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Sirdar

Mayor Daly's jaunt to Creston was preparatory to taking a holiday trip a few days later, Mr. Daly being absent at Kaslo and Nelson last week.

W. D. Tuohey, who spent the first half of his vacation on a fishing trip down the lake, left this week by auto for an outing in the Windermere country and will probably motor through to Banff.

Miss Schmidt is not returning to take charge of Sirdar school, and the trustees are advertising for an experienced teacher to take her place.

Mrs. Stewart of Creston is a Sirdar visitor at present, nursing Mrs. McCabe in her recent illness.

J. Robinson of the divisional staff at Cranbrook, went through at the end of the week for a few days' fishing at Sanca.

Rev. J. A. James in company with Corp. Smith of the R.C.M.P., Creston, went through on Friday to Kuskanook, where they had considerable success in their afternoon's fishing.

Mrs. McKinley, who has been a visitor w.th Mrs. Jones at Kuskanook the past six week, is leaving this week on her return to California.

T. W. Bundy of Erickson, with Misses Goodwin and Wilcox of Toronto, and Mrs. Dow of Creston were among the motor callers at Kuskanook on Sunday afternoon.

While Conductors Cameron and Caven are taking their well earned summer vacation Sirdar is having the pleasure of the steady company of Conductors Burton and McBurney.

The McCabe bridge crew is expecting to pull out this week for the balance of the season's work at points east, the first stop being at McGillivray.

B.C. Supt. Cotterill and divisional Superintendent Flett were here on an official visit on Wednesday of last week. Freight traffic west holds up well, increased transport of concentrates from Kimberley making good a falling off in coke shipments.

Kitchener

Notices were posted at the first of the week that there must be no more fishing until 1925 in the Goat River between the canyon and Kitchener. The fishing above the town is exceptionally good just now.

H. Spence of the Sash & Door Company, was a visitor at Nelson a few days last week.

N. Devlin is busy with the erection of a small residence, which he hopes to be occupying next month.

Mrs. McKenna is expected back from Spokane this week where she been visiting friends for some days.

The Paulson-Mason firm are busy now loading out twenty cars of lumber which is going to a match factory across the line. Chicago Tie & Pole Company are also keeping men and teams busy loading out poles, some of which are going into the far Eastern States.

Between the DeWolf & Hrm and Belanger gangs at least forty men are working steadily on the new road into Kitchener and appear to be making splendid headway.

The trustees are in correspondence with a likely looking teacher for the Kitchener school next term, and expect to have definite work of her coming by the end of the week.

George Young of Creston, with a crew of almost half a dozen men are starting further development work on a considerable scale on the "Chippy" Hill iron claims here.

The American syndicate that put a small crew to work on the former Scott Price silver lead properties about a month ago are exceptionally well pleased with the still better showings developed as a result of their effort assays on sample of ore taken showing it to be of exceptional high grade and showing. The engineer in charge of the work was in Kitchener at the end of the week, and reports that extra men to bring the working crew up to twenty will be secured and put to work right away. The provincial department of mines is also being communicated with to have them build the needed trail to the property. The Price claims, which were first staken in 1898, came into the possession of their new U.S. owners about three years ago, but this is their first serious effort at development.

Erickson

Walter Leveque of Medicine Hat, Alberta, a former Erickson rancher, is a visitor here this week with his brother, L. T. Leveque.

Mrs. Kemp left on Monday for Cranbrook, where she is spending a few days visiting friends.

The trustees have been fortunate in securing Miss McCaslin, an experienced teacher, who was in charge of Salmo school last year, to assume the principalship of Erickson school.

The meanest man in the Erickson section, at any rate, has just been discovered in the person of the party who made off with a forty-cent dog chain that Fred Browell had to expedite firing the engine that operates the rock crushing plant.

The new rock road into the station is now complete, but considerable disappointment is felt that only a rolled in gravel roadbed has been put down instead of the real hard surface road. The new road carries all the Erickson depot traffic and the new road does not look as if it would stand the wear and tear.

Geo. Handley is now leading the trout fisherman in the contest for Mawson Brothers prize, with a one pound ten ounce sample with 17½ inch girth, which he landed last Saturday below the old bridge on the Goat.

At the inaugural meeting of the school board last week, W. W. Hall was re-elected chairman, and Roy Telford retains the old job of secretary-treasurer.

W. G. Littlejohn, who has been taking the bath treatment at Soap Lake, Wash., for the past six weeks, arrived home on Saturday, and is reported considerably improved in health.

Mrs. Kriger and Miss Almeda Attridge, who have been visitors with Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Palmer the past week, left for their home in Spokane on Sunday.

Colorado Potato Beetle

The potato beetle has been found infesting a potato patch in Lister and it is for the mutual benefit of all growers that, if possible, it should be eradicated, so will have to ask and advise all potato growers to closely observe their plants while cultivating, or walking through the patch, and report to C. B. Twigg, district horticulturist, its presence, if found. The department of agriculture will furnish the poison—the owner to apply it. Spraying is compulsory where infestation is found.

Wynndel

Harry Price arrived on Saturday for a few days' visit at Wynndel.

C. O. Ogilvie was a week end visitor with his parents at Harrop.

The berry season is over and most of the pickers and packers have gone, thus permitting Duck Creek to settle down to the oldtime even tenor of its ways.

Sunday was the first Sunday off since the berries started and as the weather was ideal, there were numerous picnic and outing parties to Washout, Kuskanook and Twin Bay.

The community was shocked on Saturday when word came of the death of Master Clifford Moon at the hospital in Nelson, to which city he had been taken earlier in the week to undergo an operation for appendicitis, from the effects of which he never recovered, the end coming on Friday night. The remains were brought back and the funeral took place on Sunday afternoon from Christ Church, Creston, with interment in the cemetery in that town. There was a large turnout of Wynndel people for the burial services which were conducted by Rev. H. Varley, with John Johnson, Carl Wigen, Ralph and John Clarke officiating as pallbearers. The little fellow was a great favorite with his parents and other members of the family and his taking at the tender age of four years and six months brings a heavy bereavement to Mr. and Mrs. Moon in which they have the very sincere sympathy of the entire community.

West Creston

A get-together rally is announced for West Creston school on Monday, August 13th. The object is to finish the building and grounds, so as to have everything ready for the school session which opens September 4th. Everybody come and let's finish the job—its your business.

The cherry season is about over and the crop lighter than expected. From appearances the quantity of number one apples in this section will not be as great as last year.

Summit Creek is the favorite resort of the town anglers at present, and according to Jimmy Lochhead, who tried out the stream on Sunday, the catches are better than usual. Fishery inspector Robinson of Nelson made an official visit there at the end of the week.

Jack Stephens is the first Corn Creek rancher to get into the raspberry export class. At present he is making almost daily trips to Creston with three or four crates each visit.

Now that the water is getting pretty low it would look as if this year's hay crop will be lighter than a year ago. The hay seems shorter and less thick.

A small crew is at work making some needed repairs on the road between the bridges, which is the worse for a couple of season's washouts.

The public works department are to be complimented on the fine job they have made of putting new aprons on the ferry, which are of the desired length and width to do away with any possibility of accident driving loads on or off the scow. The new cable is also in place.

Alice Siding

R. Alderson, who has been here most of the berry season, left for his home in Hosmer on Friday.

Mrs. Kolbus of Michel was a week-end visitor here with Mrs. J. W. Parkin.

Jack and Dick Smith spent a couple of days at West Creston trying out the bass fishing in the Kootenay, and report a very satisfactory catch.

W. T. and Frank Sinister were busy a few days last week completing the fencing of the Caven place which Frank purchased at the land sale last fall.

Road boss T. Harris has a small crew at work in this section putting in culverts prior to the putting down of the rock surface road.

Mrs. J. Corner and children of Kimberley are here on a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Parkin.

Dr. Henderson had a hurried call to Alice Siding on Friday to attend M. Churchill, who sustained some fractured ribs due to a fall from a load of hay.

Norman Uphill of Fernie is staying at the Alderson ranch, and helping with the berry picking.

The last of the strawberries went out on Tuesday. Raspberries are ripening slowly.

The first irrigation of the season on raspberries was applied by Robert Stewart on Monday night. Fred Ash will have his irrigation system putting the moisture on his raspberries before the end of the week.

Alice Siding people are busy this week stocking up with the good stuff made from strawberries and saskatoons.

Alice Siding is gaining quite a reputation for skunks this year. One of these animals not of the four-legged variety invaded the Alderson ranch in the peak of the strawberry season and made off with about 30 crates and a number of the carriers with the hallocks in them. We trust this will meet the eyes of the guilty party.

Canyon City

Mrs. Hickey and daughter, Edna, left last week for Claresholm, Alberta, where they are visiting with Mrs. Hickey's parents.

Mrs. Fraser of Blairmore, Alberta, is a Canyon visitor at present, the guest of Mrs. Jess Filmer.

Notices were posted on Tuesday notifying that there shall be no more fishing between the Canyon and Kitchener in the Goat River for at least two years.

Alfred Nelson has the lumber on the ground for quite a commodious new barn he will erect next month.

Tenders are being called by the trustees for the position of janitor and winter's supply of fuel for the Canyon school. Fuel bids are to be in by the 10th of August.

The paint up campaign still continues. This time it is Hilton Young who is giving his barn a coat of paint.

Albert Wesling and Mr. York, the mill blacksmith had an auto collision at the sharp curve on the Canyon side of the new bridge on Saturday night, in which the latter's car had the axle badly bent, but this was the most serious damage.

A Mr. Reid of Waldo was a week end visitor here and is so taken with the district that he has just purchased 40 acres from the Land Settlement Board and already has the lumber on the ground for a small house. He is a friend of Charles Pipe, who quit Lister a couple of years ago to take up ranching at Canyon.

Lister

In spite of a temperature of 92 in the shade the chicken and pie dinner put up by the male element of Lister and Huscroft was a decided success. About 120 citizens were present, the terrific heat accounting for the somewhat small turnout. The cooks, in the persons of Fred Tedford, George Hurry and Tom Ross, were the centre of an admiring throng from the time they started in until dinner was served. Chicken, green peas, potatoes and pies galore formed the major portion of the menu, and every lady present exprefsed herself as more than pleased with the fine brandof cooking. Baseball was played. Harry Helme's team winning over one captained by Bert Hobden by the score of 40 to 36. In the relay race the team headed by Charles Huscroft won from that in charge of Harry Helme. The losers were presented with four loaves of bread in order that they might do better next time.

Mr. and Mrs. George Niblow of Saskatoon district, Sask., were visitors to Lister last week and spent three days looking over the various tracts of land for sale. They motored from Saskatoon and expressed the opinion that the growth at Lister was better than at any other point along the route.

BIRTH—On July 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Thompson, a daughter.

The Colorado potato beetle, which was discovered at Lister last year, has again made its appearance here. On Saturday E. L. Langston found a number of the pests at work on his potatoes. C. B. Twigg, district horticulturist, was at once notified and the beetles, which had not reached the adult stage, were picked off the vines, and immersed in coil oil. The whole crop of spuds was subjected to a thorough spraying with paris green. This method of combatting the pest was outlined by Cecil Tice, provincial potato expert, during a visit here last year, and proved so efficient that by the time Mr. Twigg arrived the potato beetle immersed in the coal oil were the only ones to be found. Mr. Tice has been notified by wire and in the meantime Mr. Twigg is making a thorough inspection of the potato vines between Canyon and the Idaho boundary. Should the Colorado beetle spread to other parts of the Kootenay it will be extremely difficult to make potato growing worth while. This insect will also attack tomatoes when spuds are not available. Mr. Tice during his visit last year, expressed the opinion that the adult beetle, which is equipped with wings, had been blown over from the States, in which country the pest is prevalent.

Notice to Anglers

Creston Valley Rod & Gun Club wishes to announce to all fishermen that Goat River from Canyon Bridge to McConnell is closed for fishing until April, 1925.

Please note that anyone found fishing on this part of Goat River will be prosecuted by the Fishery Department.

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CHAPTER XVI.

Trapped

When Wade first opened his eyes, after he had been stricken senseless, he was first conscious of his throbbing head, and on seeking the reason of the pain was amazed to find his fingers stained with the blood which matted his hair. With an exclamation he struggled to his feet, still too dazed to think clearly, but sufficiently aroused to be startled by the predicament in which he found himself.

He was at the bottom of a rock-walled fissure, about six feet wide by twenty feet in length. There was no way to climb out of this natural prison, for its granite sides, fifteen feet in height, were without crack, projection, or other foothold; indeed, in the light of the afternoon sun, one facade shone smooth as glass. If he should be left there without sustenance, he told himself, he might as well be entombed; then, to his delight, he caught the sound of splashing water. At least, he would not perish of thirst, for at one end of the rocky chamber a tiny stream fell down the face of the cliff, to disappear afterward through a narrow cleft. A draught of the cool water refreshed him somewhat, and when he had bathed his head as well as he could, he sat down on the warm sand to think over the situation.

Now that is brain was clearing he felt sure that his capture was the work of Moran, doubtless planned as a revenge for the events of their last meeting, although what shape this revenge was to take the cattleman could not guess. He feared that he would either be shot or left to starve in this cul-de-sac in the hills. The thought of all that he and his friends had suffered through Moran lashed the ranchman temporarily to fury; but that he soon controlled as well as he could, for he found its only result was to increase the pain in his head, without aiding to solve the problem of escape. The prospect of getting out of his prison seemed remote, for one glance at its precipitate walls had shown him that not even a mountain goat could scale them. Help, if it came at all, must come through Santry, who could be counted on to arouse the countryside. The thought of the state the old man must be in worried Wade; and he was too familiar with the vast number of small canyons and hidden pockets in the mountains to believe that his friends would soon find him. Before help could reach him, undoubtedly Moran would show his hand, in which for the present were all the trumps.

It was characteristic of the cattleman that, with the full realization of his danger, should come a great calm. He had too lively an imagination to be called a man of iron nerve, for that quality of courage is not so often a virtue as a lack of sensitiveness. He who is courageous because he knows no fear is not so brave by half as he who gauges the extent of his peril and rises superior to it. Wade's courage was of the latter sort, an ascendency of the mind over the flesh. Whenever danger threatened him, his nerves responded to his need with the precision of the taut strings of a perfectly tuned fiddle under a master hand. He had been more nervous, many a time, over the thought of some one of his men riding a dangerous horse or turning a stampede, than he was now that his own life seemed threatened.

Shrugging his broad shoulders, he rolled and smoked a cigarette. The slight exhilaration of the smoke, acting on his weakened condition, together with the slight dizziness still remaining from the blow on his head, was far from conducing to clear thinking, but he forced himself to careful thought. He was less concerned about himself than he was about Santry and Dorothy; particularly Dorothy, for he had now come to appreciate how closely she had come into his life. Her sympathy had been very sweet to him, but he told himself that he would be sorry to have her worry about him now, when there was so little chance of their seeing each other again. He had no great hope of rescue. He expected to die, either by violence or by the slower process of starvation, but in either case he meant to meet his fate like a man.

Of Helen Rexhill, he thought now with a sense of distaste. It was altogether unlikely that she had been privy to her father's depredations, but certainly she countenanced them by her presence in Crawling Water, and she had shown up so poorly in contrast with Dorothy Purnell that Wade could not recall his former tenderness for his early sweetheart. Even if great good fortune should enable him to escape from his prison, the interests of the Rexhill family were too far removed from his own to be ever again bridged by the tie of love, or even of good-feeling. He could not blame the daughter for the misdeeds of her parent, but the old sentiment could never be revived. It was not for Helen that the instinct of self-preservation stirred within him, nor was it in her eyes that he would look for the light of joy over his rescue, if rescue should come.

He smoked several cigarettes, until the waning of his supply of tobacco warned him to economize against future cravings. Realizing that even if his friends were within a stone's throw of him they would not be likely to find him unless he gave some sign of his presence, he got to his fleet and, maknig a trumpet out of his hands, shouted loudly. He repeated this a dozen times, or more, and was about to sink back upon the sand when he heard footsteps approaching on the ground overhead. He had little idea that a friend was responding to his call, but being unarmed he could do no more than crouch against the wall of the cliff while he scanned the opening above him.

Presently there appeared in the opening the head of a Texan, Goat-Neale, whom Wade recognized as a member of Moran's crew and a man of some note as a gunfighter.

"How," drawled the Texan, by way of greeting. "Feelin' pretty good?" When the ranchman did not reply, his inquisitor seemed amused. "A funny thing like this here always makes me laff," he remarked. "It sure does me a heap of good to see you all corraled like a fly in a bottle. Mebbe you'd take satisfaction in knowin' that it was me brung you down out yonder in the timber." I was sure mighty glad to take a wallop at you, after the way you all done us up that night at the ranch."

"So I'm indebted to you for this, eh?" Wade spoke casually, as though the matter were a trifling thing. He was wondering if he could bribe Neale to set him free. Unfortunately he had no cash about him, and he concluded that the Texan would not think promises worth while under the circumstances.

"Sure. I reckon you'd like to see the boss? Well, he's comin' right on over. Just now he's eatin' a mess o' bacon and beans and cawfee, over to the camp. My Gawd, that's good cawfee, too. Like to have some, eh?" But Wade refused to play Tantalus to the lure of this temptation and kept silent. "Here he comes now."

"Is he all right?" Wade heard Moran ask, as Neale backed away from the rim of the hole.

"Yep," the Texan answered.

The ranchman instinctively braced himself against whatever might befall. It was quite possible, he knew, that Moran had spared him in the timber belt to torture him here; he did not know whether to expect a bullet or a tongue lashing, but he was resolved to meet his fate courageously and, as far as was humanly possible, stoically. To his surprise, the agent's tone did not reveal a great amount of venom.

"Hello, Wade!" he exected, as he looked down on his prisoner. "Find your quarters pretty comfortable, eh? It's been a bit of a shock to you, no doubt, but then shocks seem to be in order in Crawling Water Valley just now."

"Moran, I've lived in this country a good many years." Wade spoke with a suavity which would have indicated deadly peril to the other had the two been on anything like aqual terms. "I've seen a good many blackguards come and go in that time, but the worst of them was redeemed by more of the spark of manhood than there seems to be in you."

"Is that so?" Moran's face darkened in swift anger, but he restrained himself. "Well, we'll pass up the pleasantries until after our business is done. You and I've got a few old scores to settle and you won't find me backward when the time comes, my boy. It isn't time yet, although maybe the time isn't so very far away. Now, see here." He leaned over the edge of the cliff to display a folded paper and a fountain-pen. "I have here a quit-claim deed to your ranch, fully made out and legally witnessed, needing only your signature to make it valid. Will you sign it?"

Wade started in spite of himself. This idea was so preposterous that it had never occurred to him as the real motive for his capture. He could scarcely believe that so good a lawyer as Senator Rexhill could be blind to the fact that such a paper, secured under duress, would have no validity under the law. He looked up at the agent in amazement.

"I know what you're thinking, of course," Moran went on, with an evil smile. "We're no fools. I've got here, besides the deed, a check made out to you for ten thousand dollars." He held it up. "You'll remember that we made you that offer once before. You turned it down then, but maybe you'll change your mind now. After you indorse the check I'll deposit it to your credit in the local bank."

The cattleman's face fell as he caught the drift of this complication. That ten thousand dollars represented only a small part of the value of his property was true, but many another man had sold property for less than it was worth. If a perfectly good check for ten thousand dollars, bearing his indorsement, were deposited to the credit of his banking account, the fact would go far to offset any charge of duress that he might later bring. To suppose that he had under-valued his holdings would be no more unreasonable than to suppose that a man of Senator Rexhill's prominence would stoop to physical coercion of an adversary. The question would merely be one of personal probity, with the presumption on the Senator's side.

"Once we get a title to the land, a handle to fight with, we sha'n't care what you try to do," Moran explained further. "We can afford to laugh at you." That seemed to Wade to be true. "If you accept my offer now, I will set you free as soon as this check is in the bank, and the settlement of our personal scores can go over to another time. I assure you that I am just as anxious to get at you as you are to get at me, but I've always made it a rule never to mix pleasure and business. You'll have a fair start to get away. On the other hand, if you refuse, you'll be left here without food. Once each day I'll visit you; at other times you'll be left alone, except when Goat may care to entertain himself by baiting you. You'll be perfectly safe here, guard or no guard, believe me."

Moran chuckled ominously, his thoughts divided between professional pride, excited by the thought of successfully completing the work he had come to Crawling Water to do, and exultation at the prospect that his sufferings while gagged the previous night might be atoned for a thousand times if Wade should refuse to sign the quit-claim.

"In plain speech," said Wade, pale but calm, "you propose to starve me to death."

"Exactly," was the cheerful assurance. "If I were you, I'd think a bit before answering."

Because the cattleman was in the fullest flush of physical vigor, the lust of life was strong in him. Never doubting that Moran meant what he said, Wade was on the point of compliance, thinking to assume the burden later on, of a struggle with Rexhill to regain his ranch. His manhood rebelled at the idea of coercion, but, dead, he could certainly not defend himself; it seemed to him better that he should live to carry on the fight. He would most likely have yielded but for the taunt of cowardice which had already been noised about Crawling Water. True, the charge had sprung from those who liked him least, but it had stung him. He was no coward, and he would not feed such a report now by yielding to Moran. Whatever the outcome of a later fight might be, the fact that he had knuckled under to the agent could never be lived down. Such success as he had won had been achieved by playing a man's part in man's world.

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½ cup sugar.

Wash, pare and core the apples. Fill centres with raisins and sugar, put in hot oven. When nearly done (time depends upon kind of apples used) cover with tapioca and bake 15 minutes. To make tapioca, add the tapioca to the 3 cups boiling water and boil until clear, add balance of sugar, raisins and salt. This makes a very nice inexpensive dessert and the raisins give additional food value.

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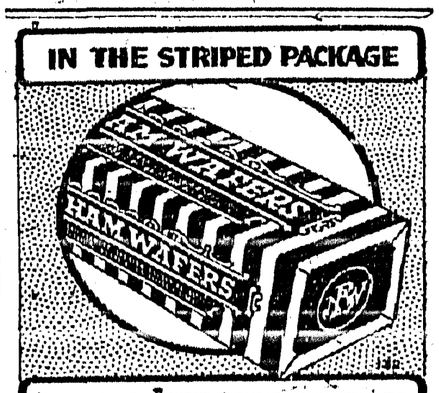

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Follows use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment. On retiring rub Cuticura Ointment into the scalp, especially spots of dandruff and itching. Next morning shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water.

Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Sold throughout the Dominion. Canadian Depot: Lymans, Limited, 344 St. Paul St., W., Montreal. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The King and Queen laid the corner stones of the hospital buildings being added to the University College Hospital and London University groups.

A license has been issued to the Duke of Devonshire which will enable him to bore for oil on his Derbyshire estate.

It has been decided to set up a great Allied War Memorial on the Somme battlefields, where the French and British armies fought side by side for four years.

The opium advisory committee of the League of Nations adopted the proposal of the French Government to increase the penalties against illicit traffic in opium and drugs.

It is announced that Bonar Law, during the early days of the war, had his estate valued and made a voluntary gift of one-quarter of it to the British Exchequer.

George Barbot, French aviator, successfully completed a round trip gliding flight to West Point, N.Y., using but two of the three gallons of gasoline in his fuel tank in negotiationg the journey of more than 100 miles.

Attacked by Asthma. The first fearful sensation is of suffocation which hour by hour becomes more desperate and hopeless. To such a case the relief afforded by Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy seems nothing less than miraculous. Its help is quickly apparent and soon the dreadful attack is mastered. The asthmatic who has found out the dependability of this sterling remedy will never be without it. It is sold everywhere.

An Odd Invention

It appears that among the many odd inventions of a more or less practical nature there are spectacles for horses. The purpose is said to be not to improve the sight, but by causing the ground in front to appear nearer than it really is, to induce the horse to take high steps.

Wise mothers who know the virtues of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator always have it at hand, because it proves its value.

Why Lynching Flourishes

And lynching is always hard to stop, as an experienced Texas man pointed out to us the other day, because you can't keep men from showing their bravery when they have the numerical advantage of 500 to 1.—Kansas City Star.

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At All Druggists

Oldest U.S. Newspaper

New York Globe and Commercial Advertiser Founded In 1793

Announcement is made that Frank A. Munsey had bought the New York Globe and Commercial Advertiser. The Globe and Commercial Advertiser is the oldest daily newspaper in the United States, being in its 130th year. It has an unbroken record of publication since December 9, 1793. Other papers started earlier, suspended and revived, but none equals it in continuous publication. The Globe and Commercial Advertiser has undergone mergers and changes of name, but its career as an institution is uninterrupted for more than 129 years.

Its first editor was Noah Webster, author and founder of another institution that survives to this day: "Webster's Dictionary." Noah Webster and George Bunce, partners in the newspaper enterprise, signed their agreement on September 2, 1793, in Hartford, Conn., one of the chief cradles of United States journalism.

Regulate the Bowels And You'll Be Healthy

To Overcome Constipation and to Keep the System Free of Wastes You Need

DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS

Always Prove a Mild, Yet Certain, Regulator

Those fortunate people who have proved the value of Dr. Hamilton's Pills know they get you in the habit of performing a certain function at a certain time, and thereby restore normal conditions. Dr. Hamilton's Pills are best because they help nature help herself, and thereby keep the stomach strong, digestion good, blood pure, complexion clean, spirits bright and happy. Price 25c at all dealers.

What the Store Cattle Ate

The first boatload of Canadian store cattle landed at Dundee, Scotland, consisting of 530 head, were 14 days on the water. During that time they consumed 800 bales of hay and 500 bags of grain.

CATARRH

Catarrh is a local disease greatly influenced by constitutional conditions. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is a tonic, taken internally, and acts through the blood upon the mucous surfaces of the system. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE assists Nature in restoring normal conditions.
All Druggists. Circulars free.
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Resume Trade With Germany

For the first time since the war, trading direct with Germany was recorded on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange recently, when a local commission house purchased a wheat shipment for some German interest. No intimation of the selling price could be obtained, nor of the trade or quantity sold.

The Oil for the Athlete.—In rubbing down, the athlete will find Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil an excellent article. It renders the muscles and sinews pliable, takes the soreness out of them and strengthens them for sprains that may be put upon them. It stands pre-eminent for this purpose, and athletes who for years, have been using it can testify to its value as a lubricant.

Sometimes a little credit is a dangerous thing.

Spare the children from suffering from worms by using Miller's Worm Powders, a most effective vermifuge with which to combat these insidious foes of the young and helpless. It is an excellent worm destroyer, and when its qualities become known in a household no other will be used. The medicine acts by itself, requiring no purgative to assist it, and so thoroughly that nothing more is desired.

League Of Nation Members

Forty-One Nations Were Prepresented At First Meeting

The League of Nations was created by the peace treaty signed at Versailles on June 28, 1919. The first meeting of the assembly of the League of Nations was held at Geneva, Switzerland, on Nov. 15, 1920, at which 41 nations were represented. These included: France, Great Britain, Italy, Belgium, China, Rumania, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Japan, Holland, Brazil, Argentina, Chile, Colombia, Uruguay, Canada, Czecho-Slovakia, Switzerland, Australia, Bolivia, Cuba, Denmark, Greece, Guatemala, Haiti, India, Liberia, Nicaragua Norway, Panama, Paraguay, New Zealand, Peru, Persia, Poland, Salvador, Siam South Africa, Venezuela, Serbia.

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Is Your Nose Stuffed With Cold?

Don't load your stomach with cough medicine.

Send healing medication through the nostrils — send it into the passages that are inflamed with Catarrh.

It's easy to get rid of a bad cold, to drive out Catarrh, to strengthen a weak throat by inhaling Catarrhozone. Get Catarrhozone from your druggist today. By using it frequently you keep the air passages free from germs, and thereby prevent many a bad cold. Two months' treatment $1.00; small size 50c. Refuse a substitute. By mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Determining How Far X-Rays Can Penetrate

Committee Investigating Complaints Of Persons Living Near Clinics

How far X-rays extend and whether the powerful light beams continue indefinitely, injuring and harming persons in their path at a considerable distance away, is a question taken up by the Ministry of Hygiene, London, for investigation.

Dr. Declere, of the Academy of Medicine, is presiding over a committee of members which includes Maame Curie, M. Biquerol, a radiologist, Dr. Vaillant, and a number of specialists.

The investigation is the result of complaints of persons living near to clinics where X-rays are in operation several hours daily.

Suits were started against a doctor by neighbors who alleged that their health had been impaired. Two cases of cancer were alleged to be due to X-rays penetrating through the patients and the walls of the clinic, traversing a street and passing through another wall.

HOW DELICATE GIRLS ARE MADE STRONG

Rich, Red Blood Needed to Keep Up Their Vitality

It should be constantly borne in mind that pale, bloodless girls need plenty of nourishment, plenty of sleep and regular out-of-doors exercise. But a lack of appetite and tired aching limbs tend to hinder progress. To save the weak, thin-blooded sufferer, she must have new, rich red blood and nothing meets a case of this kind so well as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only enrich and increase the blood supply, they help the appetite and aid digestion, relieve the weary back and limbs, thus bringing new health and strength and transforming anaemic girls and women into cheerful, happy people. Among the thousands of girls who have obtained new health through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is Miss Lyla G. Garneau, Freeman, Ont., who says:—"About two years ago I was in a very nervous and run down condition. I could not eat, did not sleep well and was fast becoming an invalid. I was subject to fainting spells which made it very embarrassing to go in company as I never knew when a fainting spell might come on. After several fruitless treatments I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and by the time two boxes were used I felt an improvement. I kept on taking them, and am now thankful to say that I owe my present health and happiness to this medicine, which I cheerfully recommend to other run-down girls."

If you are weak or ailing, avail yourself at once of the home treatment which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills so easily afford, and you will be among those who rejoice in regained health. These pills are sold by all dealers in medicine, or may be had by mail at 50c a box by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

An Innovation For Travellers

"Washful Waiting" is the motto in Berlin, where a bath house has been installed in the city's largest railway station. Travellers may utilize their spare time with a bath while awaiting their trains, and officials report that many arrive 15 or 20 minutes early that they may take a plunge in the tub before starting their journeys.

ATHLETES!

For the best rub down of your life try Minard's. Splendid for Sore Muscles, Sprains, Bruises.

MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

A Golfing Outfit That Is Chic

The above outfit consists of a loosely woven sweater of mustard yellow and is embellished with a woven border of orange and black. The hat and skirt are of harmonizing shades.

Separation, But No Alimony

A peaceful, quiet separation, no damage done, everybody happy again—that's the situation when you divorce your corns. Try Putnam's Corn Extractor. Acts like magic, no pain, no failure, success every time. Refuse a substitute for "Putnam's," 25c everywhere.

SUMMER EXCURSION FARES EAST

ROUND TRIP FARES TO POINTS IN EASTERN CANADA VIA C.P.R.

The Canadian Pacific Railway have now on sale, round trip summer excursion fares to points in Eastern Canada. These fares bear a limit until October 31, 1923, with stopover enroute, and are applicable all rail or via the Canadian Pacific Great Lakes steamers from Fort William, Port Arthur to Port McNicoll or Owen Sound on payment of additional charge to cover meals and berth while on the boat.

The trip East via the lakes is delightful to say the least, offering all the comforts of ocean travel with none of its discomforts, the fresh lake breezes will sharpen your appetite to that of your boyhood days, and permit full justice being done to the appetising meals.

To those preferring travel by train, the Canadian Pacific offer three trains daily, including the fast All Sleeping Car Train the Trans-Canada Limited.

Ask the Canadian Pacific Agent for illustrated Great Lakes and Trans-Canada literature, and plan your trip now. 14-23

Minard's Liniment relieves Burns, etc.

All you need to convince yourself that a family can live on $800 a year is a pencil and a lot of paper and an income of $10,000.

Always Ready and Reliable.—Practically all pains arising from inflammation can be removed with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Simply rub it on the sore spot and it is quickly absorbed by the skin. Its healing power is conveyed to the inflamed tissues which is quickly soothed. This fine old remedy is also a specific for all manner of cuts, scratches, bruises and sprains. Keep a bottle handy always.

Has One-Man Glider

A German inventor has produced a one-man glider resembling in some ways a parachute, which weighs only 30 pounds and can be folded up and easily carried. He has made two successful flights in the outskirts of Berlin.

If troubled with ants, spiders or cockroaches, sprinkle equal parts of borax and castor sugar about their haunts; or pour over the infested parts a strong solution of alum in boiling water.

IS SURPRISED TO FIND SHE IS ALIVE

Mrs. Gorman Says She Didn't Expect to Survive Her Troubles. Praises Tanlac

"Three years ago, before I got Tanlac, if anyone had told me I would be alive now I couldn't have believed it," said Mrs. Hannah Gorman, 414 Arthur St., Windsor, Ont.

"I had suffered from stomach trouble for seventeen years. Many a time I was in such agony I didn't think I could live through the day. I had awful smothering spells, terrible headaches, and was so nervous I was almost frantic and sleep was practically out of the question. Why, I was so weak I could hardly dress the children, to say nothing of taking care of the household duties.

"However, Tanlac gave me back my strength, and I've enjoyed perfect health ever since. I gained nearly ten pounds in weight, have a wonderful appetite and sleep eight or ten hours every night and feel so well life is a pleasure. Tanlac was a godsend to me. No medicine in the world can equal it."

Tanlac is for sale by all good druggists. Accept no substitute. Over 37 million bottles sold.

Tanlac Vegetable Pills are Nature's own remedy for constipation. For sale everywhere.

Saskatchewan Wheat Production

Estimated That Province Produce 63 Per Cent. of Total Yield of Canada

The total wheat production of Canada in 1922 was 399,786,400 bushels and of this amount Saskatchewan produced 250,167,000 bushels or practically 63 per cent., half as much again as the balance of Canada put together. Saskatchewan's wheat crop amounted in value to $287,000,000, while production costs including seeding, harvesting, threshing, etc., have been estimated to not exceed $187,000,000, leaving a net surplus of $100,000,000.

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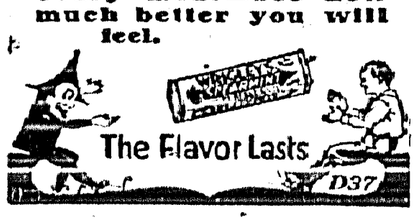
The Great Canadian Sweetmeat
provides pleasant action for your teeth, also penetrating the crevices and cleansing them.
Then, too, it aids digestion.
Use WRIGLEY'S after every meal—see how much better you will feel.



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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, JULY 27

Roadmaking

Announcement that $6000 has been appropriated for the rock surfacing of the road through the Alice Siding section will be heard with satisfaction by all points in the Valley as, undoubtedly, this is to some extent, a sample stretch of roadmaking to ascertain just how cheaply rock highway of the sort can be built, and should the cost not prove prohibitive we may look for a continuance of this sort of construction as finances permit for the next few years.

In conuection with the experiment readers will look forward with assurance when it is stated that Mr. Davies, who has charge of the rock road work, has the reputation of laying that class of highway at least twenty per cent cheaper than it is being done in any other part of the province, and as his supply of rock is quite advantageously situated the best possible all round showing may be looked for.

While the truck and rock crushing machinery is in the Valley, and competent foreman resident in Creston every effort should be made to have all the heavily travelled roads receive similar treatment before the machinery is transferred elsewhere.

And by way of showing some appreciation in this connection a little less talk about the taxes would be a fine way of demonstrating that the community is not averse to paying for value received.

Thinning Pays

Vigorous thinning practiced by the growers of the Naches Valley Yakima, has been very effective in giving better size in the Winesaps.

This is the report of Curtis Aller, manager of thetwo packing houses, one at Gleed and one at Eschbach. Aftter the disappointing experience of the growers two years ago, when their Winesaps were very small, more thinning was put in practice by the growers.

Two years ago these packing houses showed 80 to 90 per cent. of five-tier Winseaps, while last year there were only 38 per cent five-tier and jumbles at the Gleed house. A grower who two years ago had 90 per cent five tier, reduced it to 7 per cent. last year. Another grower who three years ago had 60 per cent five-tier, cut it to 40 per cent the next year and last year to 13 per cent.

When the apple thinning will have been completed, the growers of the Yakima Valley will have spent $500,000 for this work alone. It is estimated that 3,500 thinners have been at work, the average hourly wage being 35c an hour. The cost of thinning varies according to variety, some varieties being thinned ten to twelve inches apart and others seven to eight inches apart.

The Gasoline Tax

Announcement by Premier Oliver that consideration is being given the suggestion of next year levying a tax of 3 cents a gallon on gasoline in order to secure needed extra revenues for the building of trans continental highways is welcomed by autoists generally, with the proviso that a cut should be made in the existing scale of auto licenses to relieve the man who utilizes his car largely for necessary travel rather than for pleasure.

In California last year it is stated that on a similar levy some $9,000,000 was secured from approximately one million autos that were operated in that state in 1922. With possibly more than one hundred thousand cars in this province it is expected almost $1,000,000 would be B.C's annual intake in this connection.

The beauty to the gasoline tax is that it makes the car owner from outside the province help finance the upkeep of the roads he uses in British Columbia, and with the tourist traffic increasing by leaps and bounds yearly the total of out side capital that will be thus set to work on provincitl road building and improvements will run into many thousauds of dollars.

By way of illustraation let us point that last year in the neighborhood of 40,000 gallons of gasoline was disposed of at Creston, accounting for a revenue of $1,200 at a small centre like this, and as it is proposed to collect the tax from the manufacturers the expense entailed in gathering in this new revenue should not be excessive.

Saturday Night's Movie

"Boston Blackie" a picture setting forth with interest and power the need for prison reform, will be shown at the Grand on Saturday. William Russell, Fox star, appears in the title role and contributes his rugged acting to an exciting tale of conflict and adventure. Eva Novak does her share toward keeping the golden thread of romance shining brightly. Many of those who see the production will probably derive additional pleasure from the performance of the dog, whose part in the story is especially noteworthy.

One form of prison punishment, the water cross, is severely criticized for its cruely. This torture was effected by tying a man upright against a wall with arms outstretched and turning on a high pressure hose, striking the man in the pit of the stomach. Boston Blackie's escape and his further exploits will keep the average audience in a turmoil of suspense.

Grand Forks' six months share of the B.C. liquor profits is $1534, two sevenths of which must be spent for school purposes.

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This is the first question that presents itself to the housewife if an unexpected visitor drops in for a meal. But why worry?

Shamrock Brand Hams and Bacon
Finest Quality Cooked Ham
Lunch Meat
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are always to be had here. In meats nothing quite equals 'Shamrock' products.

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WATER NOTICE

[USE AND STORAGE]

Take notice that William Burling, whose address is Creston, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use 250 gallons per day of water out of Burling Creek, which flows easterly, and drains into Corn Creek, about the east end of Lot Number 214. The water will be diverted from the stream about 150 feet off Corn Creek road, and will be used for domestic and irrigation purposes upon the land described as Lots 214 and 215. This notice was posted on the ground on the 15th day of July, 1923. A copy of this notice, and an application pursuant thereto, and to the Water Act, 1914, will be filed at Nelson. Objections 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. The date of the first publication of this notice is July 20th, 1923.

WILLIAM BURLING, applicant.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

[Section 160]

In the matter of Lots 4 and 5, Block 2, Town of Kitchener, Plan 688, Kootenay District.

Proof having been filed in my office of the loss of Certificate of Title No. 2080 A to the above-mentioned lands in the names of Charles Faas and William Henry Crawford, and bearing date the 15th January, 1903, I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue to the said Charles Faas and William Henry Crawford a provisional Certificate of Title in lieu of such lost Certificate. Any person having any information with reference to such lost Certificate of Title is requested to communicate with the undersigned.

DATED at the Land Registry Office, Nelson, B.C., this 4th day of July, A.D., 1923.

A. W. IDIENS, Registrar.

Date of first publication July 18, 1923.

PILES

No one but the sufferer knows the terrible agony or the itching nature of Piles and how hopeless it seems to try for relief in ointments, injections and dilators.

Genius produces

"PAX"

Internal Pile Remedy

Pax is the prescription of a well known physician and has proved successful in hundreds of cases. Pax is internal distinct from any other treatment. Applications from the outside are foolish. No ointments, injections or dilators are necessary. Pax is complete and is a vegetable remedy, contains no drugs or alcohol.

If you have not hitherto found relief do not despair, place your faith in Pax.

Except in unusually stubborn cases one box is usually sufficient.

Get "PAX" from your Druggist or if he cannot supply you send One Dollar and "PAX" will be sent you in a plain package.

CROWN CHEMICAL PRODUCTS OF CANADA
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VANCOUVER, B. C.

Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

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

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 20, 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 dependants, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

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

GRAZING.

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

GOOD MONEY IN GOOD FARMING

"Let's Get to Work and Pay Off the Mortgage"

NINE years ago Canada's national debt was about one-third of a billion. It is more than two and one-third billions today.

Our debts have greatly increased—our revenues must also go up. The farmer has to bear his share of the increased burden. That means he must increase his revenue.

Complaint has been heard that farmers under present conditions in Canada cannot make farming pay. And yet many thousands of Canadian farmers do make it pay.

How Is It Done?

Patient and industrious "carry on" will do wonders, but something more is needed. Too often "patient industry" is coupled with "dull persistance" in poorly thought out methods.

Farmers today more than ever, must plan ahead, as well as "plug along"; indeed they have no option, if they wish to succeed.

Co-ordination of head and hand will mean real success. Farming in Canada has paid and pays now on many farms. It can be made to pay on almost every farm. Canadian agriculture has passed through low profit-making eras successfully in the past and can do so again.

Crop Returns Should be Increased

On the Central Experimental Farm at Ottawa some crop costs and crop profits in 1922 as contrasted with all-Ontario average crop costs and crop profits are given below. The all-Ontario figures are in brackets:

	Cost per acre	Profit per acre
Hay	$21.13 ($13.50)	$11.21 ($5.09)
Corn for Forage	$47.50 ($33.75)	$10.38 ($2.86)
Oats	$26.47 ($19.32)	$ 7.33 (.04)

Similar results can be shown from the Dominion Experimental Farms in every province.

Experimental Farm crops are sometimes claimed to be produced at too great cost. Thousands of experiments, however, show that increased cropping costs wisely applied up to a reasonable point always increase crop profits. This is true on the Experimental Farm—and on any and every farm.

With the increased cost of production, the higher standards of living now prevailing cannot be maintained by poor farm management, "boarder" milkers, scrub beeves, poor quality hogs or non-profitable hens.

That even under present conditions profits may be made is testified by many skilful, observant and non-plunging farmers, who believe more in the policy of "slow but sure" and "pay as you go" rather than speed, with excessive borrowing and the often consequent disaster.

The results on our Experimental Farms also bear testimony to the value of thorough, skilful work.

The Farmer Must Manufacture

But crops alone are not enough. The farmer must change his crops into less bulky and more high-priced products—milk, pork, beef, mutton, poultry, etc.

With fair yielding cows dairying shows good profits in Canada. The average cow has increased her yield 25% in the last ten years. She can quite readily go up another 25% and more, and there's where the profit lies. Better feeding, better selection and better breeding will do the job—feed, weed, breed.

To do better feeding means better pastures and more generous supplies of palatable roughage. Short rotations including clover and ensilage crops (corn, sunflower, pea and oat, etc.) will provide feed in abundance for both summer and winter. The experiments and investigations which the Dominion Department of Agriculture have carried on prove that farming scientifically and systematically undertaken will pay profits. The records and particulars of such work in every province are available to the Canadian farmer.

Are you growing grain, or producing seed or interested in fruit? We can give you information that will help you. Do you breed live stock? Are you keeping dairy cattle? Are you interested in poultry or bees? Ask us for information. We have some that will help you.

We have published and have for free distribution 300 different reports, bulletins and circulars dealing with matters of interest to you. Ask for what you want, or for a list of our publications.

We shall have something more to say later. Meantime write the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, about your problems.

Have Faith in Canada

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W. R. MOTHERWELL, Minister. Dr. J. H. GRISDALE, Deputy Minister.

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Scores Remarkable Success with Roses

With a garden showing some thirty one distinct varieties, with as many as three shades of color in some of them, and accounting for possibly 70 bushes of one variety and another, after fourteen years' experience Mrs. C. O. Rodgers is quite justified in her claim that Creston can compete with any part of British Columbia in the production of quality roses.

While climate is, of course, a factor in rose culture, the more essential things seem to be care in cultivation and plenty of water. After about two season's experimenting Mrs. Rodgers early discarded the somewhat common practice of heavy straw and gunny sack covering of the vines during winter. With its variable climate she found the warm spells that prevail produce a mould that stunts growth very considerably. Her winter care is merely about a foot of fertilizer, which she spades in in the spring, and finer growth could hardly be looked for. Care is given to pruning, and spraying with diluted black leaf forty is given just as often as pests make their appearance. Water is given once a week, and always after sundown and on the roots only, with the old fashioned hoe as the chief implement in cultivation.

After such extended experience at pruning Mrs. Rodgers has developed a blooming period that commences early in June and goes along into October unless early frosts are prevalent.

In addition to scoring almost one hundred per cent. efficiency in developing a sturdy growth and exceptional quantities of bloom Mrs. Rodgers has shown equal skill in attaining a color selection that would win the admiration of the most fastidious. Pinks predominate, some notable flowerings in this color being seen in the American Beauty, Manan Cochet, Paul Neyron, Killarney Brilliant and Magna Charta. In the more delicate shades of pink are to be found Ophelia salmon pink, Lyon shrimp pink, and Los Angeles flame pink.

In the red shades place is deserving the General McArthur, a bright crimson; Baron de Bonstettin, a velvety maroon; General Jacquemin, scarlet crimson; Ulrich Brunner, cerise red; Captain Hayward, crimson carmine, and the well known American Beauty red.

In the whites are to be found British Queen, Killarney, American Beauty, Margaret Dickson, Madame Plantier, with a pleasing snow white in Frau Karl Druschki, and a lovely satin in Caroline Testiret and the LaFrance.

Other delicate shades are the Dean Hole, silvery carmine; Sunburst, orange copper; Lyon Janet, with buff orange centre, and the Persian, a golden yellow.

A glance at the Rodgers home, particularly in the early summer, convinces of the success that has been attained with climbers and ramblers, particularly the white Baby Rambler and the white Dorothy Perkins. On a southern exposure equally good success has been had the past two seasons developing a climbing red American Beauty and a pink General Jacquemin, while a yellow tea rose on the other side of the house that must be at least eight feet high and of the same generous proportions in circumference, with an abundance in bloom, shows that in teas the Rodgers garden is equally successful.

One might go on at great length and still not begin to do justice to the rose section of the lawn front, and then start all over again on the many other features of a well kept flower garden and house plants. In the garden there is a welath of past, present and prospective bloom in poppies, chysanthemums, carnations, asters, snap dragon, iris, dahlias, gladiolas, etc., etc. The same care is evidenced in the house plants. Mrs. Rodgers winnings at the fall fair in the flower section speaking eloquently of the quality of her extensive floriculture effort.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

Cranbrook is not suffering from a shortage of summer refreshment parlors this year. Two more of them opened for business at the first of the month.

Fernie council has just awarded the contract for still another 5000 feet of cost pipe which when laid will give the city an iron pipe service throughout for its water supply.

The O.U.G., the big Okanagan co-operative fruit selling concern has made an assignment and it is expected it will take at least two years to wind up the defunct company's affairs.

W. C. Wilson, who is quitting Cranbrook to take charge of the high school at Vernon, is described by Cranbrook parents as the best high school head the town ever had.

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The Rural Situation In Canada

Some months ago Premier Drury of Ontario delivered an address before a gathering in Toronto to which very brief, if any, reference was made by the press, but an address worthy of the careful reading and earnest consideration of the men and women of Canada. The subject matter of this address had to do with the problem confronting the Dominion as a result of the present unsatisfactory condition of agriculture—a situation full of actual peril to Canada, and one which is the concern of everybody, and not of the farmer alone.

In his notable address Premier Drury did not confine himself to the purely material and economic aspects of rural life, and as was but natural, and almost inevitable, he had some passing comment to offer on urban and industrial conditions as they present contrasts to rural and agricultural conditions. Pointing out that the life and well-being of all people, the very existence of people, depends on the land, Mr. Drury emphasised the national importance of a satisfactory solution of the rural problem.

Inasmuch as the life of man depends on food, and that food, in our present state of existence and development, depends on soil, it follows that the soil becomes an organic part of the people's existence, becomes a thing as necessary to them as air, but it is a thing which history has proved time and again is capable of destruction. Unsound economic conditions, tyranny, mis-government, have many times in the world's history destroyed this most necessary factor in the people's existence, and realms that have been thickly populated have become deserts because of the depletion of this one great asset, the soil.

There should be, therefore, to those who control the soil a sufficient reward assured to bring into the control of the soil people of sufficient intelligence, of sufficient forethought, people of sufficient vision to treat this great and vital asset of the people's life in a way to ensure its permanence. Where there is insecurity to the husbandman for reaping where he has sown, the most necessary of all arts deteriorates, and fertile regions become deserts incapable of supporting human life. Because there is insecurity to the Canadian farmer today, there is peril to Canada, and it is of national moment that serious thought be devoted to the problem.

While it is true that boys and girls continue to leave the farms and drift into the cities and larger towns, it is equally true that, notwithstanding the fact that from one end of the country to the other the wages paid to skilled labor and the rewards in professional life are greater than the financial returns to the farmer, people not only remain on the land but thousands of new comers continue to engage in the cultivation of the soil. Why is this so?

The reason is because deeply inbred in all of us is the desire to find joy in the work we do. Work is the God-given birthright of every man and woman. It is in work that man finds his greatest and most lasting joy—not in spending his days in idleness and his nights in a feverish round of so-called pleasure. And of all occupations in which man may engage there is a joy to be found in tilling the soil, in seedtime and harvest, which is not obtainable in any other occupation to anything like the same extent.

In dealing with all our modern industrial problems, and in the organization of our modern institutions, are we not, as Premier Drury intimated, struggling with a whole set of conditions resulting from the one simple fact that in most of what we call modern industrial employment we have divorced the workman from that which is his birthright—the simple joy in his work? Can the loss of that joy be made up to him by allowing him a share in the finances or responsibility? Can anything else supercede or supply that simple joy in work? Short hours of labor, but which are not filled with joy in that labor, are not a blessing but a curse. Big wages alone will not recompense the good workman if he is merely turned into a machine and does not find happiness, contentment and joy in his work.

In the days now past, the cobbler at his bench found content and joy as well as a livelihood in the making of a shoe, but in our present-day highly organized factories given over to quantity production, wherein the making of a shoe is divided into eight or ten operations, what joy does a man find, what initiative is developed for good workmanship, in doing the same thing over and over again, times without number, year in and year out? The man is no longer a workman, but a machine operative. Efficiency is gained at a sacrifice to the worker himself of that which is more important than hours of labor or wages, namely, joy in his work and contentment as his lot in life.

Rural life and agricultural pursuits provide that joy which the conveniences and hectic pleasures and excitements of the cities can never give. But in order that people may be enabled to follow their natural inclinations and live close to the soil, economic conditions surrounding rural life and activities must be remedied and placed on a sound basis. Canada's national existence and prosperity demands a solution of the rural problem. A solution found, and this Dominion will find most of its other problems melt away.

When old potatoes turn black in the boiling, add a few drops of vinegar to the water in which they are cooked; this prevents discoloration.

Madge.—See that man? He's a phrenologist.

Mame.—Heavens! What a lot of religions there are!—Boston Transcript.

"I Can Now Do My Work Without Feeling Tired"

Mrs. A. Moffatt, Roxton Falls, Que., writes:

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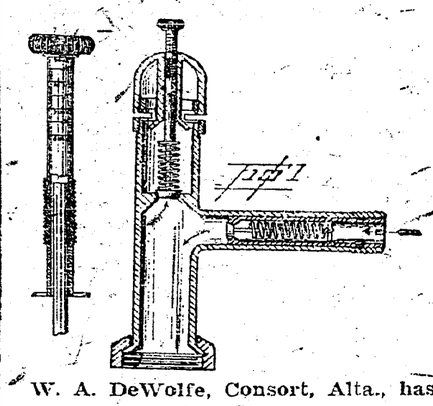

W. A. DeWolfe, Consort, Alta., has recently secured a patent for an automatic air pressure gauge that has been proven to be a complete success. This gauge is commonly used for inflating automobile tires, and can be used with any method of pump or pressure tank for filling tires to any required pressure. When the number of pounds air pressure is reached, at which the gauge is set, the valve automatically releases. No more air will enter the tire and a warning whistle indicates that the tire has been inflated to capacity. Every gauge is tested and adjusted at the factory, so that it will test absolutely the same, and will be correct in every particular.

W. A. DeWOLFE

The device is covered by Canadian Patent Certificate No. 210064, and United States patent has been applied for. The inventor, Mr. W. A. DeWolfe, will sell an interest in this patent, will sell it outright, or will arrange for manufacture on a royalty basis. Mr. DeWolfe is a well-known western newspaper man, being publisher of The Enterprise, Consort, Alberta, a weekly newspaper that enjoys a large circulation and wields a considerable influence in the district in which it circulates.

Taking Care Of Tourists

In view of the large increase in motor tourist traffic, the Saskatoon Motor Club are considering the suggestion that a motor camp be constructed for the convenience of tourists passing through the city; a site has been suggested on the Nutana side of the river. The Board of Trade and the City Council will be asked for co-operation.

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Last year twenty planes carried half a million letters every day between New York and San Francisco. They did not fly by night or on Sundays or holidays. During the night the mails were relayed on by fast trains. Forty pilots made 7,999 flights between the 16 division points into which the route is divided. Nearly 3,000 flights were in stormy weather or fog. Of these only 300 resulted in delayed mails. Crossing the Rockies they had to climb to 12,000 feet to buffle the continuous gales and snowstorms sweeping the mountain passes. They seldom had to abandon a flight except for mechanical trouble. The time for a letter to cross the continent was cut from 160 to 80 hours.

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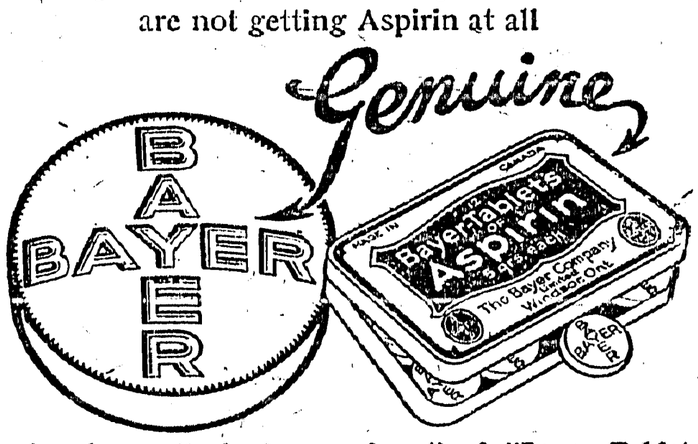

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Spread Of Co-Operation Necessary For Success Of Western Farming Industry

The meeting of delegates representing the Co-operative Associations of Saskatchewan held in this city last week was significant of the new trend of thought among the farmers of not only this province but of all Western Canada, says the Regina Leader. A generation ago little was heard of co-operation in this country. What was emphasized then and what a certain school of thought still insists upon emphasizing is individualism all along the line. The arguments that are brought to the support of the individualistic creed are plausible; but when it comes down to the hard facts of competition between producers and consumers, with middlemen thrown in, co-operation is coming to be recognized by progressive farmers as their salvation. Co-operative marketing of farm produce is merely the application to the business of farming of the marketing principle which manufacturers have have employed since the factory system became a part of the industrial organization of modern society.

Within the last few years there has taken place in Western Canada a great, and we believe a healthy, development of co-operative action by producers to obtain for themselves a fairer share of the price which their produce brings from consumers. As has been the case in the Western states, a certain percentage of the co-operative undertakings started in Western Canada has proved successful. This has been the result to no small extent of the failure of those in charge of them to conduct them on sound business lines. There is only one way to do business; and that is to do it in a businesslike way. There is no royal road to success in trade—even for co-operative undertakings. As time goes on the mistakes of the past are being remedied or avoided and co-operation is finding itself on a firmer and firmer foundation. Already Western Canada can point with pride to a number of great co-operative marketing organizations whose success demonstrates that there is no inherent reason why other organizations created and conducted along similar lines cannot be equally successful.

The steady progress which co-operation is making is a sign that the farmers are turning more and more from the expectation of external assistance to solve their problems to an effort to solve these problems by themselves. This in itself is an indication of a healthy frame of mind among a class of the population which has just been passing through a period of adversity that put its morale to a severe test. The attempt of a few of their leaders to convince the farmers that all of their troubles lay in Ottawa and could be removed only by political action has largely failed. The fact that probably nine-tenths of these "troubles" are removable only by the efforts of the farmers themselves has not been lost sight of by farsighted men on the land; and it is to men of that sort that credit must be given for the progress which co-operation is making in this and neighboring provinces.

While there are certain handicaps to the successful prosecution of the farming industry in this part of the country at this time which can only be removed by legislative action, they are comparatively few. The greatest handicap under which the farmers are working at the present time and have been working for the past two years, is the exorbitant spread between the prices which they obtain for their produce and the prices which they have to pay for the things they are compelled to buy. This is largely the result of the after-war price deflation, which struck agriculture first. The readjustment of prices to normal levels cannot be forced or greatly influenced by government action. Generally speaking this readjustment must be allowed to take its time. What the farmers can do to better their conditions is to reduce the cost of production; and by associating in considerable bodies to market their produce lessen the cost of marketing. Quality production linked with quantity marketing through co-operation will vastly improve the average farmer's condition in these difficult times and leave him on a firmer foundation when economic conditions generally become normal again. The farmer has been an individualist already too long. Co-operation properly applied will make a business man out of him. When farming comes to be conducted on businesslike lines it is likely to pay a good deal better than it has in the past.

Discard Paper Wheel For Pullman Cars

Test Shows That Steel Renders Much Better Satisfaction

The paper car wheel that intrigued the imagination of America years ago, and which once served on every Pullman car, is now only a memory, according to The Pullman News, says an Associated Press dispatch from Chicago.

The steel wheel has succeeded the paper cored wheel in every instance. The public's idea, back in 1880, that the paper wheel's superiority was that the paper centre would not be susceptible to the expanding and contracting influences of heat and cold was a misapprehension, as the real reason for its value lay in the deadening of sound under passenger cars, particularly Pullmans. It was successful for twenty-five years and then the all-steel wheel began to take its place until today there is not a paper cored wheel on any Pullman car, according to The News.

In manufacturing the paper wheel, common strawboard paper, such as butchers formerly used to wrap meat in, was needed. At first sixteen sheets were placed together, dampened, pressed and baked. Three sections, of forty-eight sheets, were then pressed together and dried for from thirty to ninety days in a kiln. The final process was to take four sections of forty-eight sheets, or 192, and press them together. This made up the block from which the wheel was made and it was allowed to dry in the kiln for six months.

All that then remained was to turn this block on a lathe until it attained the desired spherical form. This paper centre would be incased in a steel tire and sides, the latter being clamped together. A thirty-eight-inch wheel with a three-inch tire weighed about 1,070.

Good Strawberry Crop

Good Average Crop Expected In Canada This Year

A survey of the strawberry crop prospects has just been completed by the fruit branch of the department of agriculture, and, from information available, it appears that there will be good average crops in the heavy strawberry-producing districts, both in British Columbia and Ontario. The acreage planted to strawberries this year is considerably larger than last year and with favorable weather conditions, the producers should be able to supply all the demands of the consumers.

Alberta Farmers Will Raise Corn

Ten Times More Corn Sown This Year Than the Previous Season

"For every acre of corn that was sown on Alberta lands last year, ten is being sown this year. More cream separators have been sold this year than for the same period last year." These statements are made by heads of large implement and machinery firms in Edmonton and Calgary. New farm machinery is being purchased by farmers in fair quantities, especially corn implements and listers which are gaining popularity over cultivators as being more adapted in drier areas.

Japanese Shop Has Rest Day

Hitherto all shops in Japan kept open seven days a week the year round, so that the employees have only a few days off at New Year's and during the feast of the dead in summer. One of the leading shops in Osaka has now, however, adopted the plan of a weekly day of rest and has set an example that other stores are likely to follow.

The greatest known depth in the Pacific Ocean is 32,089 feet.

WESTERN EDITORS

O. S. Sugden, Editor and Proprietor of The Herald, Harris, and Times, Tessier, Sask.

The Marketing Problem

Lack of Organization Responsible For High Costs

The problem of marketing is one upon which the future welfare of the Alberta farmer greatly depends. In past years the governments have confined their attention for the most part to production, allowing the marketing to look after itself. The Alberta Government has made a good start in a modest manner, by investigating the problem of marketing.

A contributor in the New York Times estimates that the farmer is getting only one-third of the amount which the consumer pays for his produce. He quotes one senator who says that the farmer gets not more than 25 per cent., another estimates that the farmer's share is 34 per cent. and still another places the estimate at 35 per cent.

Last year the farmer sold his apples in one state for $3 a barrel. The same apples were sold from $15 to $25 a barrel.

An analysis of the United States census shows that there is a farm population of 33,500,000. There is a population of dealers in food of 19,000,000. In other words, there is one food dealer for every farm and threequarters.

One food dealer should be able to handle the produce of more than one and threequarters farmers. It shows a lack of organization, which is responsible for the high cost of marketing.

Condtilons in United States are not very different from conditions in Alberta. The problem of marketing is the big one.—The Calgary Albertan.

Itinerant

"In time of trial," said the preacher, "what brings us the greatest comfort?"

"An acquittal," responded a person who should never have been admitted.—Chaparral.

The modern girls know what to do with the needle. It should be changed after each record.—Topeka Capitol.

Strong Argument In Favor Of Increasing The Efficiency Of Great Britain's Air Fleets

Air warfare will be more dreadful and effective in the next war than the last, writes Lord Montagu of Beaulieu in an article in the London Times, in which he emphatically advocates the enlargement of Britain's air fleets.

Larger and much more powerful bombs will be used, he states, and they will be capable of not only wrecking houses, but government buildings, bridges, munition factories and thoroughfares as well. There will be another type of bomb dropped which will release a large amount of highly compressed gas deadly to human life. "Imagine," he writes, "what would happen when one of these bombs is exploded in the centre of a big city like London at night, with the gas filling the streets and leaking through every crevice in windows and doors, asphyxiating people in their beds, and rendering whole areas impassable until the morning wind or some other agent had driven it away. The death roll would be far greater than anything that could be achieved by explosives or incendiary bombs."

But Lord Montagu conceives an even more horrible possibility that may be brought into use in the next war, which, for want of a better name might be called the "disease bomb." When it explodes it will release into a community myriads of pestilental germs, capable of striking down the inhabitants of a whole town with the worst maladies known to the human race. Another awful invention of our reputed civilisation is the "poison bomb," which is dropped from a plane so that it will explode over water reservoirs, scattering down over the surfaces of the latter, germs and powders that would mean death to all depending on such sources for their drinking supplies. It is all very well to talk about rules of warfare in peace time, he says, but nations in the heat of conflict become conscienceless. He concludes:

These are horrible possibilities, and, indeed, probabilities, in the next air war. And the conveyance of comparatively large bodies of highly-trained special troops by air to vulnerable points behind the enemy's lines is another certainty in the future.

We should be intensely foolish as a nation if we turned aside from a consideration of our risks with a gesture of disbelief merely beeause we dislike to contemplate such ghastly possibilities. Some people argue that the League of Nations will forbid the use of such bombs. My reply is: Did the Hague convention prevent in 1914-1918, or could the League of Nations, even if it had existed then (admirable in theory and constitution as it is now) prevent in future the bombing of London, the use of gas on the fighting front, or an intensive submarine campaign against the mercantile marine?

History teaches us that when nations are angry they have no scruples. They will tear up treaties, infringe conventions, and defy international law. No pre-war agreements will restrain a nation sore at previous defeat fighting for revenge, or a nation with its back to the wall fighting for its life. The chances of an immediate war are, I hope, remote. But there is no certainty even about this. The horror of war and the pressure of common funk may have their effect, stave off actual hostilities, for a considerable time, and bring about an air convention, like the naval convention, between the chief powers of the world. But such a convention is at the moment a long way off. Would Russia or Germany now bind themselves as to any limitation in a kind of warfare which they think is going to be their most effective means of reaching and compelling a distant antagonist to fight a losing battle or surrender? Could France, with the constant threat of revenge for the allied victory of 1918, dare to reduce her air force at present?

These are the facts. What is the country to do? We must increase gradually the inefficiency and power of our air forces. That is the only true insurance against the terrible risks of the future. Peace and immunity from air attacks can be purchased at a price. That price is the undoubted and known power of defending ourselves in the air. There is no other way.

France Recovering From War

Remarkable Progress Made in Reconstruction of Devastated Areas

Remarkable progress is being made in the reconstruction of the devastated area in France, as shown by the official figures. Of 741,993 buildings, wholly or partially destroyed during the war in the ten devastated departments, 278,834 had been rebuilt by January, 1921. This number had risen to 335,389 in 1922, and by January 1 last, 553,977 buildings had been rebuilt, or more than 70 per cent. of the total destroyed.

Of 1,923,479 hectares (about 4,800,000 acres) of devastated fields, 1,698,200 hectares (about 4,240,000 acres) were again under cultivation by January last.

Recovery of industry has also been striking. Of 22,900 factories destroyed, 18,091 have been rebuilt, and 1,351 new factories make a total of 19,442. Reconstruction work has been limited to strictly necessary and well built factories with high chimneys, and these may now be seen in the midst of temporary wooden huts which are still accommodating workers.

The roadways in many parts of the late war zone are still mere tracks rendered uneven by shell holes which have been imperfectly filled in with bricks from the ruins. Of 58,697 kilometres (36,700 miles) of roadway that needed remaking, just over half have been made good.

Trains are now running normally throughout the devastated regions. Of the estimated one hundred and two billion francs required for reconstruction, France has already advanced forty-nine billions and Germany has paid four billions.

Million Pounds of Wool

Saskatchewan Co-operative Wool Growers' Expect to Handle Million Pounds of Wool This Season

Contracts involving more than 21,000 sheep in Saskatchewan and Manitoba have been received to date by the Saskatchewan Co-operative Wool Growers. In all, about 325 contracts have been received from sheep breeders, an estimated 170,000 pounds of wool. This is in excess by several thousand pounds of the amount of contracts filled with the concern up to the first of June, 1922.

W. W. Thomson, Manager of the Organization, stated it was expected the amount of wool handled in the present season would be in the vicinity of one million pounds. Many breeders did not file contracts until late in the season, just before shearing. This was particularly true of those who operated on a large scale.

Goldfield, Nevada, once fostered a population of 10,000, but a dearth of gold reduced it to a bare 1,000.

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The creameries at Vernon, Kelona and Armstrong have doubled their output in the last eighteen months.

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FOR SALE—Holstein cow, first-class milker, just freshened. E. Nouguier, (Erickson P.O.) Canyon.

FOR SALE—Four room dwelling house on Park Road, cash or terms. Enquire Review Office.

G. M. Argue was a business visitor at Nelson the latter part of the week, returning on Saturday.

Mawson Brothers are having their usual August clearance sale, which is announced to open on the 4th.

J. Manson of Rimbey, Alberta, is a holiday visitor at Creston, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. A L. Cnmeron.

Mrs. Hopwood of telephone central is home again after a week's holiday with friends at Boswell and Nelson.

The coolest ice cream parlor in town is at Beattie-Oatway's. They serve Curlew ice cream, sodas, soft drinks.

Miss Margaret Carruthers of Grassy Lake, Alberta, is a Creston visitor this summer, with her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Speers.

Rev. H. Varley is at Yahk on Sunday evening, consequently morning services only will be held in Christ Church.

The Ladies' Guild of Christ Church are having a garden party at the home of Mrs. H. Lyne this (Friday) evening.

The first local cucumbers were on sale at Speers' store on Saturday—some rather fine samples grown under glass by Jas. Cook.

The hottest weather of the summer was experienced on Sunday and Monday, the mercury hitting 93 in the shade on the latter occasion.

FOR SALE—Quantity of second hand 6 inch wood water pipe at 10 cents per foot. Special price for large quantities. Apply Arthur J. Moffatt, city clerk, Fernie.

Bob McLeod, of the Speers' store staff, left on Sunday for a two weeks' vacation with Kellogg, Idaho, friends, at which point Mrs. McLeod is spending the summer.

Notwithstanding the all too common talk of hard times taxes in the Creston Valley were paid in larger volume up to June 30th than in any of the past three years.

TENDERS WANTED

Tenders for the removal of a two storey dwelling house from Lot 121 to Lot 120, Canyon City, are invited and will be received up till Saturday, August 4, next. For particulars apply A. SPENCER, Creston.

TENDERS FOR JANITOR

Sealed tenders will be received up till August 10th, for position of janitor for Canyon school. For particulars of duties apply to Canyon School Board.

TENDERS FOR WOOD

Sealed tenders will be received up till August 10th, for 20 ricks of fir or tamarac wood 24 inches long, delivered at Canyon schoolhouse. Address tenders to Canyon School Board.

TENDERS FOR STOVE WOOD

Sealed tenders will be received up till Tuesday, August 7th, for 40 cords of four-foot stove wood; fir and tamarac cut green, 20 cords to be delivered before November 1st, 1923, and the balance by Jan. 1st, 1924. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Address tenders to J. A. P. CROMPTON, Secretary-Treasurer, Creston Board of School Trustees.

TENDERS FOR JANITOR WORK

Sealed tenders so marked will be received by the undersigned up till Tuesday, August 7, 1923, for the position of janitor for the ensuing year of the seven room public and high school at Creston, duties to commence September 1st, 1923. Lowest tender not necessarily accepted. J. A. P. CROMPTON, Secretary-Treasurer Creston Board of School Trustees.

Ice cream, ice cream sodas, and ice cold drinks of all sorts at Beattie-Oatway, Ltd.

FOR SALE—Purebred Jersey heifer, will freshen soon. A. Wesling (Erickson P.O.) Canyon.

Dr. Wilson Herald, ear, nose and throat specialist, will arrive in Creston on July 31st or August 1st. Appointments can be arranged on arrival, or through Dr. Henderson.

FOR SALE—One truck, one single wagon, one single horse mower, one horse, one pony, also parlor suite consisting of setee, rocker, chair and stand. J. Attwood, Creston.

The flats are again pretty well clear of water, but those travelling the meadows state that the outlook for the wild hay crop is not as good as last year. It is not coming up as thick as usual.

Those tendering for the fuel supply of Creston school should note that delivery dates are November and January 1st; not June 1st as inadvertently stated in the call for tenders last week.

Local auto owners and friends are making Kuskanook Sunday head quarters in increasing numbers each weekend. The bathing in the lake is particularly fine and the mosquito nuisance is about at an end.

Dick Smith is now leading the anglers for Mawson Brothers prize for the biggest bass caught this season. On Saturday he brought in one weighing three pounds seven ounces, 18 inches long, caught at Nick's bridge.

Raspberry shipments are at their peak this week, but reports from many of the patches indicate that the crop is not going to be as heavy as originally estimated. Prices will probably be higher than strawberries.

"Slim" Lewis, a quite well known Creston resident, was released from the Bonners Ferry hospital at the end of the week, in which institution he had had his left foot amputated about midway to the kgee. He left the hospital intending to go south.

Sympathy is extended Mr. and Mrs. G. Davidson Mead on the death of their baby daughter at Fernie on July 18th, the littie girl surviving birth by but a few hours. Mrs. Mead was in a critical condition for some time after but is now coming along nicely.

The oldtime potato bug made its appearance at the Langston ranch at Lister at the end of the week, the few samples of the pest that were discovered being promptly disposed of. About this time last year the pest made its appearance on the same property.

The office of Canyon City Lumber Company, Ltd., has been moved from its old time site some yards further back in order to make room for the spur track to be run onto the property there to serve the new box factory that the company will commence the erection of immediately.

Mrs. Leslie Mawson returned to Kimberley on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks with her parents here, and was accompanied by the two children, Catherine and Tom, who have made their home with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mawson, the past couple of years.

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W. H. Kinnaird of Vernon, secretary-treasurer of the Associated Growers of B.C., Ltd., made his first official visit to the Creston sub-central this week.

Friends of M. J. Boyd will be glad hear that he is making a very satisfactory recovery after his operation for acute appendicitis at the Nelson hospital on Thursday evening last, his case being so acute that it was necessary to operate within half an hour of his reaching Nelson. Mrs. Boyd, who accompanied him, returned on Tuesday.

It is proposed to have an open tennis tournament for all tennis players in the Valley, with play to start the first Saturday in August, with an entrance fee of $1, which should be paid to C. G. Bennett. All classes will include singles, doubles and mixed doubles—Classes A, B and C. Play will continue until complete and if entries warrant half of the fees will be devoted to prizes and the balance to refreshments and incidentals.

E. W. Robinson of Nelson, Dominion fishery inspector, was here on an official visit at the week end and on Tuesday posted the notices closing the Goat River to fishermen for two years between the Canyon and Kitchener. The closure is effective until April, 1925. Mr. Robinson states that on his Sunday visit to the Canyon he caught some of the anglers taking trout under the legal eight inches and more than the legal catch of 25 a day. They were warned that the next offence would not be so leniently dealt with.

Provincial police H. McLaren paid Bonners Ferry, Idaho, an official visit on Monday, and was accompanied by C. B. Garland and C. F. Hayes who, amongst other courtesies extended by members of the Commercial Club of that city, were motored over the 3500 acres that are in timothy, wheat and oats crop this year. The showing in all these lines is almost unbelievably heavy, in many places oats standing over five feet high, and growing as thick as it would be possible to stand. Timothy is averaging four tons to the acre and is being baled in the field.

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