This mixture is made from the mother liquor which is a a by-product of the beet sugar refinery. The liquor contains six per cent. of potash and is the sole source of potash in the fertilizer.

It is poured over peat which absorbs it. Then the peat is granulated so that it will mix with the nitrate of soda and the bone flour and run through a fertilizer drill. A combination grain and fertilizer drill is used on Mr. Grant's farm to spread the mixture.

Thinning of the crop after the fruit is set is endorsed by Mr. Grant, but, like many other things, the cost and scarcity of labor often prevents its being done. Annual bearing can be secured without thinning the crop, though thinning would probably improve the quality of the fruit.

Some years ago, Mr. Grant recorded the average production of six trees in his orchard, which is about twenty-three years old and just at its best. The average production of the six trees was twenty-two and a third bushels per tree and apples were selling at two dollars per bushel that year. Such figures are a fair answer to the men who maintain that they cannot afford to use commercial fertilizer on their orchards.—A.H.M.

FOR SALE—Oak refrigerator, good as new; also white enameled provision cabinet, two shelves, and galvanized ice box. Enquire Review Office.

[Corrected Notice.

WATER NOTICE

USE AND STORAGE

Take notice that Canyon City Lumber Company, Limited, whose address is Creston, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use of Ten (10) acre feet, and to store Ten (10) acre feet of water out of North Branch of Floyd Creek, which flows south and drains into Goat River about one mile from dam. The storage dam will be located at the Company's mill on Lots 209 and 210 of Lot 812. The capacity of the reservoir is about Three (3) acre feet, and it will flood about three-quarter acres af land. The water will be dammed in the stream at the Company's mill, and will be used for mill pond, steam and domestic purposes upon the millsite, described as Lots 209 and 210, D.L. 812, G. 1, K.D. Map number. This notice was posted on the ground on the 14th day of March, 1922. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the Water Act, 1914, will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson, B.C. Objection to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

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Include Men's & Women's from Murray's

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Dark Brown Calf Oxfords	7.00
Women's High Kid Bals	7.75
Women's Black Kid Oxfords	5.50
Women's Brown Calf Oxfords	7.00

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Baby's Black Kid, button, pair	$ 1.75
Children's Patent, strap	1.75
Children's, in the new 2-Strap Patent Slippers, sizes 4 to 7½	2.40
Sizes 8 to 10½	2.75
Misses, 11 to 2	3.25
Women's Patent 3-bar strap	4.25
Women's Brown Calf, high	7.50
Misses' Brown Calf Bals	5.00
Women's Black Kid Oxfords	5.50
Women's Duchess Calf, 2-strap	6.00

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RE SPECIAL TIMBER LICENSES

The attention of Timber License holders who are taking advantage of the provisions of the 1921 Amendment to the FOREST ACT, whereby arrears of license fees accrued prior to 31st December, 1920, have been funded and made payable in annual instalments, is specially directed to the fact that any renewal fee which became due in 1921 is not included in the instalments above mentioned, and such 1921 and all subsequent renewal fees must be paid within one year after the date of the expiry of the license in order to maintain the right of the holder to obtain a renewal of the license.

Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 2095

Meets THIRD THURSDAY of each month at Mercantile Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

ERIC OLSON, W.M

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

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

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

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

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

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

Local and Personal

WANTED—Drake, any variety. Arthur North, Sirdar.

White Wyandotte Eggs, $1.25 for 14. F. W. Ash, Creston.

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, English style, $20. Enquire Review Office.

FOR SALE—Ancona roosters, $4 each, at Arrowsmith's ranch, Creston.

Dr. Lillie, dentist, will make his next visit to Creston from March 31st to April 9th.

Mrs. Charles Moore left on Thursday last for a few weeks' visit with old friends in Kaslo.

FOR SALE—Six lovely Rhode Island Red pullets, in lay, $1.50 each. Harrison ranch, Erickson.

Have you had your Easter novelties put aside? You will soon be too late. Beattie-Oatway, Ltd.

FOR SALE—3-burner coal oil stove; just what you want for summer cooking. Enquire Review Office.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds, $1.25 for sitting of 15 eggs. Mrs. W. V Jackson.

FOR SALE—Western Queen range, good as new, $25. Apply Hayden's restaurant, opposite Speers' store.

POSTS FOR SALE—A few hundred tamarac posts, peeled and dry, 6 and 9-inch tops. Geo. Hobden, Creston.

CAR FOR SALE—Baby Grand Chevrolet, in good shape, price right for immediate sale. Mrs. W. K. Brown.

The April meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. Watcher at 3 p.m., Friday April 7th.

Creston merchants inaugurate the Wednesday half-holiday next week, April 5th, and it will remain in force until the end of October.

FOR SALE—Democrat, strong, shafts or pole, terms if necessary. Also a treadle sewing machine in good condition, cheap. Geo. Davie, Canyon.

Westbound freight traffic is particularly heavy just now In view of the prospective miners strike on April 1st an unusually large tonnage of coke is being handled.

Mrs. Kennedy, who arrived last fall from Alberta, has the carpenters busy on the erection of a six-room two-story residence in the Park Road neighborhood.

FOR SALE—Very choice grey mare 5 years old, broken to single and double harness, weight about 1250. Price $125. C. Blair, Reclamation Farm, Creston.

A substantial new sidewalk has just been put down on the west side of Canyon street, connecting the Bank of Commerce with the sidewalk leading down to the C.P.R. station.

The ladies of Creston's Latter Day Saints Church are giving a pie social and dance in the Parish Hall to-night, Friday, March 31st, to which all are invited. Dancing at 8 o'clock. Gentlemen 50 cents; ladies 25c.

Official announcement was received at the end of the week that Creston's six day Chautauqua will open on June 16th. Advance notices indicate that this year's programmes will be even better than those presented in 1921.

Members are reminded that the April meeting of Creston Valley Women's Institute will be held on Thursday afternoon, April 13th, and one of the features will be a talk by Miss Whiddon on "Making Organdie Flowers."

R. G. A. Hockley, who has spent the past three months at Victoria, arrived home on Thursday last. He states the capital is the slowest he has seen it in the last four years in which he has been a regular winter visitor at the coast.

Next Friday night's appointment is the popular concert in the Grand Theatre, which is being given by the brass band. The admission is 50 cents, and an exceptionally attractive musical and literary pragramme will be submitted.

Easter Monday's social attraction is the whist drive and dance under fall fair auspices in the Parish Hall. Four attractive prizes will be given at cards and the best local music obtainable will play for the dance, which will start at 11 p.m.

HORSE ASTRAY AT LISTER

Came to the premises of the undersigned on or about January 1st one heavy bay horse. Owner can have same on paying all expenses. W. MITCHELL, Lister, B.C.

LAND FOR SALE

Part East Half of Sublot 72A, Lot 4595, being 17 acres more or less. For information apply Windsor Hotel, Lundbreck, Alta.

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Finest Quality Cooked Ham
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NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

Within a month both banks at Greenwood have changed managers.

Cranbrook Methodist church is 22 years old, and in that time has had seven pastors.

The rod and gun club would like a fish hatchery established in the Cranbrook district.

More swings and other playground equipment is being put in at the Cranbrook school this spring.

The provincial police at Penticton has collected over $14,000 in motor licenses this year already.

A thorough canvass of Cranbrook citizens last week netted almost $800 for the Russian famine fund.

This year it will take at least $40,000 to finance Penticton schools. A year ago only $31,000 was required.

W. M. Harris has just been appointed postmaster at Cranbrook, and takes over the work on April 1st.

Official notice has been given that the name of the Wattsburg postoffice will be changed to Lumberton on April 1st.

Penticton police commissioners want a new jail erected this year, and the present lockup made available for a dog pound.

The Penticton Herald is informed that the Government liquor stores will shortly reduce prices on all lines of wet goods handled.

Grand Forks has now two liquor export houses, and a third is in prospect. The town also has a Government liquor emporium.

At Cranbrook the Women's Institute is urging the council to make a generous appropriation wherewith to beautify the town cemetery.

Cranbrook council will require $110,000 to take care of the municipal expenditures this year. In 1921 the total required was about $85000 less.

At Penticton the chief of police has asked the attorney general to give the necessary authority to stop the sale of newspapers in that town on Sunday.

All the frozen water pipes in Penticton have now thawed out and the municipal water delivery wagon was discontinued the last week in March.

Penticton has only two poolrooms, and though the town has almost 3000 population the authorities are reluctant to issue any more licenses of that sort.

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The Homesteaders

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(Continued)

How he — Harris — wearied by the long ride in the bright, thin air, had gone to sleep confidently with Allan at his side, and of how he had suddenly been awakened by a shot and had heard Allan spring to his feet and rush across the floor of the old building. Then there had been another shot—a revolver shot this time—and everything was darkness, and he could hear only something struggling at the door. Then he told of his own fight; of how they had fallen and rolled about on the rotten floor, and how, in desperation, he had not hesitated to use his teeth on the hand of his assailant, who had finally broken away and disappeared in the darkness. Then he told the rest of the story; of his vigil with Allan, of the loss of the money, of the capture of Travers, and finally of the arrival of the policeman on the scene.

"Didn' t it seem to you a foolish thing to go into the hills with all that money to meet a man you had never seen, and buy a property you had never examined?" asked the coroner.

"It wasn't foolishness; it was stark, raving madness, as I see it now," Harris admitted. "But I didn't see it that way then. It looked like a lot of easy money. I didn't care whether there was a coal mine at all or not, so long as we made our turn-over to the New York people."

"But did it not occur to you that the whole thing—coal mine and mine owner and New Yorkers and all—was simply a scheme hatched up to induce you away into the fastnesses of the foothills with a lot of money in your possession?"

A half-bewildered look came over Harris, as of a man gripped by a new and paralyzing thought. But he shook his head. "No, it couldn't have been that," he said. "You see, Riles was an old neighbor of mine, and Mr. Gardiner, too, I knew for a good many years. It wasn't like as if I had been dealing with strangers."

"We will go deeper into that matter after a little," said the coroner. "It's very fortunate Mr. Gardiner is here to add what light he can to the mystery. We will now adjourn to the room where the younger Mr. Harris lies and hear his evidence. It would be unwise to move him for some days yet."

They found Allan partly propped up in the white bed. His face was pale, and his hands were astonishingly thin and white, but his mind was clear, and he could talk without difficulty. He covered much the same ground as his father had done, up to the point where the elder Harris had fallen asleep in the old building.

"I can't tell you how it happened, Doctor," he said, turning his eyes, larger now in his pale face, upon the coroner, "but I think I got very homesick—I guess I was pretty tired, too—and I began thinking of things that had happened long ago, back when I was a little child, in a little sod shanty that the old shack in the valley some way seemed to bring to mind. And then I guess I fell asleep, too, but suddenly I sat up in a great fright. I'm not a coward," he said, with a faint smile. "When I'm feeling myself it takes more than a notion or a dark night to send the creeps up the back of my neck. But I own I sat up there so frightened my teeth chattered. I had a feeling that I was going to be attacked—I didn't know by what—maybe by a wild beast—but something was going to rush in through that old blanket hanging in the door and pounce on me."

The sweat was standing on Allan's face, and he sank back weakly into the pillows. Beulah placed a glass to his lips, and the doctor told him to take his time with his story. The jurors stood about the bed in silence, looking from one to the other with expressions that suggested they were almost in the presence of the supernatural. If the black bag with the money had slowly risen out of the floor someone would have quietly set it in a corner until Allan was ready to continue his evidence.

"As the minutes went by," Allan continued, after an interval, "that terrible dread grew upon me, and my sense of danger changed from fear to certainty. Something was going to attack me through that door! I raised my gun and took careful aim. I saw the blanket swing a little; then I saw the fingers of a man's hand. Then I fired.

"Perhaps I am a murderer," he continued, simply, "but before God I know no more why I fired that shot than you do."

There were deep breathing and shuffling of feet as Allan completed this part of his statement, but only the coroner found his voice. "Most remarkable evidence," he ejaculated. "Most extraordinary evidence. I have never heard anything so obviously sincere and at the same time so altogether unexplainable."

"Perhaps it's not so remarkable," said a quiet voice; and Mary Harris made her way through the circle of men to the side of the bed. She sat down on the coverlet and took the boy's hand in hers. It mattered not how many were looking on; he was her little boy again.

"You will understand, Doctor, and some of you men are parents," she began. "Allan will be twenty-five years old this coming winter. A little less than twenty-five years ago my husband was obliged to leave me alone for a considerable period in our little sod shanty on the homestead where we had located down in Manitoba. There were no near neighbors, as we count distance in well-settled districts, and I was altogether alone. I stood it all right for the first day or two, but my nerves were not what they should have been, and gradually a strange, unreasoning fear came upon me. I suppose it was the immensity of the prairies, the terrible loneliness of it all, and my own state of health, but the dread grew from day to day and from night to night. I tried to busy myself, to keep my mind active, to throw off the spectre that haunted me, but day and night I was oppressed with a sense of impending danger. We had no wooden door on the house; we hadn't money to buy the boards to make one, and all my protection was a blanket hung in the doorway. I used to watch that blanket at night; I would light the lantern and sit in the corner and watch that blanket. My fear gradually pictured to itself an attack through that doorway—I didn't know by what; by white man, or Indian, or wild beast, or ghost, or worse, if that is possible; my mind could not balance things; nothing seemed too unreasonable or terrible to expect. So I took the gun, and sat in the corner, and waited.

"And then at last it came. I didn't see anything, and I didn't hear anything, but I knew it was there. I still remember how frightened and yet how cool I was in that last moment. I held the gun to my shoulder and waited for it to thrust itself against the blanket. In another moment I am sure I should have fired. But before that moment I heard my name called, and I knew my husband's voice, and I came out of the nightmare."

She brought her eyes slowly from the face of the doctor over the group of men assembled in the room, and then dropped them to meet Allan's. He was breathing her name softly. "If it was a wrong thing for Allan to shoot this man," she said, "don't blame Allan for it. Let me pay any price that must be paid."

"Most extraordinary," the coroner repeated, after a silence. "It seems to account for the shooting of Riles, but it leaves us as much as ever—more than ever, I should say—in the dark concerning the disappearance of the money, and the part which has implicated the young man Travers in the affair."

The banker gave his evidence. It was not unusual, he said, for considerable sums in bank-notes to be handled among speculators and land buyers, but the amount withdrawn by Harris was so great that it had left him somewhat ill at ease, and as Sergeant Grey had happened his way he had mentioned the matter to him.

The policeman shed little new light on the case. He had followed the party into the hills as best he could, taking the off chance of something sinister afoot. He had found Harris, with his wounded son, and a prisoner, and a man dead in the doorway. He had notified the coroner and taken Travers in charge. Here his eyes met Beulah's. "I don't think there is anything more to be said," he concluded.

During the hearing of the various witnesses Gardiner had attempted an air of impersonal interest, but with no great success. His demeanour, studied though it was, betrayed a certain anxiety and impatience. He was dressed just as he had dismounted from his horse, having removed only his hat. But he smiled confidently when asked for his evidence, and told his story calmly and connectedly.

It is quite true that he was associated with Riles and Mr. Harris in the coal-mine investment. He was acting for the owner of the property, but had seen that a large profit was to be made from the turn-over, and had been glad to place the opportunity in the way of two old friends. The offer from the New York concern was entirely bona fide; he had the telegram in his pocket at that moment, notwithstanding the suggestion made by the coroner, which, if he might say so, he thought was hardly warranted, and would not have been made with a full knowledge of the circumstances. The owner of the mine could be produced at the proper moment, if that became necessary.

"I feel a grave responsibility in this whole matter," Gardiner protested, with some emotion. "I feel that I am, at least indirectly, responsible for the serious loss that has befallen Mr. Harris, and for the injury to his son. But when you have heard the whole circumstances you will agree that the situation was one I could not possibly have foreseen. Let me give them to you in some detail.

"The day before yesterday, in company with Riles, I met Mr. Harris and his son, and found that their money had arrived. The remittance was not as large as they expected, but I believed that I could raise some money privately, and that we would still be able to put the deal through. I advised against losing any time, as I knew that if the owner should meet anyone else interested in a proposition of a similar nature we would find it much harder to make a bargain with him. It was arranged that the two Mr. Harrises were to drive ahead, taking the money with them, and that Riles and I would follow. We were to overtake them at the old building where the unfortunate tragedy occurred. As it happened, I had a sick horse at the ranch, and, as I was delayed in getting some medicine for him, Riles suggested that he would ride out to the ranch—that is, where I live—and wait for me there. Up to that time I had no suspicions, and I agreed to that.

"Well, when I reached the ranch, I could find nothing of Riles, and, on further search, I could find nothing of Travers, who was working for me. Their riding horses were gone, and so were their saddles and bridles. I found that Travers had taken his revolver out of the house. I confess my suspicions were then somewhat aroused, but I found myself with the sick horse on my hands, and I could not very well leave the place. Of course, I never thought of anything so bad as has happened, or I would not have considered the horse, but I admit I was at a loss to understand their conduct. But when I heard, early this morning, what had happened, it was all clear to me."

During the latter part of this evidence Travers had fixed his eyes on Gardiner, but the witness had steadily avoided him. Jim was now convinced that he was the victim, not of a coincidence, but a plot. Of course, he could give his evidence, which would be directly contradictory to that of Gardiner, but he was already under suspicion, and anything he might say would be unconsciously discounted by the jurors. But he began calmly, a quiet smile still playing about his thin lips and clean teeth.

"I am sorry I cannot corroborate all the last witness has said," he commenced. "I did not leave the ranch with Riles; on the contrary, I was fishing down by the river when I saw Riles and Gardiner ride by. Gardiner was talking, and I heard him mention Mr. Harris's name. I worked for Mr. Harris not long ago, but I did not know he was in this part of the country. I heard Gardiner say ——" Jim coloured a little, and stopped.

"Well, what did you hear him say?" said the coroner. "That is what we are anxious to know."

(To be continued)

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Twenty-one drillers have left Petrolea for the oilfields of Mesopotamia. They will be engaged by the Anglo-Persian Oil Company.

Orders directing the return to the United States by July 1 of all troops now quartered on the Rhine were issued by Secretary Hughes.

Rum runners along the Canadian border will be hunted by wireless, according to advices by Commissioner Haynes from Col. Roy C. Vandercook, head of the Michigan department of public safety.

The German steamer Antonio Delfino arrived at Boulogne from Hamburg and embarked passengers and mails for the voyage to Buenos Ayres. She is the first Transatlantic vessel under the German flag to call at Boulogne since the war in regular service.

George Richardson, who blew the charge when the Light Brigade rode up to the guns at Balaclava, died recently at Liverpool. It is believed that he is the last of the gallant Six Hundred. He possessed 16 medals given for valor.

The hydrographic office of the U.S. Navy Dept. issued a warning to mariners that the North Atlantic steamship lanes, normally used from February 1 to August 31, may be rendered hazardous by the presence of extensive ice fields.

"Papa" Maiss, who was reputed to be the oldest schoolmaster in the world on the active list, has just retired on his well earned pension, aged 90 years. He had been a teacher for 70 years and absent from his desk only 12 days through illness.

The Submarine Evil

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If we are to build submarines, and even more submarines than before the war, naval competition will be perpetuated in a new and dangerous form. Nor can we regard the restrictions on their use which have been accepted at Washington as a sufficient safeguard against their future misuse. The restrictions are of importance, and we do not doubt that they have been adopted with sincerity, but such rules have been made before and then broken by nations confronted with imminent defeat. Experience has proved that submarines are almost useless except for attacks on merchant shipping, and if we are really determined to rule out such attacks from among the more hideous possibilities of warfare there is only one way to do it, and that is to scrap the submarine.—London Observer.

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Irrigators to Meet

Convention to be Held at Maple Creek and Brooks in July

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Interested in Western Canada

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(By G. C. Porter, of Winnipeg)

Minneapolis, Minn.—Canadian Government Agencies at this point and the railroad Natural Resources Department Agents, are in receipt of letters from points as remote as California and Florida, from farmers who want to move to Western Canada. Some of them are from men who went to those States as recently as three years ago to try fruit growing, lured there by advertising companies owning large acreage. They are dissatisfied, and are anxious to get back North.

Must Be More Co-operation

Co-operation by the people of Western Canada and more co-operation in helping get settlers on the land is what the railroad men, immigration Government agents and real estate men with whom I have talked emphasize as a prime essential if the full advantage is to be taken of the trend that is setting in from the States towards the vacant lands over the line.

How It Can Be Done

Howard Everett, president of the Luce Land Company, speaks with wide experience in this field. He told me of the days when the Luce Company was taking thousands into Saskatchewan. They looked after their particular settlers and helped locate them on the land. There was not the co-operation and help for those new arrivals that he would like to have seen and such as is necessary if every settler taken in is to be anchored to the soil. The machinery was not there for the co-operation purpose. The spirit of encouragement was there but there was no organization. Mr. Everett did not think that this should be left to haphazard chance. There should be organized bodies to meet these new comers. If the people were worth advertising for and worth sending highly paid agents over the country for, they were worth taking care of until settled when they arrived at their destination.

More Attention at the Border

Many of the men with whom I have talked emphasized another weakness that is proving most expensive. It is the handling of emigrants going into Canada when they are at the border. Of course, there must be immigration officers to interview these people seeking admission to Canada, but one Dominion Government agent told me that last year 250 being sent into the prairies to go on farms were turned back at the border by the Canadian Immigration officers. Those familiar with the working of the Government Immigration Bureau in the States assert that they think a certificate from any one of these agents issued to a prospective settler in order that he can get his cheap railroad ticket on arrival in Winnipeg, should be sufficient evidence for the admission of such person on arrival at the border without further information.

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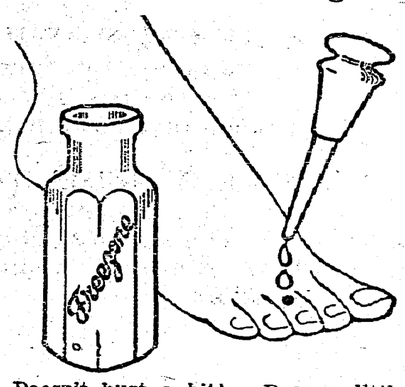

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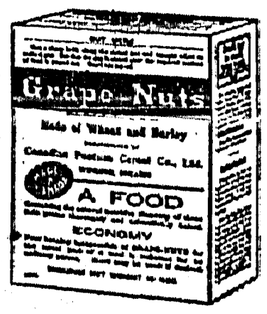

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Local and Personal

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The illustrated lecture dealing with missionary work in India, which was given in the Parish Hall on Tuesday night, was fairly well attended. An excellent lot of pictures were shown, and the evening proved both entertaing and instructive.

Cranbrook Courier: The Courier learned this week of the wedding of Miss Patricia (Pat) Carlson, formerly of St. Eugene hospital nursing staff, and Mr. R. R. Piper, the well-known accountant, which took place at Portland, Ore., some time ago.

To-day is the last day on which to mail your Dominion income tax returns, and Monday is the last day on which you can have your name placed on the provincial voters list for the spring revision.

Commencing this week Creston Bakery will have ice cream on sale every day in the week in the refreshment parlor. Mr. Norris is occupying his enlarged quarters and now has one of the tidiest and best appointed ice cream parlors in the Kootenays.

A meeting of the executive of the Creston Valley Liberal Association will be held in the Board of Trade rooms on Tuesday night to make arrangements for the meeting of the Kaslo Riding Liberal Association, which will be here on Friday, April 7th.

Rev. J. Knox Wright, travelling secretary for the Canadian Bible Society, will be here on his annual visi on Thursday night, April 6th, and will give an illustrated lecture in the Presbyterian Church that evening, commencing, at 8 o'clock. Admission is free.

Pile driving commenced on the new bridge on the Mission Road on Friday last. Bridge foreman Jas. Johnston is in charge of the work, and is employing a crew of about seven men. It will likely be early in May before the bridge will be complete and ready for use.

All the baseball players and fans are reminded of the annual meeting of Creston Baseball Club which will be held in Speers' Hall on Monday, evening, April 3rd, at 8 p.m. 1921 was the town's banner year at baseball, and the outlook for this year is equally promising.

Owing to a delay in the shipment of the film, "The Golden Snare," there was no showing of that picture at the Grand on Wednesday night as previously advised—much to the disappointment of a large crowd which is always in evidence at these Wednesday night special attractions.

A meeting of the town businessmen was held in Speers' Hall on Friday night, when an address was delivered by B. Peeps of Vancouver, travelling secretary of the Retail Merchants Association of Canada. Another meeting will be held to-night to discuss the organization of a branch association here.

Sheriff Doyle of Nelson was a business visitor here on Saturday for the purpose of disposing of the portable sawmill plant of the Homeseekers' Agency, which was in operation at Wynndel last year. The sale took place at the Creston provincial police office, and the plant was disposed of to J. B. Winlaw.

The next meeting of Creston Local of the United Farmers is announced for Monday, April 10th, at 8 p.m. President Quist has a live committee at work mapping out a program for the season's meetings, and some interesting sessions may be looked for. Quite a large order for powder was sent in this week.

A. L. Walker of Fernie, D.D.G.M. of District No. 8, will pay his official visit to Creston Masonic Lodge on Wednesday evening next. After the lodge session, which will include conferring degrees, there will be the usual banquet and speechmaking, and a full turnout of members and visiting brethren is hoped for.

Jas. Adlard left the fore part of the week for Kamloops where he is in attendance with the special committee of the provincial United Farmers that has been entrusted with the task of drafting the platform upon which the new party the farmers will form will appeal to the people at the next B.C. provincial election.

Cranbrook Courier: Alex. Emery of Creston, the man who has been at the pearly gates on numerous occasions and who has the proverbial nine lives, is in the city for a few days on business. Mr. Emery has acquired four lots in the town of Creston, and will shortly branch out in the poultry business on a small scale.

Not for many years has the export of eggs been as heavy at this season as is the case at Valley points at present. Usually there is at least a dozen cases to go out by freight in the Tuesday heated car service, as well as quite heavy shipping by express. A weekly export of almost 500 dozens of eggs would not be too generous an estimate of the outgo of hen fruit at present.

The premises opposite the new Speers' store, until lately occupied as the Asher photo gallery, are being remodelled and renovated and on Saturday Mrs. O. Hayden will open them up as the Creston Cafe. Meals will be served at all hours between 7 a.m. and 10 p.m., and afternoon tea and lunch may also be had. First-class service will be given and charges will be moderate.

A meeting of delegates from all the Liberal Associations in the Kaslo riding will be held at Creston on Friday afternoon next for the purpose of reorganizing the district association, selecting delegates to the provincial convention in Nelson in June, and drafting resolutions to be submitted to the provincial gathering. About ten delegates are expected from the north end of the riding.

Messrs. Adlard and Littlejohn have just completed the rounds of the area embraced in the new Arrow Creek irrigation district and have been successful in getting the signatures of fully two-thirds of the assessed valuation to their petitions favoring the project, and the petitions have been sent on to Victoria. The new irrigation district comprises almost 2200 acres with an assessed value of close to $500,000.

Official announcement was made early in the week of the appointment of Jimmy Lockhead to succeed F. K. Hurry in charge of the Kootenay River ferry. The appointment should prove a popular one all round. The new ferryman has a reputation for courtesy and a willingness to oblige people and, in addition, is well qualified to look after the engine and other ferry equipment. He starts work to-morrow.

Anglican Church Services

SUNDAY, APRIL 2

CRESTON 10 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. — ERICKSON 3.00 p.m.

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