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Lister

Rev. G. Knox was at Lister for the usual fortnightly service at the school on Sunday morning, and was greeted with an audience that filled every available seat.

A meeting of Camp Lister taxpayers was held in the schoolhouse on Saturday night, to appoint a trustee to fill the place of secretary Fred Powers, who recently resigned. After a close contest Mrs. Yerbury was elected to fill the vacancy.

Wilfred Langston arrived here on Wednesday last from the Old Country for an extened stay with his brother, E. L. Langston.

Col. Lister entertained at a house party on Friday night. A large number of the Creston younger set were present, and a thoroughly enjoyable evening was spent with dancing and music, with an excellent lunch at midnight.

Sam Lazachuk, who has been laid up with an axe-cut foot, is able to be about again much the same as usual.

A social evening, to wind up with a dance, will be held in the schoolhouse on Saturday night, January 27th. A collection will be taken in aid of the piano fund. Ladies please bring lunch.

J. W. Head is home again, operations at Porthill having been suspended, due to lack of sleighing.

C. H. Phillips left on a business visit to Cranbrook on Sunday.

E. J. Malthouse has this week started work on the erection of a standard 18 x 24 barn.

C. Frampton has just completed a tidy looking 32 x 16 ft. poultry house for Ed Smith.

Immediately following the school meeting the annual meeting of the Stockbreeders Association was held. Secretary W. N. Wright presented a most satisfactory financial statement, and James Huscroft expressed his willingness to keep the dual Shorthorn bull loaned by the department of agriculture, Ottawa, for another year. Accordingly permission has been asked of Ottawa in order to be able to keep the sire for another year. The following officers were elected for 1923: President, R. T. Milner. Vice-president, Charles Frampton: Secretary, W. N. Wright. Executive, J. Bird and John Huscroft.

Kitchener

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pearson and little daughter, Esther, of Moyie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fransen for a few days last week.

BIRTH—At St Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook, on January 15th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Toisy, a daughter.

H. Spence was a week-end visitor with Cranbrook friends.

GRAND THEATRE
Saturday, FEBURARY 3

Anita Stewart
in
Playthings of Destiny

Although she was married to a man she loved, she married a man she didn't Love. Was it cheating?

A story of life that will carry you from the frozen barrens to tropic shores.

Mrs. Barr of Kimberley was a visitor at B. Johnson's last week.

BIRTH—At St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook, to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cameron, a daughter.

Mrs. Molander and Fritz were week-end visitors at Moyie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Driffil entertained a number of their friends at bridge on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd have just arrived in town and are living at the Sash & Door.

Miss Irene Schmidt of Sirdar was a week-end guest of Mrs. Hunt.

H. A. McKowan, who has been here for some time, returned to Cranbrook on Sunday.

Erickson

Frank Celli, who has been a visitor at New York state points since the middle of December, returned home a few days ago.

The icy condition of the roads is expediting lumbering operations, and Putnam and Palmer will this week finish their log hauling contract with G. J. Bayle at Canyon siding. They are then taking on a tie haul for Mr. Bayle.

At the Holy Cross Church whist at Creston on Friday night Mike McCarthy proved himself the top scorer of the evening, whilst Mrs. Fenton Smith brought home the ladies low scoring honors.

The pupils of the junior room at Erickson school had a couple of days vacation the middle of last week, Miss Holmes being confined to her home with a very severe cold.

Mrs. Percy Adams of Cranbrook is a visitor here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Attwood.

Miss Kate Boffey was a visitor with friends in Nelson a few days last week.

Whilst working at log loading at Canyon Siding on Monday night Ray McKelvey had his left leg badly jammed just above the ankle when one of the logs slipped off the skid and banged the leg up against another log. He is under Dr. Henderson's care and will be off work a couple of weeks.

R. J. Long got back on Sunday from a week's business visit at Penticton and Kelowna.

Wynndel

Mrs. Sadler returned last Wednesday from a visit with her mother at Coleman, Alta.

Skating is again in full swing, and large numbers of the young people enjoy this delightful and healthful sport each evening.

The Matt. Hagen family moved into eheir new house on Wednesday.

Mrs. Floyd Rodgers of Creston was a week-end guest of Mrs. Ashley Cooper.

Monrad Wigen left on Tuesday on a business visit to Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. Owles entertained a few friends at whist on Saturday evening. A very pleasant time was spent.

The drop in the mercury has closed up the mudhole on the hay road and all are once again hauling hay and mulching.

Mr. Bachmatt of Calgary, Alta., who has mining interests in this vicinity, is hers on a business visit.

Mrs. Ofner left on Thursday for Cranbrook to consult Dr. Green, returning on Sunday.

Mrs. Eakin got a sudden call to Cranbrook on Thursday, owing to the death of a relative. She returned on Monday, accompanied by Mr. Eakin.

The directors of the Co-Operative Fruit Growers met at the home of John Wigen on Monday night, when O. J. Wigen was chosen president, and T. W. Davies, vice-president.

Boyd Oliver, associated with Mr. Sapiro, will be here this afternoon to address a growers' meeting on the new co-operative marketing plan.

West Creston

Road foreman Harris was busy last week putting in some new cribbing and hauling stone onto the Goat River bridge in order to make it flood proof in the high water that is expected this spring.

Mrs. C. C. French is back from Grand Forks, where she has been on a visit for the past two months.

The cold spell now prevailing is giving excellent sleighing and flats hay owners are working full time getting their cut of feed home just now.

Report has it that there is a snow fall of at least seven feet at the head of Corn Caeek already, and if much more snow happens along it will possibly necessitate a shutdown at the mine at Klockmann.

With the prospect of at least three new settlers with families the necessity of a school on this side of the river again looms up, with Corn Creek favored as the location.

Mr. Palethorp, who has been here for about a month with C. C. French, returned to Kingsgate at the end of the week.

Messrs. Ferguson and Green, who hail from Saskatchewan, who have lately acquired government land, will be taking up their permanent homes here in the spring—the Ferguson family at present occupying the house on the Wright ranch, while the Green's are still resident in Creston.

A young son of Mr. Ferguson, who was visiting at the Green home last week, had his leg broken in a sledding mishap on the Hooper ranch hill, and had to be taken to Cranbrook hospital for treatment.

Another expected settler is Geo. Thompson, who some years ago acquired Corn Creek land, but has since been living in Alberta, though at present leasing the Dave Scott ranch near Creston town. He and his family are coming to West Creston to make their home this spring, we hear.

Canyon City

Earl and Gordon Vance are just home from a visit at Calgary and Lethbridge, Alta., and report a scarcity of snow in southern Alberta this winter.

R. Hurl has also been a Calgary visitor, where he is undergoing medical treatment.

Mr. Larson, who has been home for the past month, has just returned to Yahk to resume work on the tie contract he has with the C.P.R.

Burns Night this year will be celebrated with a dance in the schoolhouse on Saturday, January 27th, to which a hearty invitation is given all to attend, and to make it highly interesting for Scotch Piper Ross will be here to favor with numerous selections, whilst the other musicians will be Ted Swanson and L. Moberg. Dancing will commence at 8 and close at 12 prompt. Gentlemen 25c., ladies 25c.

F. Knott is putting the finishing touches on quite a commodious new barn he has erected on his Canyon ranch.

The United Farmers had a fine turnout for their at home at the schoolhouse on Saturday night, music, addresses and other amusements featuring the evening. Principal Kolthammer spoke on the "Psychology of Habit," and J. W. Wood gave a talk on the development of the United Farmer movement. Mrs. Pochin favored with a piano solo, and Mrs. Messenger had a splendid humorous reading. Refreshments were served, and the gathering broke up just before midnight. For the next few months Canyon local will have a social evening once each month.

We have received a shipment of the well known

DAYFOOT SHOES

and invite your inspection.

This line is one of the best Work Shoes we can buy.

They are warranted solid leather and absolutely guaranteed.

S. A. SPEERS

Alice Siding

Cocoa is now being supplied at noon to the pupils of Alice Siding school.

Victor Carr and son, Bertell, were visitors at Spokane last week, returning on Saturday.

Walter Carr has returned to Spokane, where he is finishing his course in a business college in that city.

H. Kelly has commenced building operations on his house on the Hummingbird ranch, for which Mr. Carr has been busy hauling lumber from Wynndel.

Geo. Henderson paid a surprise visit to his friend Elroy Jackson last week, stopping off here on a trip from his prairie home to the coast.

Victor Carr and Hector Stewart have taken the contract of hauling the E. Jackson T. Anderson cut of ties to the railway.

BIRTH—At St. Paul's Hospital, Vancouver, on December 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pendry, a daughter.

The Social Club had its fortnightly meeting at the house on the Pendry ranch on Tuesday night last. In addition to dancing there was quite a lengthy literary and musical programme. Solos were rendered by Misses M. Vaness, Gladys Stewart and Mesdames R. Stewart and S. McNeil, and Messrs. Hector Stewart and J. W. Vaness. There was a recitation by Stanley Paul and two readings by R. Stewart. Supper at midnight brought a most enjoyable evening to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall were host and hostess on Friday evening to the largest party here this season, the occasion being a housewarming before moving into their new house on the land purchased from Guy Constable. Dancing was the big feature of the evening, with songs by Mesdames R. Stewart and H. Wood, and Messrs. R. L. Finlayson, J. Johnson and J. W. Vaness. Mrs. Constable presiding at the piano. Mr. Finlayson also favored with three violin solos and R. Stewart obliged with two readings. Excellent music was provided by T. Trevelyan and Sam McNeil on accordeons. It was a pleasure to have Mrs. Webster amongst the guests of the evening, the gathering not dispersing until almost 4 a.m.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Cloverdale, on January 17th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Walker, when their youngest daughter, Valerie Mildred, was united in marriage to Philip Earl Pease, also of Cloverdale. The bride was attended by her two sisters, Misses Myrtle and Margeory, while Edward Butterfield of Vancouver supported the groom. After the ceremony a company of some 40 invited guests sat down to a sumptuous wedding supper. Mr. and Mrs. Pease were the recipients of many beautiful and useful presents. Later the happy couple left on the honeymoon trip that will take them to Victoria and coast cities, and on their return will make their home on the groom's ranch near Cloverdale, on which he has erected a new residence. On behalf of the groom's many friends at many points in the Valley The Review extends congratulations and best wishes. In Creston's younger set of a few years ago Earl was always prominent, and the only regret in connection with the happy event is that he and his wife are not coming back to the Valley to reside.

Sirdar

Victor Grundy, who had the bad luck to burn one of his legs quite severely, went to Creston on Monday, and will remain there with his grandparents for a time, while taking medical treatment.

Yardmaster Loasby, who left here Christmas week, for a holiday visit at Lethbridge and Edmonton, Alta., has landed back at Cranbrook, where he is in the hospital for treatment to his throat. He is coming along nicely, however, and will likely be home this week.

The snows, rains and thaws that have prevailed since Christmas time has given Sirdar more sickness this winter than ever before. Fortunately none of it has been fatal, but there is hardly a home that has not been visited

The McCabe bridge crew are busy re-decking the trestle at the Landing, and we hear another 1500 feet of fill will be made there as soon as weather will permit operations to commence.

Another auto is to be added to the Sirdar fleet this spring, W. D. Touhey having booked his order for a 1923 model Ford.

Rev. H. Varley was here for evening Church of England service on Sunday, and took full advantage of Monday's lovely weather to walk back to Creston, making the trip in less than four hours.

A new Mason & Risch piano has just been installed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cam, arriving from Nelson early last week.

Report has it that Sirdar will shortly be deprived of its commodious dance hall over the Whitesides store. There is a heavy demand for rooming accommodation, and it is likely the hall will be fitted up into living apartments.

Mrs. Loasby came in on Saturday from her holiday visit at Edmonton, but left again on Sunday, to be with Mr. Loasby at Cranbrook.

THE SEASON'S BEST

DANCE

Banff Dance Orchestra

will have another of their always-popular Dances in the

Grand Theatre Ballroom

MON., JAN. 29

Dancing at 9 p.m. Prompt.

BEST MUSIC!
FINE FLOOR!
GOOD TIME!

Admission : $1.00
Supper extra.

An Old Timer---with all the vigor and all the winsome qualities of youth. Once tried, always used.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea" 20

Bovril helps you to "turn the corner"

Immigration And Settlement

Prominent Canadians recently returned home from visits to Great Britain have been giving public expression to their views on the subject of immigration to Canada, and one and all have referred to the opportunity which now presents itself to Canada of obtaining thousands of the very best type of British emigrants if only the right policy is adopted by this country and an energetic effort put forth to direct the steps of these people Canada-ward.

It is universally agreed that some hundreds of thousands of people in the British Isles must migrate annually, and that Canada can obtain the best of these people if they are gone after and looked for in the right way. At the present time, however, the eyes of the majority of these intending British emigrants are turned towards Australia and New Zealand, rather than towards Canada, and it is reported that considerable amazement prevails in England and Scotland that Canada should be neglecting such an opportunity of obtaining good settlers when, admittedly, this Dominion is so badly in need of population.

Probably the Federal Government is working out a new and comprehensive immigration policy. At least it is to be hoped so. But in the meantime Canada is losing tens of thousands of new settlers which might be obtained, and it must be realized that every British immigrant to Australia or New Zealand becomes an additional inducement for others to go there and join friends and relatives rather than come to Canada, just as every one coming here is apt to influence someone else to come.

We have advanced the argument that, so far as the Canada Colonization Association is concerned, it cannot do better work at the present time than to immediately apply its declared policy of "assisting settlers to make good" to those already in this country who are located on land unsuitable for successful agriculture, and actively interest itself in the removal of these farmers to other and more suitable locations. We adhere to that view, and likewise approve the decision of the Government to grant extra homesteads to men who find they cannot make a success of their present holdings.

But while this work of re-location is being proceeded with, the Government should not neglect the opportunity which is now theirs of encouraging the right type of British emigrants to choose Canada in preference to any and all other countries. Nevertheless, the almost universal opinion seems to be that this opportunity is not being grasped as it ought to be.

Greater care must, however, be exercised in future in the location of immigrants on the land. In the past, with millions of acres of arable lands conveniently near to existing lines of railway, immigrants were located in colonies long distances from means of transportation with the result that they have been, and still are, unable to make a success of farming because of the prohibitive cost of getting their crops to market. They find it useless to raise large crops because the cost of hauling their products to market is greater than the price that can be realized. These settlers may not face starvation, because the land will produce their own food, but they lack ready money and are making no progress.

Such settlers are not active agents in adding to the volume of traffic so sorely needed by our National Railways in order to make that system a financial success. Yet if they had been located nearer those railways, both they themselves and the railways would have benefitted and prospered. This is a lesson which should not be lost on our immigration authorities in connection with all future settlement.

Apart from the excessive cost of getting their crops to market, these farmers in isolated districts have to pay exorbitant prices for all needed supplies, and when it comes to threshing time the cost of securing the services of outfits also operates to destroy profits and to render the cultivation of increased acreages impossible.

In connection with the re-location of present settlers, as well as the location of incoming settlers, every effort should be put forth to populate the vacant lands now reasonably near existing lines of railway. The West needs a more intensive settlement of people within the radius of existing transportation facilities, rather than a further spreading out of scattered settlements.

Such a Bore

Life must become extremely dull for a woman who married a man to reform him, when she finds that she has succeeded.—Albany Journal.

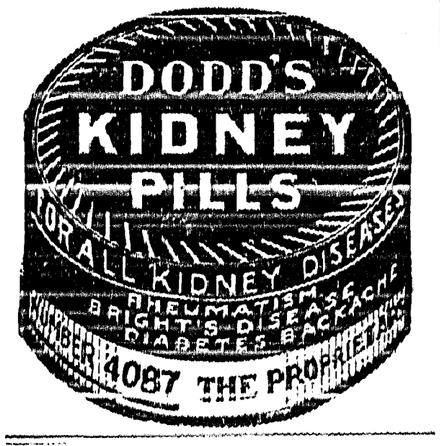
There is no poisonous ingredient in Holloway's Corn Remover, and it can be used without danger or injury.

Diplomacy

It was evidently her first visit to the great emporium and she was noticeably embarrassed.

"I—er—wish to look at some—er—false hair," she stammered.

"Very well, miss," rejoined the diplomatic salesman. "What shade does your friend desire?"



Wheat Movement Breaks Record

History was made on the last day of October in the movement of Western Canada's big wheat crop. The receipts on Winnipeg Grain Exchange that day were the greatest for any one day in the history of the Dominion, the total number of cars inspected being 2,824. The grain is of high quality, less than ten per cent. falling below number three northern, while the greatest volume is number one northern.

MOTHER!

Open Child's Bowels with "California Fig Syrup"

Hurry mother! Even a sick child loves the "fruity" taste of "California Fig Syrup" and it never fails to open the bowels. A teaspoonful today may prevent a sick child tomorrow. If constipated, bilious, feverish, fretful, has cold, colic, or if stomach is sour, tongue coated, breath bad, remember a good cleansing of the little bowels is often all that is necessary.

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 Sundew plant family have glands containing a secretion that dissolves insects.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

Cottages Built For Luck

In remote parts of England are still to be seen cottages with sloping walls. They were built slightly out of the true because of a curious superstition that if a house was built exactly square it was bound to collapse.

GUARD THE BABY AGAINST COLDS

To guard the baby against colds nothing can equal Baby's Own Tablets. The Tablets are a mild laxative that will keep the little one's stomach and bowels working regularly. It is a recognized fact that where the stomach and bowels are in good order that colds will not exist; that the health of the little one will be good and that he will thrive and be happy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Clothes and the Man

The manager of Jack Dempsey is said to own more suits of clothes than any other man in New York. He has two rooms filled with them. Coincidentally a reporter has found that a man who is the head of a great corporation and has given the world scientific discoveries of value has only two suits of clothes.

Minard's Liniment For Warts, Corns, Etc.

Reduced Freight Rates On Grain

Estimated That Fourteen Million Dollars is Saved to Western Farmers

The closing of navigation, with the consequent longer hauls of western wheat for the railways, will not have any effect in increasing railway earnings, according to opinions expressed at Ottawa. It was pointed out the greater part of the western grain moves during the two months between threshing and the closing of navigation, and that consequently shipments after the close of shipping on the lakes will be somewhat intermittent.

The reduction of the railway rate on grain will save the farmers of the three prairie provinces something like $15,000,000, it is estimated, and the reduction in freight rates, without any accompanying reduction in operating costs, was bound to have an effect on the railway net nearnings.

Where the railways are benefitting, however, as compared with last year, is in the fact the total grain crop to be moved is considerably in excess of that available last year, and this brings about a greatly increased volume of business for the national roads to share in.

Useful in Camp.—Explorers, surveyors, prospectors and hunters will find Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil very useful in camp. When the feet and legs are wet and cold it is well to rub them freely with the Oil and the result will be the prevention of pains in the muscles, and should a cut, or contusion, or sprain be sustained, nothing could be better as a dressing or lotion.

Farm Loans Are Profitable

The annual report of the Manitoba Farm Loans' Association, a Government agency, shows a profit of $40,553 after repaying to the Provincial Government the grant made for organization purposes. The report covers a period of nine months ending August 31st, 1922. The purpose of the association is to assist in the financing of farm undertakings in connection with which it has at present outstanding advances amounting to $7,528,639.

Gains 35 Pounds; Rheumatism Is Gone

The wonderful reconstructive powers of Tanlac are again very forcefully demonstrated. In this instance the grateful beneficiary is John H. King, locksmith, living at 229, 14th Ave., West, Calgary, Alberta, who declares:

"Tanlac built me up to good health, with a gain of thirty-five pounds in weight, over a year ago and I have been feeling fine ever since. Just after coming back from overseas, about two years ago, I was taken down with an attack of rheumatism that crippled me up so I couldn't work and sent me to a hospital for about ten months.

"During this long siege of rheumatism I lost fifty-five pounds in weight. I was just a shadow of my old self and had no strength or energy left. I felt tired out and exhausted all the time.

"Finally I resorted to Tanlac and got back on my feet so quick that it surprised me. By the time I finished the fourth bottle I was feeling a hundred per cent. well. I don't believe Tanlac has an equal."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists.

Peace and Quietness

Tourist.—Is this a quiet place?

Fisherman.—Well, it were sir, until folks began coming here to be quiet.—London Punch.

How to Prevent Biliousness

Doctors warn against remedies containing powerful drugs and alcohol. "The Extract of Roots, long known as Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, has no dope or strong ingredients; it chases away indigestion, biliousness and constipation. Can be had at any drug store." Get the genuine. 50c. and $1.00 Bottles. 3

You can have your "good propositions," "wonderful opportunities," Turkish and mixed blends," and all the rest

Just 'GIMME' STROLLERS

10 for 15 cents
25 for 35 cents

That's all
Picture of a Movie Star in every package

MACDONALD'S BRIER

The Tobacco with a heart

- Canada's Best Buy -
THE ECONOMY PACKAGE
½ lb-Now 80¢ (ALSO PROCURABLE-½ lb. PACKAGE 15¢) 34

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.

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.

To all women whose heart is weak and whose nerves are unstrung we would recommend

MILBURN'S
HEART AND NERVE PILLS

as the best remedy to tone up the system and strengthen the weakened organs.

Mrs. Daniel Bezanson, Loganville, N.S., writes:—"As I was troubled with a weak heart for nearly two years I am writing to tell you what your great remedy, Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, has done for me.

My heart was so bad at night I could not sleep, I would take smothering spells, and was so weak I could not do my housework. I tried two doctors, but got no results. A friend advised me to try your pills. I used six boxes and am completely relieved. I think they are the best remedy for heart trouble there is."

Price, 50c a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

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.

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.

By making your purchases from your home merchant you are contributing direct to the prosperity of the community in which you live.

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 $7,295,489. 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 reassemble.

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.

The Secret of Good Health

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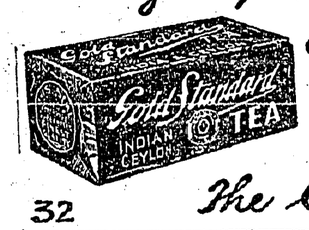

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Irrigation and Agriculture

Jas. Adlard's reply to the above Toast at at Board of Trade Annual Dinner

I have no doubt but that Mr. Littlejohn and myself are considered cranks on thesubject of irrigation, yet the more I see of this country, the more I read and think, the deeper and firmer be comes my convictions of the absolute need of irrigation in this district, and of the benefits that would accrue thereby.

If we should get a return to the rainfall conditions of 1910-15 I doubt very much if even that precipitation would be sufficient for our crop needs. There are two conditions that militate against it: Tree growth and exposed soil, the latter being no small factor in the case.

Last fall we felt pretty sure that this spring would see a start made upon the installation of the Arrow Creek scheme. In that we are disappointed and our condition is made worse thereby.

Gentlemen, this is a subject of most vital importance to this district. I am not so sure but that you are more viatally affected than are the farmers themselves. The security of all the investments in the town depend upon successful agriculture, and that without irrigation is impossible.

Should our friend, Mr. Rodgers, be manufacturing his lumber on a basic price of say $1, while his competitor a few miles away was turning out the same class of lumber on a basic price of 50 cents I am quite sure that he would not long continue in business on that basis, yet that is exactly what the fruit growers of this Valley are doing.

In your address, Mr. President, you stated that the shipments of apples from this Valley this year numbered 154,000 boxes—a stupendous total—yet, sir, it is only comparatively so. Early in 1916 Mr. Jackson of the O.U.G., speaking in the old Auditorium, after a trip through the Valley, said that in five or six years we would be shipping 500 or 600 cars of apples per year. His statement was not over sanguine, looking, as he did, through the eyes of an irrigationist.

I wish to give to you some figures on tree production, gathered whilst I was at Kelowna, and since. In submitting them I would warn you against the attitude of, "What's the use, we can't sell what we grow now." It is the basic price at which you can produce as compared with other districts that counts. In the orchard of Mr. Keane of Penticton is a fifteen-year old tree that produced this year 37 boxes of number ones, and one box of cull apples. In the same orchard 37 trees yielded 770 boxes packed, or an average of 21 boxes per tree. At Kelowna, Mr. Anderson, from 11 acres, picked 5500 packages of fruit; 3500 being apples and the rest prunes and peaches.

Now, since we are obliged to go on to the world's market with our fruit it is very pertinent to us what our friends immediately to the south of us are doing. We will take one example from Fruitlands, Idaho. An orchard of eight acres, thirteen years old, containing 565 trees. This orchard in 1910 yielded 9648 boxes—1206 per acre. Think, sir, what that means. If we could get one-third of that yield we would think we had a wonderful crop. I could not help comparing Mr. Compton's orchard with this yield. Had his orchard yielded at that rate this year he alone would have had more apples than were shipped by either the Union or Staples Fruit Company.

Ten years ago the export of apples from Creston was small. We had, in the past, a market right at our doors consuming all we could produce; consequently market and prices were good. Then our increasing volume overflowed into Southern Alberta. Continuing to grow it has reached to all parts of the prairie, and even to Ontario, and this year a considerable portion has gone to England. Today we are selling upon the world market. Every apple grower in America and Europe is a competitor with the grower in Creston Valley, and the only way we can meet that competition is by maximum yields, minimum cost, quality of product and pack. The two latter we have, but to assure the first two we must do as others have had to do, IRRIGATE.

Christ Church Annual Meeting

Reports presented at the annual meeting of Christ Church congregation on Wednesday night in the Parish Hall indicate that 1922 has been another successful year in all departments of church effort.

The gathering was presided over by the rector, Rev. H. Varley, with an attendance of about seventy of the members of the church, the business session being preceded by a bountiful supper served by the members of the Ladies' Guild.

The financial statement submitted by treasurer, C. G. Bennett showed that every 1922 indebtedness had been taken care of and the year had closed with a small cash balance to the good.

Mrs. Thurston submitted the report of the Sunday school which showed that the school had operated with an attendance fully up to that of the year previous, whilst the statement read by Mrs. P. G. Ebbutt, treasurer of the Ladies' Guild, indicated that that organization had had a banner year in 1922, the cash intake for the twelve months being over $700. The ladies had taken care of the semi-annual payments on the new rectory as well as meeting some of the other operating expenses of the church.

During the year, too, a Junior Guild, had been organized and although it was quite late in the fall when it was formed the junior lady members of the church had had one successful tea and sale of their own work, which was a great financial success.

The congregation made a change in its warden and the rector also selected a new member to occupy the place of minister's representative on the managing board, the 1923 officers being as follows:

People's warden—James Cook.
Rector's warden—Percy H. Watson.
Treasurer—C. G. Bennett.
Vestry Clerk—P. H. Watson.
Vestry—J. W. Hamilton, R. A. Palfreyman, W. E. McAlpine, C. G. Bennett, A. A. J. Collis, C. B. Garland and H. Oakley.

The rector announced that for this year he would ask that two ladies of the congregation be named to act on the vestay, and the honors fell to Mrs. H. Lyne and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton. As there was no meeting of the synod of the diocese last year it was decided to allow the delegates elected last year to act for 1923.

The rector announced that the 5000 nickel fund which had been inaugurated last fall was being splendidly received and there was every reason to believe it would go over top before the year was completed. During 1922 the church and rectory grounds have had the posts put in and it is the intention to complete the fencing job as soon as weather will permit.

Estimates for 1923 call for the expenditure of the money necessaay to renovate the interior of the church and some improvements are projected for the church property generally. 1922 saw gain of fifteen in church membership as a result of confirmation held early last year, and classes are now being formed for another confirmation in May.

A well deserved vote of thanks was tendered W. E. McAlpine, the retiring people's warden. He has occupied that position for the past two years and has rendered exceptionally faithful and efficient service in all the departments of a diversified position. The teachers and officers of the Sunday school, the organist and Ladies' Guild were also eulogized for the able assistance cheerfully rendered in 1922. At the close of the business session those present enjoyed a couple hours dancing and other forms of sociability.

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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 $200 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of $10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

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

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

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

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

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

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

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

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

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Came to the premisses of the undersigned first week in December, three head of cattle—two heifers and one steer. Steer is black and white; one heifer red, mooley; other heifer is Jersey, showing ringworm. Owner can have same on proving property and paying expenses. L. N. LEAMY, Creston.

HEIFERS ESTRAY

Came to my ranch, December 1st, one black yearling heifer, no brands visible. Owner can have same on proving property and paying expenses. A. D. POCHIN, Canyon.

Came to the premises of the undersigned on or about Dec. 1st, one red mooley heifer, three or four years old. Ownea can have same on paying expenses. W. G. WILSON, Erickson

JERSEY BULL ESTRAY

Came to the premises of the undersigned on or about December 16, 1922, one Jersey bull, about two years old, no brands visible. Owner can have same on proving property and paying expenses. PETER NECEFERO, Creston.

MARE AND COLT ESTRAY

Came to the mill premises of Canyon City Lumber Company, Ltd., at Canyon City, on or about the first of the week in December, one bay mare with a star on forehead, with bay sucking colt. Owner can have same on proving property and paying all expenses.

NOTICE

The Goat Mountain Waterworks Company, Limited, hereby give notice that it has applied to the Board of Investigation for an order extending until 31st December, 1925, the Schedule of Tolls which it is now authorized to charge for water, except that the charge for washing machines driven by water shall be $2.00 per month, and then only with special permission, in writing, at the option of the Company.

A copy of the said Schedule has been filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson, and at the Comptroller at Victoria, B.C.

The application will be heard in the board room, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., on Monday, the 29th of January, 1923, at 10 a.m.

Objections to the application shall be filed with the Board of Investigation in writing before the 22nd of January, 1923, or they will not be taken into consideration.

Dated at Creston this 30th day of December, 1922.

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Banquet to Short Course Lecturers

The united efforts of members of the United Farmer locals and the business men of Creston were responsible for the most successful banquet in the recent history of Creston, the affair being in honor of Messrs. Middleton, Hare, Skelton and Boving, of the B.C. University faculty of agriculture, who were here all last week in connection with the short course school in agriculture, the dining room of the Norris Cafe being taxed almost to capacity on Thursday night to take care of the turnout.

After another of Mr. Norris excellently prepared, expeditiously served, and bountifully spread menus had been done full justice to, the evening's proceedings were taken charge of by W. J. Truscott, president of Creston local of the United Farmers, who after briefly expressing the double pleasure the occasion afforded; that of entertaining such welcome guests and for the first time on record gathering the business men of town and farmers of the district around the festive board under such happy circumstances, the usual round of toasts were proposed and respond to with a display of local oratory that has never been equalled in the history of the town.

"The Province" was proposed by R. B. Staples, who in his usual practical fashion pointed out that the success and development of the older provinces in Canada had been in large measure due to the efforts of the pioneers. In like manner Manitoba had now commenced to come into its own, and Saskatchewan and Alberta were on the way. He believed the spirit of the early pioneers was in great measure manifest in the men and the women who were making a name for British Columbia and he had no doubt that in due course their efforts would be crowned with the same succes as was to be noted particularly in the banner eastern province of Ontario.

Mr. W. A. Middleton, provincial horticulturist, who replied to the toast, followed in the same strain. He stated that a bountiful providence had supplied B.C. with such abounding natural resources in fishihg, mining, lumbering and agricultural possibilities that a bright and prosperous future for this province could hardly fail to eventuate.

"University of B.C." was introduced very briefly by C. G. Bennett, and was replied to at length by Mr. Hare of the animal husbandry branch of agricultural effort at the university, who most interestingly sketched the work that was being done by the staff of the faculty of agriculture and assured that the buildings, equipment and other improvements that were now assured would be very fully appreciated by a university atendance that was only excelled by one other university in all Canada insofar as agricultural instruction was concerned.

"Agriculture" was delegated to Mr. H. Lyne to introduce and he confined himself mostly to demonstrating that farming was the eldest as well as the basic industry of all countries in all times, with its prosperity coming in cycles. Mr. Boving, the lecturer on soils and crops, spoke very briefly in reply, pointing out that coming, as he did, from Sweden, where agriculture was the first of all industries, he believed that B.C. was giving very considerable as well as practical attention to promoting agricultural effort and that the farmers of the province would in due course benefit by the work that was being carried out by the provincial authorities.

"The Press" was very ably handled by W. B. Embree, who, in introducing the toast, gave an interesting sketch of the power journalism could wield, whilst in his reply C. F. Hayes pointed out some of the practical uses that could be made of the local press and invited a much fuller use of this means of promoting community effort.

"The Ladies" were sponsored by Messrs. E. C. Gibbs and Major Mallandaine, the latter referring in eloquent terms to the part woman had played not only during the war, but in various other phases of the Canadian national life.

"United Farmers in B.C." had a vigorous champion in W. J. Truscott, who proposed the toast, arguing that it was the one organization that could bring the farmers into their own, but that it was powerless to accomplish this in full measure until such time as it had the support of at least a majority of the men on the land. In replying to this toast C. O. Quist, speak ng as one who had had both farm and mercantile experience made a splendid plea for a closer study of each others problems by the farmers and business men. He felt sure that once both parties really understood each other it would not take long to adjust the present not altogether satisfactory relations that exist between town and country dwellers.

"Industries" was introduced by Jas. Adlard, who pointed out how agriculture, which at its inception was self-contained, had gotten away from its original status, and was now dependent for success on the prosperity of other industries to a very large extent, and this view was elaborated by C. B. Garland, who replied to the toast.

"Co Operation" was taken care of by C. W. Allan, who in a nicely reasoned introduction amongst other things presented the view that in the successful solution of the marketing feature of the fruit grower's problems it would probably be found best for the men on the land to produce and ship their products and allow an experienced selling organization handle the selling end of the business. W. G. Littlejohn replied to the toast, emphasizing, amongst other things, the urgent necessity of submerging selfishness. Unless this could be done the success of any co-operative effort was doubtful. In connection with the Sapiro marketing proposition Mr. Littlejohn asked that too much be not expected of it at its inception. It might be successful from the start, or it might have its defects that would be rectified from time to time. No other industry had worked out its own salvation the first year of trial.

The toastmaster also introduced the toast to "Our Visitors," to which Mr. Skelton facetiously raplied. He had heard much of Creston and its hospitality and certainly, and certainly this visit had convinced him that Creston well deserved all the boostful things that had been said of it. He hoped on the occasion of his next visit to see the area embraced in the Kootenay Flats covered with poultry houses, and Creston the big egg producing centre of British Columbia.

The excellence of all the speeches was further enhanced by the several vocal numbers by Messrs. C. B. Garland, E. C. Gibbs and W. J. Truscott, and Mr. Collis presiding at the piano, proceedings closing with a hearty rendering of Auld Lang Syne.

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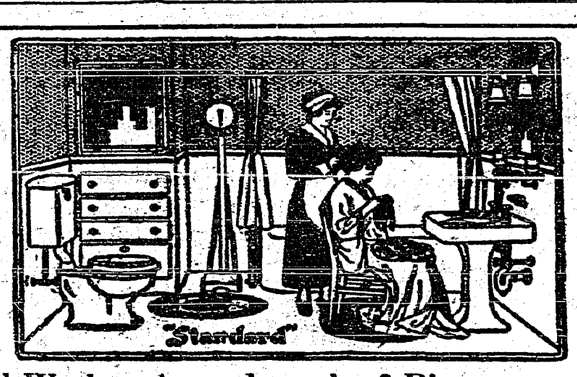

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He leaned forward in the trees, but at that moment Riles clutched Gardiner's arm and said something in a low voice. The two men rode through the river, and their words were drowned in the lisp of the water.

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.

(To be continued)

I'm So Tired

Fatigue is the result of poisons in the blood. So when the kidneys fail to purify the blood one of the first indications is unusual and persistent tired feelings and pains in the back.

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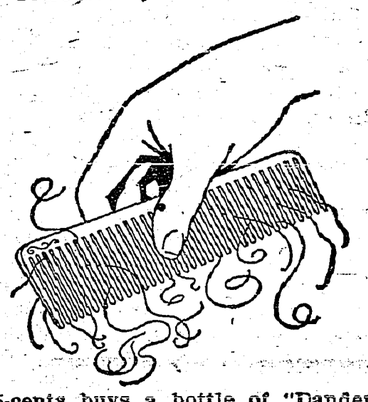

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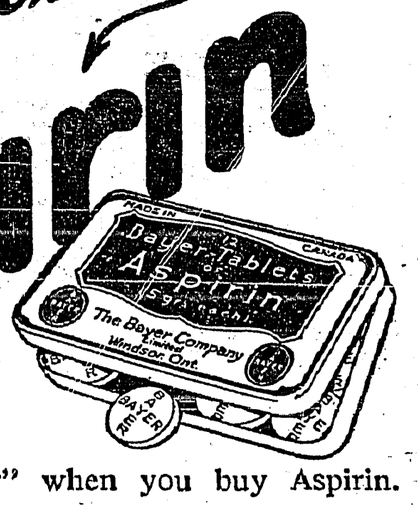

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A commercial treaty between France and Italy has been signed at the Foreign Office.

The Swiss Government has decided to establish a grain bureau for the importation of cereals from America and elsewhere.

Southampton's new floating dock, which is being built to take the big Atlantic lines, is to be finished within 10 months.

The President of China and the Premier of New Zealand were elected Honorary Presidents of the Pan-Pacific Union at the dinner at Honolulu. The Pan-Pacific Commercial Congress was in session there.

Saskatchewan automobile license fees for 1923 will be figured on a wheel base system, with a minimum of $15 for cars of not more than 100 inches, it was announced by Hon. J. M. Uhrich, Provincial Secretary.

The Duke of Devonshire, speaking at Dudley, declared that Canada was calling for British brains, capital and labor. He predicted that the British overseas territories would be greatly developed in the next few years.

Asthma Brings Misery, but Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy will replace the misery with welcome relief. Inhaled as smoke or vapor it reaches the very innermost recesses of the bronchial passages and soothes them. Restriction passes and easy breathing returns. If you knew as well how this remedy would help you as do thousands of grateful users, there would be a package in your home tonight. Try it.

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A giant fish, measuring 78 feet in length and weighing 15 tons, nearly the equal of five full-grown elephants, was recently washed ashore at Cape May.

Would Need Shock Absorber

Jones was buying a cheap car, and was discussing the necessary fittings. "How about a shock absorber?" he asked. "Well," said the salesman, "we can fit one for you." "No!" replied Jones thoughtfully. "No, don't fit it on; just send one to my wife in advance—she thinks I'm buying a limousine!"

RICH, RED BLOOD NECESSARY TO HEALTH

Weak, Watery Blood Needs a Tonic to Build it Anew

Why are we continually told that health-giving blood must be bright red? What has color to do with the quality? Just this—the oxygen in the air is the great supporter of all organic life. One function of the blood is to take the oxygen from the air—which it meets in the lungs and delivers to the tissues of the body. When the blood, filled with life-sustaining oxygen, is sent out by the heart, it is bright red. When it returns, impure and deprived of oxygen it is dark.

You will see, therefore, that there are two prime requisites of health, pure air and bright red blood—the pure air to furnish the oxygen, the rich red blood to carry it where it is needed.

Pale, anaemic people, whose nerves are on edge, who tire out easily, and who suffer from frequent headaches, do so because their blood is thin and watery. All such people can improve their condition through a fair use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which enrich the blood, thus enabling it to carry oxygen to the system. Among those who have benefitted from the use of this medicine is Mr. Charles A. Stayner, Glenholme, N.S., who says: "Some four years ago I found myself badly run down. I tired very easily, and found it difficult to do my work. My appetite failed and I slept badly at night. I was taking medicine, but it was not helping me, and I was growing weaker and weaker. A friend who called to see me advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got six boxes and before these were done I felt better. Then I got six more boxes, and after taking them felt as well and strong as ever. Four years have passed since that time, and I have continued in good health and working all the time. I have recommended these pills to others and shall continue to do so."

These pills are sold by all medicine dealers or will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Wainwright Buffalo for England

A pair of buffalo recently donated by the Canadian Government to the Zoological Gardens at London, England, recently left Wainwright Park They were shipped in crates to Montreal and will be berthed on board ship in specially constructed pens, 10 feet by 12 feet.

Candelilla wax obtained from a Mexican weed is the main ingredient in shoe polishes used on brown and tan shoes.

RUPTURE KILLS 8,000 ANNUALLY

Eight thousand persons each year are laid away—the burial certificate being marked "Rupture." Why? Because the unfortunate ones had neglected themselves or had been merely taking care of the sign (swelling) of the affliction and paying no attention to the cause. What are you doing? Are you neglecting yourself by wearing a truss, appliance or whatever name you choose to call it? At best, the truss is only a makeshift—a false prop against a collapsing wall—and cannot be expected to act as more than a mere mechanical support. The binding pressure retards blood circulation, thus robbing the weakened muscles of that which they need most—nourishment.

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Doctor Lost Both Hands Through Experiments With X-Ray

Dr. John Spence (50), Edinburgh, as a result of X-ray experiments, sustained serious damages to both hands, necessitating amputation of the right forearm. Dr. Spence was among the first in Scotland to take up research work of X-ray and medical electricity. Although he well knew the risk he ran, and while still suffering from dermatitis, Dr. Spence continued his valuable and heroic work for the benefit of suffering humanity. He is still carrying on his work as radiologists at Leith Hospital, and Craigleith Hospital, Edinburgh. The trustees have awarded Dr. Spence a medallion and an annuity of £130.

On the Marriage Day

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Out of a total of 44,817 cars loaded at country elevators on the Canadian Pacific Railway lines in the three prairie provinces between September 1st and October 14th, 25,500 cars were loaded at Saskatchewan points. The total quantity of grain shipped on C.P.R. lines to October 14th was 65,219,498 bushels, or an average of 1,455 bushels per car, or a total of 37,102,500 bushels of grain handled in Saskatchewan alone this season.

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Edgar Founded Half Holiday

The Saturday afternoon holiday for workers dates from the days of the Anglo-Saxons. King Edgar, in the tenth century, decreed that all work should cease at noon on Saturday and not be resumed until sunrise on Monday.

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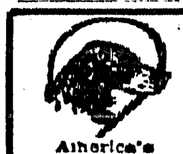

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COW FOR SALE—Freshened January 6th, good milker, J. W. Wood, Canyon.

Mrs. C. G. Bennett is a visitor with Cranbrook friends this week, leaving on Monday.

Mrs. Ray Crisler left at the end of the week for a holiday visit with friends at Cranbrook.

Ernie Ennerson of Spokane is a Creston visitor at present, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crawford.

Mrs. Bolton and family got away on Monday to Blairmore, Alta., where they intend to make their home in future.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid are having their usual Valentine Tea on the afternoon of St. Valentine's Day, February 14th.

C. A. Hunter, the well known Nelson accountant, is here at present for the annual audit of Canyon City Lumber Company, Ltd.

FOR SALE—14 Black Minorca hens, Wallach's prize winning strain, excellent birds for breeding from, $1.25 each. P. G. Ebbutt, Creston.

R. S. Bevan was a visitor at Nelson a few days at the end of the week, consulting an optician for eye trouble he has been suffering with lately.

At the annual meeting of the B.C. Fruitgrowers Association at Kelowna last week Guy Constable was re elected director for this part of Kootenay.

LOST—A red and white spotted heifer, year and eight months old, branded SK on left ribs. Anyone knowing where it is please notify R. STEWART, Creston.

Miss Ella Leamy, who has completed her nurse-in training course of three years at the Nelson hospitrl, is home for a holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Leamy.

"Tol'able David," showing at the Grand tomorrow night, is said by the Moving Picture News to be the best all round picture filmed in 1922. Regular prices will prevail.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Set ranch sleighs 2-inch runners, $40. Single horse sleigh, box and two seats, shafts and pole, $50. Democrat, practically new, $75. W. Morrow, Creston.

Mrs. Comfort was hostess at a silver tea under Methodist Ladies' Aid auspices on Thursday afternoon, at which there was quite a good turnout, the intake being almost $4.

Mrs. F. B. Pearce and two children left on Sunday for Boswell where they will remain until early spring with Mr. Pearce, who is principal of the school at that point this term.

The ladies of Holy Cross Church are having another whist drive in Speers' Hall on Friday evening, February 2nd. Cards to start at 8 o'clock. Admission 50 cents, which includes supper.

WHITE LAUNDRY—I am prepared to do washing and laundry work of all kinds. Silk shirts and all fine linen done by hand. Charges reasonable. Mrs. Webb, next Review Office.

Mrs. Mallandaine got a sudden call to Victoria on Monday to be with her sister who had undergone a critical operation and whose recovery was considered doubtful at that time.

Mrs. John White and family, who have been occupying one of the F. H. Jackson houses on Grandview Heights the past few months, have moved to Cranbrook, where they will reside in future.

Members of Creston Masonic Lodge are remined that the February communication will be held in the new lodge rooms in the Mallandaine block, which has been fitted up on a two year lease.

COTTAGE FOR SALE—The cottage and two lots on Victoria Ave., Creston, lately occupied by C. B. Garland, ideal location, $1500 on terms; 5 per cent. off for cash. Apply A. W. COULTER, Milton, Ontario.

Creston's new seven-piece orchestra commenced practices this week, and it is expected they will be ready to officiate at the whist and dance the fall fair directors are putting on on the evening of Easter Monday.

Mrs. H. Lyne left on Saturday for Victoria, where she is attending the usual annual session of the advisory board of the provincial women's institute, being the Kootenay Boundary representative on the board.

Mesdames Bennett and Varley will be hostessess at a silver tea at the home of Mrs. Bennett on Saturday afternoon, January 27th, from 3 to 5.30 to which all are invited. The tea is in aid of the Ladies' Guild of Christ Church.

The recent heavy rains and thaws with the consequent flooding of the flats, followed by the present colder weather has made the best skating of the season and every night large crowds are taking full advantage of sport afforded.

Five auto loads of Creston people dropped in with a surprise party at the home of Col. and Mrs. Lister at Camp Lister on Friday night last, at which dancing was the feature of the evening, and a most enjoyable time is reported by all.

PIANO FOR SALE—Chickering grand piano, medium size in art mahogany, a striking example of this master builder's achievement, magnificent tone, reasonable price and terms. Write for details. Willis Piano Co., Ltd., Nelson, B.C.

There will be no services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday. Rev. J.A. James being absent at Grand Forks, where he is taking an official service in connection with the departure of Pastor Wright of that town to take a church in Vancouver.

The United Farmers complimentary banquet tendered the speakers at the short course school, at the Norris cafe on Thursday night last, was well attended by both businessmen and farmers, and the affair was a splendid success in every detail.

FOR SALE—Bed and spring, $9; child's cot with spring and mattress, $6; Butter churn, $2.75. 28 Plymouth Rock pullets, all laying, $1 each. Fruit sealers, 80c. to $1.50 dozen. Fruit in sealers, 50c. quart. Kitchenware. Mrs. F. Tose, Creston.

Creston Masonic Lodge forwarded a wreath to Fernie for the funeral of the late Mrs. R. R. Piper, which took place in that city on Friday afternoon last. The lodges at Nelson, Cranbrook, Kimberley and Fernie also remembered with floral designs.

There was quite a good turnout at the Holy Cross Church ladies whist on Friday night last at which the high scores were made by Mrs. Stanley Patterson and Mike McCarthy, while the consolation prizes were won by Mrs. Fenton Smith and O. Harris.

Regulation January weather has prevailed this week with frosty nights and considerable bright sunshine every day, though hardly warm enough to effect the icy sleighing that obtains, and which is being made good use of by those at logging operations.

About forty of the ladies of town were out on Friday afternoon for the reception tendered Miss Monnce, dairy demonstrator at the short course school, by the Women's Institute, at the home of Mrs. Garland, the hostess being assisted by the directors during the afternoon.

The Banff dance orchestra will have another of their always popular dances on Monday night in the Grand Theatre Ballroom, with dancing to start at 9 o'clock prompt. The admission is $1, and supper is extra. This will likely be the only appearance this orchestra will make here for at least two months.

There was a banner attendance at the fall fair meeting on Tuesday night, at which a new set of directors were elected to handle the 1923 exhibition, which will run the regulation two days this year. Major Mallandaine is the new president. Owing to shortage of space a full report of the meeting is held over until next issues.

Boyd Oliver, associated with Aaron Sapiro, the authority on co operative marketing who has evolved the plans on which it is hoped the B.C. apple crop will be marketed this year, is due here this (Thursday) afternoon to address a meeting of the growers at which he will outline the general plan of operations. He will speak at Wynndel on Friday.

Capt. Carruthers, a well known Nelson traveller, had his sample room in the old King George Hotel building broken into on Monday night and a considerable quantity of his samples of sweaters, bathing suits, hosiery, etc., stolen. Entrance was gained through a window at the rear of the sample room, and the goods at that end of the room completely made off with. Provincial police McLaren has the case in hand, but beyond the rubber footmark left by the thief there is absolutely no clues to work on.

Mrs. Weston, who has been seriously ill for several weeks past, passed away at her home on Tuesday afternoon, in her seventy-sixth year. Deceased with her two sons, Duncan and Edward, came here from Fernie to reside about six years ago, and was well known to quite a wide circle of friends, who will hear of her death with keen regret. One daughter, Mrs. Mitchell of Calgary, Alta., arrived last week, and was with her mother when the end came. The funeral takes place this (Thursday) afternoon to Creston cemetery.

Presbyterians in Annual Session

There was quite a large and representative turnout of members of St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church at the annual meeting of the congregation which was held at the church on Wednesday night last. In the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. A. James, the meeting was presided over by S. A. Speers, one of the board of managers.

All the reports presented indicated that the year had been one of continued progress, the report of the session showing a gain in membership of five. Nine baptisims had been taken by the pastor and there had been but one death. During the year the pastor and Elder John Miller had attended the meeting of General Assembly at Winnipeg, while Elder W. H. Watcher had been selected to represent the session at presbytery and all other meetings.

Treasurer W. S. McAlpine presented the financial statement, which indicated that contributions had been in excess of the year previous—the envelope giving showing an increase, whilst loose collections were much the same, the year closing with a cash balance of almost $60.

The report of the Ladies' Aid showed that the usual ten regular meetings had been held last year, with an average attendance of fourteen members. There was a net gain of five in the total membership, and in February Mrs. Dow and Mrs. Henderson were at the Presbyterial meeting at Trail. The usual teas, dinner and bazaar were held, and financially the year was a splendid success. During the summer the aid expended $145 in repainting the church, and contributions had been made to the cemetery fund and a wreath had been secured for the soldiers' memorial unveiling. The revenues raised totalled almost $500, and the year closed with $223 in the treasury.

Louise Nickel reported for the Mission Band, stating that eleven meetings had been held. Mite boxes were installed during the year, which helped materially in securing funds. At the annual bazaar the band members netted $40 on the sale of candy, and further money was raised on the sale of calendars. The band had a membership of 18. The total cash intake was just over $61, and of this $54 was sent as a thank offering to the district supervisor at Trail, the year closing with a balance $3.87.

During the year the Creston Auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Society was organized with a membership of thirteen. Up to the end of the year it had been possible to have but three regular meetings and these had attracted an average attendance of nine. In closing her report the secretary, Miss Katherine Moore, observes, "The members are earnest and extremely interested in the work, and hope to make a decided success of the auxiliary during 1923.

The only offices to be filled were the two vacancies in the board of managers, the terms of office of Dr. Henderson and S. A. Speers having expired. The former was re-elected, and Mr. Speers' place will be taken by H. W. MacDonald. W. S. McAlpine, J. F. Ross, Fred Lewis and J. Sherwood complete the managing board.

Before closing the usual votes of thanks were tendered the Sunday School staff, Mission Band, Ladies Aid, session and the other organizations that had been responsible for the all round excellent showing of the church during 1922. At the close the ladies of the congregation served light refreshments.

Tol'able David

How love and adoration on the part of a carefree mountain youth for his big brother lifts him from boyhood to manhood in a single day and causes him to scale insurmountable heights in behalf of his brother is the story which Richard Barthelmess portrays to the public in "Tol'able David," the star's first picture for Associated First National Pictures, Inc., which is to be shown at the Grand Theatre, Saturday, January 27th.

The play, replete with thrilling adventures staged in the mountains of Virginia is full also of heart thrills wound around simple family life. Mr. Barthelmess, as David, reaches the hearts of his audience through his appeal for sympathy for the ideals of the romantic country boy, and he thrills them with his revelation of indomitable courage and tenacity of purpose at the risk of his own life in defending these ideals.

A new-born babe who pulls at the very heart strings with the message his entrance into the world carries, is among the characters. David's dog, his courageous father, tender mother, pitiful sister-in-law whose life is blighted by the tragedy which befalls his hero-brother, all carry the same message.

The touching love theme which runs through the story, being the basis for many a delightful romantic scene, not untouched by comedy at times, furnishes a beautiful background.

APPRECIATION

Notwithstanding the prevailing money stringency our January Clearance Sale which closed on Saturday last, was fully up to our highest expectations, and we take this means of thanking our many customers for their very generous patronage.

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