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All Arrangements Complete for Fair

With the exception of a few details to be arranged at a final directors meeting tonight, everything is in shape for Creston's sixth annual fall fair, which runs Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, and which has all the earmarks of being the best yet if regulation September weather is provided.

Monday will be taken up with the placing of exhibit and judging the exhibits in the main building for which work the provincial department of agriculture is supplying the men to place the awards. Livestock and poultry, of course, will not be on display until Wednesday.

The opening will be at 1.30 p.m. Tuesday, and will be preceded by an indian parade which will start uptown at one o'clock. President Mallandaine will preside, and there will be an address by Col. Fred Lister, M.P.P., whilst the formal opening speech will be made by President Bennett of Creston Board of Trade.

The attraction Tuesday afternoon and evening will be an indian carnival in which the native dances will be the feature and in which it is assured indians from other reserves will participate. A space is being fenced off for the accommodation of the reds and they will collect 25 cents from all who witness their performances. The arena in which they will perform will be sprinkled regularly so as to avoid any dust nuisance, and their features are guaranteed to be the genuine indian article in every detail. The junior championship baseball match Erickson vs. Creston will start promptly at 4 p.m.

Wednesday afternoon the feature will be the championship school sports which are open to all school scholars in the Valley. There will be races for youngsters of all age, a tug of war and a fine list of athletic events. There will also be a trap shoot at 2.30. The indian features will be given again Wednesday afternoon and evening, and the directors are expecting the attendance of at least a couple of travelling sideshows. The grounds and building will be open until 10 p.m. on Tuesday with the exhibition closing at 6 p.m. on Wednesday so that exhibitors can take their stuff home that evening if they wish.

A seven-piece orchestra under the leadership of Mr. Hendy will furnish music both afternoons, and a feature to this year's fair will be displays by a number of the firms in town, as well as the educational exhibit of the experimental farm officials at Invermere.

The following have been selected to take charge of the placing of exhibits on Monday morning, and to expedite their work it is asked that all exhibitors get their exhibition goods in as soon after 9 a.m. as possible, and none will be accepted after 12 o'clock noon. Entries can be made up till 10 p.m this evening, Sept. 21st, with secretary Vic. Mawson, who will be located at Major Mallandaine's office up till that hour tonigt.

Directors VanAckeran, Truscott, Moon and Cartwright will place the entries in fruit and vegetables, and in the latter department it has been decided to allow six feet frontage to those showing in the collection of vegetables. Messrs. Bennett, Moon and Adlard will be in charge of the poultry. Geo. Johnson, Geo. Hood and Victor Carr will again have charge of the livestock. The butter and honey will be looked after by Mrs. Maxwell. Juvenile by Mrs. Garland and Mrs. Boyd. Flowers by Mrs. C. O. Rodgers and Mrs. F. H. Jackson. Needlework by Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Cherrington. Cooking by Mrs. Hayden and Mrs. Mallandaine, and canned goods by Mrs. Geo. Young and Mrs. Knott.

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Lister

Birth—On Sept. 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Langston, a son.

Harry Helme and E. J. Malthouse were busy for a few days the early part of the week hauling a carload of feed for the Trading & Supply Company

E. G. Chudley returned to Klockmann, Idaho, on Friday last, after a couple of weeks on his ranch here.

R. Helme left on Monday on a short visit to the coast, after which he will be engaged on survey work for the C.P.R. at Beavermouth.

R. Helme, sr., recently paid a visit to the famous Colony Farm at Essondale, where he purchased a purebred Holstein bull and two heifers as foundation stock for a dairy herd.

Jack Noble, accompanied by Archie Richmond of Kimberley, are here for a few days visit at the Noble ranch.

Col. W. S. Latta of the Land Settlement Board was an official visitor at Lister for the weekend.

Mr. Clumis, who has been working at Kitchener the past few weeks, returned to Lister on Saturday.

W. Demchuk left on Monday for Kitchener, after spending the week end with his family at Huscroft.

The Ben Long ranch has been leased by Mr. Byrnes, blacksmith at Camp 3, who has moved in with his family.

Alice Siding

Mrs. W. H. T. Smith and daughter, Mrs. King, have returned to Porthill after a visit with Mrs. Dick Smith.

Mr. Sandvigg of Portland, Oregon, was a visitor here last week with his sister, Mrs. Victor Carr, having made the trip by motor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Beazer and family are home from Cardston, Alberta, where they have been renewing old acquaintances for the past month.

Haying is nearing completion on the flats, and most of the workers will be through in time to take a well earned holiday at the Creston fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

Growers will be taking their McIntosh Reds into the packing shed at Creston next week. So far Ron. Smith is the only local resident to catch a place on the packing staff.

The finest box of Gravenstoins ever seen in Creston is the opinion expressed on the apples supplied by W. A. McMurtrie for Creston board of trade, which organization is sending semi-weekly supplies of fruit to the Prince of Wales during his stay at the ranch at High River, Alberta.

Note of warning.—Will the party needing chickens please call at the ranch in daylight the next time of calling and avoid chance of receiving lead, as 4 a.m. is rather early. H. F. Wood.

Board of Trade Busy Sept. Session

Devising ways and means of securing action on a number of matters that directly effect the Creston Valley was the feature of the September session of Creston board of trade on Tuesday night, which attracted a fine turnout of members, and was presided over by President Bennett.

Amongst the correspondence in the secretary's hands were letters from the U.S. consul at Fernie advising that there was a good demand for mica across the line and asking for full particulars of any mica mines located in this section. The Kootenay Flats drainage is still alive was indicated in a letter from Alvin Jacobs of Foremost, Alberta, who wrote the board enquiring as to whom he should correspond in his endeavor to purchase a tract of these overflowed lands

H. C. Graham of Calgary, the customs inspector for Alberta and eastern B.C. wrote that no definite assurance could be given as to the location of the proposed new customs house near Porthill, due to the fact that there was nothing definite as to where the new highway through Idaho would enter Creston Valley.

A letter from the provincial Bureau of Information, Victoria, asking for full information regarding camp sites, scenic and other attractions, hotel accommodation, etc., to be sent to the Dominion bureau at Ottawa, and included in an authorized tourist guide that the federal authorities issue each year, led to an extended discussion of the tourist camp site matter.

An ideal spot for auto tourists has been located at the first bend of the Goat River, about three-quarters of a mile below town. This provides about 100 yards of sand bathing beach, with plenty of shade and drinking water, and as it is on the flats it could justly be boosted as the biggest camp site in Canada with some 20,000 acres immediately adjoining for parking space. This, of course, would not be available during the highwater season, and would only be in the nature of a highway camp site, being too far from town to permit of very much local caretaking or supervision. The whole camp site situation will be investigated by a committee of E. C. Gibbs, R. S. Bevan and W. B. Embree.

Word having coming from J. J. Underwood of the Leadville Mining Company, which is developing the Scott Price silver lead claims at Leadville Creek, above Kitchener, that there is now a car of ore on the dump which he believes demonstrates the existence of a big body of rich ore. Secretary Allan has written A. G. Langley, district mining engineer, asking him to make an inspection of the company's holdings with a view to recommending a loan so that a wagon road can be built to the mine to facilitate getting the ore out for shipment and taking in the necessary mine equipment and supplies. Mr. Langley will be asked to get here as speedily as possible. If the road is to be built this year a start will have to be made almost immediately.

The secretary has been in wire communication with the department of trade and commerce at Ottawa, calling in the aid of Hon. Dr. King, minister of public works as well, to make sure that in the collection of 600 boxes of apples that is being made for exhibition purposes at the British Empire Exposition in London, next year, Creston orchards will be well represented. In view of the splendid prize-winnings of Messrs. Stark and Littlejohn at the Imperial Fruit Fair the last two years, it is felt that Creston deserves a premier place in whatever display is made.

It has also come to the knowledge of the board that in the Okanagan apples are also being collected for a Dominion display at the Imperial Fruit Show at Manchester and the trade commissioner is being asked if Creston will also be asked to contribute its quota to this effort as well.

The minister of agriculture at Victoria is being written to pointing out that in view of Creston's reputation for quality fruit production as established at the Imperial Fruit Shows that when the next lot of display apples is wanted for the windows of Fred Wade, the B.C. agent general in London, that Creston Valley be called upon for a supply. This month Penticton is getting a ten box lot ready to be shipped to Mr. Wade.

The jam factory committee reported that it is arranging for a between-trains visit to Creston next week of J. A. MacDonald, the well-known jam factory man of Nelson, who has signified his willingness to discuss the jam factory situation with a joint committee of the growers and the board of trade.

Grand Theatre

Fair Day Attractions

Tuesday, Sept. 25

DUSTIN FARNUM

in

"The Buster"

Sunshine Comedy

"Circus Pals"

AFTERNOON 4 o'clock. EVENING 8.30 o'clock

REGULAR PRICES

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Tickets $1.00. Supper extra.

Sirdar

Mr. Andrew, who has been relieving agent here, has gone to McGillivray, near Crowsnest, where he is taking the work of the agent at that point for a couple of weeks.

Mayor Daly was a visitor at Creston on Saturday. Owing to pressing civic business the mayor had to decline the honor of opening the Creston fair next Tuesday.

Mrs. Sid McCabe and children are back after a ten days stay with relatives in Cowley, Alberta.

Mrs. Martin is away on a visit east, and will make a call at Edmonton, Alberta, before returning.

Miss Jean McMasters is a visitor here at present with her brother, R. McMasters.

Rev. H. Varley had a fair turnout at the Church of England service on Sunday night, among the worshippers being Mr. and Mrs. Bell, who are walking across Canada to the coast.

Station agent Walters is back again after his three weeks' vacation.

Sid McCabe and crew are back in Sirdar again, and is putting in a new apron at the slip. It is all steel and will carry anything on wheels onto the barges. It is the latest contrivance of the kind and will last forever. The one discarded was of coast fir and had to be replaced every few years.

C. M. Loasby got back on Saturday from Edmonton, Alberta, in which city he had been attending the annual sessions of the R.N.W.M.P. Veterans Association, which was very largely attended by representatives from all the oldtime posts in the Northwest, as well as others from B.C. and even Ottawa. Pleasure was combined with business the feature being a picnic and athletic tournament at Fort Saskatchewan at which the yardmaster won honors as a spectator. At the annual dinner old times were forcibly recalled when the buffalo meat and pemican were features of the menu. The get together was the most successful yet held.

Canyon Sawmill Burns to Ground

The worst industrial conflagration in the Valley's history was that of early Monday morning, when the sawmill of Canyon City Lumber Company, Limited, at Canyon City, was destroyed by fire, the blaze wiping out the box factory, lath and shingle mill—the entire plant completely—a pile of ashes and wrecked machinery being all that is left to mark the former mill site.

Just how the fire started has not been definitely ascertained, but it was about 1 a.m. Monday when C. O. Rodgers, managing director, was aroused from his sleep by telephone, to be informed that the mill was on fire.

In its dry state and with the accumulation of oil and grease the flames spread so rapidly that it was impossible to start up the engines and get the pumps to work, consequently very little of the plant was salvaged. Thanks to their being no wind the flames did not spread to the lumber yard, and due to a steady demand for boxes the quantity of crates and boxes in the factory was not very large.

The mill was a single bandsaw plant with a capacity of fifty thousand feet a shift, with a full equipment of planers, re-saw, etc., and the destruction of these latter along with the boiler, engine and electric plant is most ultimely as they were due for removal to the box factory that the firm has about completed the erection of in the yard at Creston.

A valuation of $20,000 was placed on the machinery that has been destroyed on which the company carried but $8000 of insurance, and the amount carried on the building was also light seeing that only box making was being carried on and the fire danger considered light in consequence.

The destruction of the box factory just as the apple shipping was getting well started will cause some inconvenience to the growers whilst the company will be handicapped to some extent due to the destruction of the planers crippling them in the sale of finished lumber.

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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.

HIDDEN GOLD

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But the man lingered, while Moran, as lightly as a cat, despite his great bulk and the liquor he carried, sprang to the nearest window. Far up the street, he could distinguish a huddled mass, pierced by flashes of fire, which he took to be horsemen; as he watched, he heard scattered shots and a faint sound of yelling. The one hasty glance told him all that he needed to know; he had not thought this move would come so soon, but luck seemed to be against him all around. Something of a fatalist, in the final analysis, he no longer wasted time in anger or regrets. He was not particularly alarmed, and would not have been so could he have known the truth, that the yelling he had heard marked the passing of Tug Bailey, who had confessed but had made his confession too late to please the crowd, which had him in it spower. Nevertheless, Moran realized that there was no time now to form his men into anything like organized resistance. The enemy had caught him napping, and the jig was up. He had seen the vigilantes work before, and he knew that if he intended to save his own skin he must act quickly. When he turned from the window, short though the interval had been, he had formed a plan of escape.

"They've brought every man they could rake up," Jed added. "I reckon they've combed every ranch in the county to start this thing."

Moran looked up quickly, struck by the significance of the remark. If it were true, and it probably was, then Wade's ranch also would be deserted. He half opened his mouth, as though to confide in his companion, when he evidently concluded to keep his own counsel.

"All right," he said simply. "I guess there's still plenty of time. I've got a good horse at the lower end of the street. Take care of yourself. So long!"

The man clattered down the stairs, and Moran turned to his desk, from which he took some papers and a roll of money, which he stuffed into his pockets. In the haliway he paused for a moment to examine a wicked looking revolver, which he took from his hip pocket; for, contrary to the custom of the country, he did not wear his gun openly in a holster. Convinced that the weapon was in good working order, he walked calmly down to the street, sobered completely by this sudden call on his reserve powers.

His horse, a large, rawboned gray, was where he had left it, and shaking his fist in the direction of the vigilantes, he mounted and rode off. He meant to make a wide detour and then work back again to the Double Arrow range. If the ranch were really deserted, he meant to fire the buildings, before attempting his escape. Such a revenge would be a trifle compared to that which he had planned, but it would be better than nothing, while one more offense would not lengthen his term in jail any, if he were caught afterward. He felt in his pocket for the whiskey flask, and swore when he found it missing. He wanted the liquor, but he wanted the flask more, for its associations; he drew rein and thought of returning to search for it, but realizing the folly of this, he pressed on again.

The roundabout way he took was necessarily a long one and the ride entirely sobered him, except for a crawling sensation in his brain, as though ants were swarming there, which always harassed him after a debauch. At such times he was more dangerous than when under the first influence of whiskey. It was close upon noon, and the silvery sagebrush was shimmering beneath the direct rays of the sun, when he rode his lathered horse out of a cottonwood grove to gaze, from the edge of a deep draw, at Wade's ranch buildings. That very morning a gaunt, gray timber-wolf had peered forth at almost the same point; and despite Moran's bulk, there was a hint of a weird likeness between man and beast in the furtive suspicious survey they made of the premises. The wolf had finally turned back toward the mountains, but Moran advanced. Although he was reasonably certain that the place was deserted, a degree of caution, acquired overnight, led him first to assure himself of the fact. He tied his horse to a fence post and stealthily approached the house to enter by the back door.

Dorothy was alone in the building, for her mother had gone with the overly confident Barker to pick black berries, and the Chinese cook was temporarily absent. The girl was making a bed, when the door swung open, and she turned with a bright greeting, thinking that her mother had returned. When she saw Moran leering at her, the color fled from her cheeks, in a panic of fright which left her unable to speak or move. She was looking very pretty and dainty in a cool, fresh gown, which fitted her neatly, and her sleeves were rolled up over her shapely forearms, for the task of housekeeping which she had assumed. In her innocent way, she would have stirred the sentiment in any man, and to the inflamed brute before her she seemed all the more delectable because helpelss. Here was a revenge beyond Moran's wildest dreams. To her he appeared the incarnation of evil, disheveled, mud-splashed and sweaty, as his puffed and blood-shot eyes feasted on her attractiveness.

"Good morning!" He came into the room and closed the door. "I didn't expect to find you, but since you're here, I'll stop long enough to return your visit of the other night. That courteous, ain't it?"

Dorothy gulped down the lump in her throat, but made no reply. Realizing the importance of a show of bravery, she was fighting to conquer her panic.

"You're sure a good-looking kid," he went on, trying to approach her; but she put the width of the bed between him and herself. "Each time I see you, you're better looking than you were the last time. Say, that last time, we were talking some about a kiss, weren't we, when we were interrupted?"

"Mr. Wade may come in at any moment," Dorothy lied desperately, having found her tongue at last. "You'd better not let him find you here."

"I shouldn't mind," Moran said nonchalantly. "Fact is, on my way out of the country, I thought I'd pay a farewell call on my good friend, Wade. I'm real sorry he ain't here—and then again I'm not. I'll—I'll leave my visiting card for him, anyhow." He chuckled, a nasty, throaty, mirthless chuckle that sent chills up and down the girl's spine. "Say, what's the matter with giving me that kiss now? There's nobody around to interrupt us this time."

Dorothy shuddered, for already she had divined what was in his mind. The avid gleam in his eyes had warned her that he would not restrain himself for long, and summoning all her strength and courage, she prepared to meet the fearful crisis she must face.

"Will you please go?"

"No!" Moran chuckled again, and stepped toward her. "Will you come to me now, or shall I go after you?"

"You brute! You coward!" she cried, when she found herself, after a desperate struggle, held firmly in his grasp.

She screamed, then, at the top of her lung power until his hand fell firmly across her mouth, and she could only struggle with the mad strength of desperation. Her muscles could offer him no effective resistance, although for a moment the sudden fury of her attack drove him back, big though he was; but it was only for a moment. It gave her a chance to scream once more; then, closing in upon her, he seized her again in his ape like embrace. She fought like a cornered wild-cat, but slowly and surely he was bending her to his will. Her nails were leaving raw marks upon him, until the blood ran down his face, and presently catching between her teeth one of the fingers of the hand which gagged her, she bit it so fiercely that he cried out in pain.

"Curse you, you little she-devil," he grunted savagely. "I'll make you pay twice for that!"

"Gordon! Oh, come to me! Quick! Quick!"

Quivering all over, she sank on her knees before the brute who confronted her, a figure of distress that must have appealed to the heart of any man above the level of a beast. But in the heat of passion and rage, Moran had lost kinship with even the beasts themselves. Lust burned in his eyes and twisted his features horribly as he seized her again, exhausted by the brave struggle she had made, and all but helpless in his grasp.

"Gordon! Mother! Barker! Save me! For my God!"

(To be continued)

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Household Hints

Valuable Recipes For the Busy Housewife

Chocolate Raisin Frosting

1 cup milk, 1 cup confectioner's sugar.

4 squares unsweetened chocolate.

1 teaspoon vanilla.

½ cup chopped Sun-Maid seeded raisins.

Cook milk and chocolate together, stirring constantly until thick. Add sugar and cook again until thick. The mixture shuld drop heavily from a spoon. When cool add raisins and flavoring and spread on a cold cake.

Apple Cake

4 cups flour, 1 teaspoon salt.

6 teaspoons baking powder, 1 beaten egg.

4 tablespoons butter, 1 teaspoon cinnamon.

½ cup sugar, 1 cup Sun-Maid seeded raisins.

Apples, 2 cups milk.

Sift together the dry ingredients and rub in the butter as for biscuits, add the beaten egg and the milk, work to a smooth dough and spread on a shallow baking pan. Spread the top with melted butter and four tablespoons sugar mixed with one teaspoon of cinnamon. Cover this with one cup of raisins and cover the raisins with peeled, cored and sliced apples. Bake in a moderate oven thirty minutes.

Mystery of the Heavens

Inventors Spent Much Time On Instruments to Measure Sun and Stars

Professor H. Turner, in a lecture delivered at the Royal Institute, said that we could make a soup-plate seem the same size as the sun or the moon by putting it at a suitable distance from the eye.

The subject of his lecture was, "The Size of a Star," and he told his audience how ingenious world astronomers had been in inventing accurate methods of measurements.

"You will have noticed that the sun and the moon seem to be the same size, but the sun is 400 times larger than the moon. Now, even if we know the distance of the stars from the earth, they seem to be of no size at all, even in the biggest telescopes."

It looked as if it were not possible to know the size of the stars until Michelson, the American, showed how to adapt a small telescope to a system of mirrors.

In that way the first star, Alpha, in the constellation of Orion, was measured and found to be 400 times as large as the sun. It was hoped to measure a smaller star in the future.

Frenchman's Daring Stunt

Rode Bicycle to Ground from Eiffel Tower Station

Riding from the first station of the Eiffel Tower to the ground on a bicycle was the daring achievement of a young Frenchman. In the first leap the bicycle covered forty steps. The remaining steps were covered at the rate of from fifteen to twenty in each jump. In less than one and one-half minutes he had covered the entire distance of ninety yards and was only slightly scratched on one leg as he rounded a post at the bottom. Not a burr on the bicycle was loosened.

Dusting Cotton From Airplane

Fifteen cents an acre is what a commercial aviator charged to distribute poison over cotton fields in Texas, and the plane required only three hours to dust the 460-acre field. The farmer who employed the aviator said it would have taken more than three days to dust the cotton in the ordinary way.

The "grain of Mustard" for health

Don't refuse the mustard when it is passed to you. Cultivate the habit of taking it with meat, especially fat meat. It stimulates the digestion and aids in assimilating your food.

but it must be Keen's 233

Beacon Lights For Night Mail Flyers

Route Between Chicago and Cheyenne Will Be Illuminated

Thirty-seven searchlights, to be installed along the "after dark section" of the trans-continental aeroplane mail route, to be established by the post office department this summer have been shipped by the General Electric Company from its plant at Schenectady to various places between Chicago and Cheyenne, Wyo.

Each one of these lights has a rated illumination of 5,300,000 candlepower.

These searchlights will constitute the beacon posts of the night by which the postal aeroplane pilots will be guided over the entire 800 miles of the night air route.

At each town where the lights are to be placed an emergency landing field will be located, scientifically illuminated, to be used by the pilots if a landing is necesasry.

Each light will be mounted on a steel tower 54 feet high, and will be operated automatically by electric motors.

Oldest English Inn

Was Given License As An Alehouse In 1397

One of the oldest inns in England is the George Inn, at a village near Bath, called Norton St. Philip. It is a half-timbered house, with walls three feet thick, and was licensed as an alehouse in 1397. It has historic interest as the Duke of Monmouth and Oliver Cromwall slept beneath its roof—the Duke of Monmouth, on the night of June 26, 1685, just before the battle of Sedgemoor. There is a small oak chair of the same period which was used in this bedroom; and the massive oak door is intact and shows the same strong iron bolts which used to secure it in those far-off days. Also may be seen sme old oaks settles and several deep oak cupboards; and the rooms contain much fine oak panelling.

Fresh Supplies in Demand.—Wherever Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has been introduced increased supplies have been ordered, showing that wherever it goes this excellent Oil impresses its power on the people. No matter in what latitude it may be found its potency is never impaired. It is put up in most portable shape in bottles and can be carried without fear of breakage.

Paid Bill With Gold

The days of the Klondike were recalled at the Waldorf-Astoria recently when the hotel treasurer sold $5,000 worth of gold dust and nuggets to the Government. A westerner arrived at the hotel with no baggage and with very little cash. He had several pokes of gold which he asked the hotel treasurer to guard. When he was ready to leave he requested that the gold be sold and the hotel bill deducted. The Government was a ready purchaser.

Self is lost to the individual who assumes the airs of others.

Win Many Prizes

Total of 229 Prizes Won by Saskatchewan Farmers in Eleven Years

From 1911 to 1922, Saskatchewan farmers have won 229 prizes for their grain, grasses and vegetables at international shows held in Canada and the United States. Of these a total of 84 were either sweepstakes or first prizes. In addition a large number of prizes have been won for livestock raised in the province, the exhibition of wheat has been a prominent feature at all the shows where they have been shown.

DIARRHOEA and VOMITING Doubled Up With Pains

If you are suddenly attacked with diarrhoea, dysentery, colic, cramps or pains in the stomach or any looseness of the bowels do not waste valuable time but at once procure a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and see how quickly it will relieve you.

Mrs. Ernest Morris, 3 Webb St., London, Ont., writes:—"I take great pleasure in recommending Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for what it has done for me.

Some time ago I took an awful violent headache, then started to vomit and felt so sick I could hardly stand it all day; towards evening intense pains came in my bowels and I was just doubled up the pains were so bad; the perspiration stood out like beads on my forehead; then the diarrhoea started and I really thought I was going to die.

My husband went to the drug store and got a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry; he gave me four doses, at intervals, and by noon next day the diarrhoea had stopped and the pain was all gone too.

Now I will never be without 'Dr. Fowler's' in the house."

Price 50c a bottle; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

German Girls Receive Strike Funds

Thousands of women and girls were thrown out of employment in factories by the French occupation of the Ruhr district, but ignore domestic service offered them because they receive strike funds from Berlin and local municipalities amounting to more than wages in homes. It is as difficult to obtain housemaids in Germany as in this country.

Poisonous mushroom reaches its full growth in 12 hours.

BLISTERED FEET.

Bathe them with Minard's. It heals, eases.

MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

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BRIER

TRADE MARK

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73

Typewriters which are painted white all over are said to improve the work output and cause less eye-strain.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Figures issued by the Bureau of Statistics show Canadian unemployment further decreased.

Ancient hieroglyphics discovered north of Matabeleland, Africa, point to a very old civilization which has been lost for centuries.

Failure of Raould Amundsen to carry out his plans for a flight across the North Pole was due to his plane being too light.

Maurice Noonan, thought to have been the oldest life saver in point of service on Sable Island when he retired 10 years ago after 65 years' duty, died at Dartmouth, N.S., aged 90 years.

Thirty-five fur coats valued at $8,000 were stolen from a Yonge Street store in Toronto in a robbery which is believed to have not lasted more than two minutes.

The first known case of an air liner pilot striking for higher wages occurred at Croydon airdrome when a flight was delayed pending adjustment of the difficulty.

Hon. Mary Ellen Smith, former member of the Government of British Columbia and at present member for Vancouver City, has gone to Britain on a federal immigration mission.

The British embassy at Washington ought to be kept dry, out of regard for United States prohibition laws, Dr. J. H. Rushbrooke, of London, Baptist Commissioner for Europe, told the Baptist World Alliance.

The U.S. Chamber of Commerce has joined with the Wheat Council of the United States in a tentative agreement under which a joint committee will seek a solution of the wheat growers' problems.

A party of German scientists, headed by Hans Ludendorf, brother of the general, has sailed from Hamburg for Mexico to make observations of the solar eclipse September 10. Three minutes of cloudiness or rain would make their trip a failure.

Green Old Age Kept in Health by Dr. Hamilton's Pills

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Demonstrate Water Supply Systems

The Ontario Department of Agriculture is providing a motor truck to tour certain rural districts and demonstrate water supply systems, plumbing equipment and installation methods. The exhibits include an air pressure water system and kitchen and bathroom fixtures for the farm dwelling. One day is spent in each locality visited, lectures and demonstrations being given in the afternoon.

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To Protect Forests

140,000 School Boys to Watch For Forest Fires

One hundred and forty thousand Canadian school boys have been banded into an army of guards to watch for and prevent forest fires in the Dominion this year, according to an announcement made by the Canadian Forestry Association.

The new organization which is known as the Young Canadian Forest League, will, it is expected, save several million dollars worth of timber from fire ravages.

HEALTH FOR WEAK DESPONDENT PEOPLE

From End to End of Canada Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Doing Good Work

There is not a nook or corner in Canada, in the cities, towns, villages and on the farms, where Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have not been used and from one end of the country to the other people sound their praise. You have only to ask your neighbors and they can tell you of some run-down man, suffering woman, ailing youth or unhappy anaemic girl who owes their present health and strength to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. The success of this medicine is due to the fact that it acts directly upon the blood, making it rich and pure, and thus brings new strength to every organ and nerve in the body. Mr. Andrew F. Webb, Melanson, N.S., tells what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for him as follows:—"I was in a run-down condition from overwork and what the doctor called a nervous breakdown. My sister urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After taking several boxes I improved wonderfully and feel like a different person. I sleep well, eat well, and my nerves are stronger and with confidence I can recommend these pills to all weak, run-down people."

If you are suffering from any condition due to poor, watery blood, or weak nerves, begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills now, and note how your strength and health will improve. You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine, or they will be sent by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The All-British Cable

Trinidad and West Indian Governments Favorable to Scheme

Replying to a question in the House of Commons, W. G. Ormsby-Gore, Under-Secretary for the Colonies, said the Government of Trinidad had accepted the proposals of the British Government in regard to a system of all-British cable communications.

The general attitude of the West Indian Governments concerned was favorable to the scheme, said the under secretary, and if the proposals commended themselves to the Canadian Government it was hoped a beginning might be made with the execution of the plan in the coming autumn.

Corns cause much suffering, but Holloway's Corn Remover offers a speedy, sure and satisfactory relief.

Soldiers' Settlement

British Soldiers Commend Scheme of Settlement to Comrades

In connection with the Canadian Government's recent decision to place the machinery of the Canadian Soldiers' Settlement Board at the disposal of the British ex-service men practical evidence of the value of this assistance is seen in a letter received by William Jones, the board's London representative, from two English ex-service men who recently emigrated and are now settled at Melfort, Sask.

The letter says, among other things: "We have nothing but good to say of the treatment we have received. District Supervisor Dixon has given us invaluable advice and in every way he has proved a friend to us. We can sincerely recommend ex-service men who intend to settle on land to consider carefully the advantages of working under the soldier settlement scheme."

Settlement 7,000 Years Old

Numerous flint implements, bone harpoons, arrowheads, grindstones, chisels and tooth-headed spears have been discovered in the remains of a settlement at Holmegardsmos, Denmark. It is estimated the settlement is at least 7,000 years old. Although no human bones have yet been found, the excavators uncovered skeletons of elk, reindeer and other animals under a layer of peat several yards thick.

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Back to the Land Movement

German Workers in the Ruhr Adopt Gardening

When the German workers in the Ruhr, following their policy of passive resistance, declined to work for the French and Belgians, they turned in large numbers to market gardening. Sixty thousand railroad employees alone quit work, and many of them turned to field activities.

As a result the district is producing a vast harvest of vegetables and grain, and a real "back-to-the-land" movement is under way.

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Yukon Gold

Last Year Near Record In Yukon Gold Output

Only once in the history of Canada was the gold production record set in 1922 exceeded, and that was in 1900, when the Yukon placers reached the peak of their yield. This was made clear when final figures dealing with the gold production for 1922 were made public by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. It is shown in the report that 1,263,364 ounces of gold were mined in the Dominion during 1922. The value is set at $26,116,050, an increase of 36 per cent. above the previous year's figures. In 1900 a total of 1,350,057 ounces of gold were mined, valued at $27,908,153.

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The Herald Wins

Edward K. Bok, the publisher, is offering a prize of $100,000 to the American citizen who can conceive the most practical plan by which the United States may co-operate with other nations in forwarding the cause of world-peace. The best plan can be stated in five words: Join the League of Nations.—Hamilton Herald.

TO EXPECTANT MOTHERS

A Letter from Mrs. Smith Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Helped Her

Trenton, Ont.—"I am writing to you in regard to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I would not be without it. I have taken it before each of my children was born and afterwards, and find it a great help. Before my first baby was born I had shortness of breath and ringing in my ears. I felt as if I would never pull through. One day a friend of my husband told him what the Vegetable Compound had done for his wife and advised him to take a bottle home for me. After the fourth bottle I was a different woman. I have four children now, and I always find the Vegetable Compound a great help as it seems to make confinement easier. I recommend it to my friends."—Mrs. Fred H. Smith, John St., Trenton, Ont.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is an excellent medicine for expectant mothers, and should be taken during the entire period. It has a general effect to strengthen and tone up the entire system, so that it may work in every respect effectually as nature intended. Thousands of women testify to this fact.

Sir Geo. Foster to Tour West

Will Speak On Behalf Of League Of Nations Society

Sir George Foster, who is a member of the Executive Committee of the League of Nations Society in Canada, has arranged to make an extended tour in Western Canada during the next three months, during which he will address meetings in a number of cities on the objects of the league.

The first address will be delivered in Winnipeg on Aug. 21 or 22, followed by an address at Brandon two days later. He will appear at Regina on Aug. 28 and subsequently at Moose Jaw.

On September 20 Sir George will speak in Vancouver. On October 1, when he commences his homeward journey, he will be heard in Victoria, and there will also be two meetings in Edmonton and one each at Calgary, Saskatoon and Winnipeg.

As at present arranged the general secretary of the society, H. G. Richardson, will precede Sir George for the purpose of assisting the local branches in organizing the branches and strengthening the society in the various centres.

Sir Robert Borden, President of the League of Nations' Society in Canada, received word from Sir Arthur W. Currie, Principal of McGill, accepting the honorary treasurership of the society.

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Trains For Height Record

French Aviator Experiments Under Guidance of Scientist

Sadi LeCointe, the French pilot, is after a new altitude record and has already reached 12,000 yards—"in principle." He has not left the ground.

All day he sat in a glass cage like a bug in a bottle while scientists experimented with him. They sent the temperature of his case down to ten below zero, rarified the air he was breathing and finally fed him from an oxygen tank.

All the time he had to manipulate a miniature set of airplane controls while the scientists watched through the glass for symptoms of distress. All they saw were a few shivers emanating from the middle of LeCointe's fur coat.

The conditions are those that the pilot will find when he goes up to break Macready's record. He is using the glass case test as the best way of training for his flight and so scientists can see just what can be done in the way of perfecting his equipment.

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Supassed Wireless Records

German wireless telegraphy flashed 51,139 words abroad in one day recently, surpassing all previous records. Thirty-five thousand words were sent to the United States alone, while most of the remainder were sent to Spain, Italy, Russia and Egypt. The bulk of the traffic was at Napen and at the Ellwesen station.

How Like a Man

Mabel.—"I don't see why you should hesitate to marry on £350 a year. Dad says my gowns never cost me more than that."

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Mabel.—"Isn't that just like a man. Always thinking of his stomach!"

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Saskatchewan Wool

Large Number of Consignments Are Being Handled this Year

A large number of wool shipments are being received from Saskatchewan producers at the warehouse of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers, Limited, according to the General Manager, Mr. Thomson. In addition to the 26,000 shipped out there is another 8,000 pounds on hand and further consignments are coming in every day. Mr. Thomson has received 24 contracts for further shipments, making a total of over 500 Saskatchewan contracts signed this season.

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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, SEPT. 21

Loafing on the Job

The inconvenience of having an opposition representative at Ottawa was never more strikingly demonstrated than in the present long distance telegraph effort of the board of trade to secure the Valley representation in the apple display the Dominion authorities propose to make at the British Empire Exposition which opens in London, England, early next year and continues open for at least six months.

Although daily press despatches notified that the trade and commerce department had a representative in the Okanagan selecting 600 boxes of display apples the importance of Creston figuring in the big exhibition does not seem to have struck the Farmer-Labor member of West Kootenay, and if representation is secured full credit for securing this prominece for the Valley must go to Creston's foremost community organization

When one remembers the success Messrs. Robert Stark and W. G. Littlejohn had at the Imperial Fruit Show in London in 1921 in the stiffest kind of competition, and recollects that last year had it not been for the enterprise of Valley growers this province would have had no fruit at all at the big English exhibition, certainly had the local federal member been awake to his constituents' rights Creston Valley should have been the starting point for the assembling of the 600 boxes for the British Empire show rather than the last to receive consideration—if it is lucky enough to secure recognition at all.

If Mr. Humphrey's executive still functions it is to be hoped they will promptly advise him that there is still time to have Creston Valley fruit included in a display the Okanagan papers inform is being assembled there by Dominion fruit officials for the Imperial Fruit Show, which is scheduled for Manchester, England, the latter part of October.

At $4000 a year Mr. Humphrey surely should be as active in promoting Creston's interests as board of trade members, who work for nothing and board themselves, in advancing the interests of this part of Kootenay.

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Irrespective of denominational preferences the many residents of the Valley who have enjoyed the acquaintance of Father Bessette will hear with regret of his transfer to take up work in Vancouver.

In the choice of men to minister to Holy Cross Church congregation the archbishop has been fortunate in sending to the local parish spiritual heads who invariably have had the happy faculty of maintaining friendly relations with their own parishoners and with the non-Catholics with whom they came in contact, but in at least nine years never has it been the good fortune of Creston parish to have a priest who entered so heartily and widely into the life of the community as Father Bessette.

Whilst always upholding the dignity of his high calling he had an informal genuineness that won him the fast friendship of the many he encountered. In the time he had at his disposal on his visits to Creston he always exemplified a brand of clerical everyday citizenship that it was a real pleasure to encounter, and in good measure had its effect on the life of the men of the community in particular.

Operating on the broad gauge principles that characterized him whilst here Father Bessette will be a power for good wherever he may be stationed, and he takes with him to Vancouver the best wishes for success of a host of Creston Valley friends.

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WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

Nothing Wrong with Canada

To those who are having their confidence in Canada shaken by blue ruin stories that are now making the rounds of certain newspapers it would be well if these doubters studied the trade situation with some degree of care and understanding. First of all let it be said that Canada holds fourth place among the countries of the world in actual volume of exports, and in proportion of exports to population this country occupies first place For the twelve months ending June, 1923, the Dominion was a world trader to the value of $1,844,000,000, whereas the world trade of the United States during the same twelve months amounted to $7,738,000,000. Or to put it another way, while our population is roughly one twelfth that of the United States our foreign trade is almost one-quarter that of the United States. In a word we are per capita the largest foreign traders in the world. That does not look as if we are headed straight for thh pawnbrokers.

A quarter century ago the investment of foreign capital other than British in this country in this country was practically nil. Today it is estimated that United States capital invested in Canadian enterprises and in Canadian securities amounts to $2,500,000,000, or almost as much as the total investment of British capital in this country. Statistic recently issued by the Canadian Pacific Railway indicate that United States investors now hold $701,000,000 of our securities, government, provincial and municipal issues, as against $511,000,000 held by British investors.

The total agricultural investment in Canada (1921) amounted to $6,831,000,000, while the amount represented in manufacturing amounted to $3,230,000,000, a grand total of well upward of ten billions of dollars, an investment much over $1,000 for every man, woman and child in the country. This does not look as if we were quite broke, does it?

Our chief trouble is that for a long time we have been spending too much money, mainly for things that we really did not require, in other words for luxuries. Like a good deal of the rest of the world, and more particularly the United States, we have been living beyond our means. Governments have this bad habit as well as individuals. Our borrowings, federal provincial and municipal have been absurdly heavy, and should be curtailed without delay. Basically this country is as sound as it ever was. All that we require is confidence in ourselves. The rest will take care of itself.—Toronto Saturday Night.

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Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B.C., or District Forester Cranbrook, B.C.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for a Floating wharf at Harrop, B.C.," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, October 2, 1923, for the construction of a Public Floating wharf at Harrop, District of Kootenay, B.C.

Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specification and forms of tender obtained at this Department, at the office of the District Engineer, K.W.C. Building, Nelson, B.C., and at the Post Office, Harrop, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with conditions contained therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10% of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security, or War Bonds and cheques if required to make up an odd amount.

NOTE—Blue prints can be obtained at this Department by depositing an accepted bank cheque for the sum of $10.00 payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submit a regular bid.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

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

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT.

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

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 28, 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 fulfilment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING.

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

Institute Watches Basket Making

One of the most practical sessions of the Creston Women's Institute was the September meeting in the Parish Hall, on Friday afternoon, which was in charge of the President, Mrs. Lyne, with Mrs. J. W. Hamilton acting as secretary in the absence of Mrs. James Cherrington, who is absent on fall fair judging work at West Kootenay points.

For the committee of immigration Mrs. E. Mallandaine submitted a comprehensive and carefully prepared statement dealing more especially with Asiatics. Mrs. Bennett, for the home industries committee, made a plea for the more generous use of products made in B.C. For the better schools committee, Mrs. Garland announces that institute-installed swings and teeters at the public school had been again erected after the vacation and appeared to be more popular than ever with the increased primary atttndance.

It was announced that the course of instruction in dressmaking that Mrs. Dunk of Nelson will give institute members and others will commence the first week in October and that there will be afternoon and evening courses, with the classes to meet in the Parish Hall. All who wish to enroll should notify the institute secretary.

Mrs. Garland also reported on a session she had attended at Vancouver of the committee handling the crippled children work, to which voluntary effort the Creston Institute is a contributor. In the short time it has been at work two patients have been discharged as cured and seven more are being taken care of.

Mrs. Frank Pearce gave a very thorough demonstration of raffia basket making. Two of her completed baskets were on exhibition and for all the time at her disposal she very carefully explained the different features of the work, and was accorded a vote of thanks at the conclusion of the session.

The musical feature was a piano solo by Miss Jeanne Hall of Erickson, with refreshments served by Mrs. Mallandaine and Mrs. J. A. Lidgate, the tea collection being forwarded the crippled children fund at Vancouver.

The annual conference of Kootenay-Boundary institutes will be held in Nelson toward the middle of November and quite a few of the Creston members are anticipating attending the three days session.

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NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

221 candidates were taught how to swim at Nelson this summer.

On some Grand Forks farms wheat is threshing out at 42 bushels to the acre.

Gasoline is down to 42 cents at Vernon, 40 cents at Penticton and 39 at Kamloops.

Greenwood school will not accept pupils in the primary room after the end of September.

Corn roasts at the beach are the prevailing amusement for Kaslo young people this season.

The covered rink owned by the city of Cranbrook has just been leased to the curling club for $350.

Threshing on the drainage district at Bonners Ferry shows wheat turning out at 49 bushels to the acre.

Cantaloupes from the new fruit area at Oliver are reported to be the best received at the coast this year.

Fifty-three car loads of Okanagan fruit went through Revelstoke in a single day last week, according to the Review.

Cranbrook Baptists have just spent $3000 in renovating their church. A full sized basement is amongst the improvements.

For the first time on record Alberta peaches are being run over the grading machines at the Penticton packing shed this year.

Boswell Fruit Growers are asking the Associated Growers of B.C. to establish a separate pool for Bing and Lambert cherries.

Cranbrook board of trade will tender President Beatty of the C.P.R. a complimentary banquet when he visits that city next week.

The Ledge complains that the youngsters of Greenwood are altogether too proficient in the art of cursing and swearing.

The thirst of Cranbrook citizens the past summer is appalling. The average consumption was 900 gallons daily per head of population.

The long dry spell at present experienced is crippling operations at the Fernie coal mines. The mines were idle several days last week.

The only interior export liquor house in the interior, which has been located at Greenwood, is transferring its business to Grand Forks.

Up till the middle of September $70,000 has been paid in taxes at Vernon. A year ago collections were but $50,000 at the same date.

The expenses in connection with the official opening of the Ymir road last month totalled $949. Nelson city council contributed $750 of this.

Coast wholesalers claim most of the Okanagan peaches are too small in size to meet the trade demand, hence the need for buying the Washington fruit.

Rossland board of trade, city council and rink owners are launching a campaign to secure funds that will enable the skating rink to operate this winter.

Some sweet peas one and three quarter inches in diameter were grown at Cranbrook this year—eight of them to the stem, too, according to the Courier.

Penticton has been called upon to put up a supply of boxed apples to be exhibited in the B.C. trade commissioner's office in London by the provincial department of agriculture.

600 boxes of Okanagan apples are being assembled for display purposes at the British Empire exhibition that runs from May till November in London, England, next year.

At Rossland the water supply is quite short and in order to make it last out the supply is shut off each night in order to allow the reservoir to accumulate a daytime supply.

The Retail Merchants Association is asking Cranbrook council to install the cluster system of electric lights for Baker street, the cost of installing to be collected on a frontage tax.

Members of the Knights of Columbus throughout the Okanagan are arranging to gather up a car of fruit and vegetables this fall and ship it to charitable institutions at Vancouver.

A forest fire at Wheeler Creek in the Cranbrook district this month did damage to twelve million feet of standing timber. Supplies had to be packed in 65 miles to the fire fighters.

In the past five months at least 100 residences at Cranbrook have had cement basements built under them. The "drys" surely must be planning a campaign to close the government liquor store.

From Vernon comes the report that the office of the Dominion fruit inspection staff has been instructed to select ten boxes of apples for show purposes at the Imperial Fruit Show at Manchester, England, next month.

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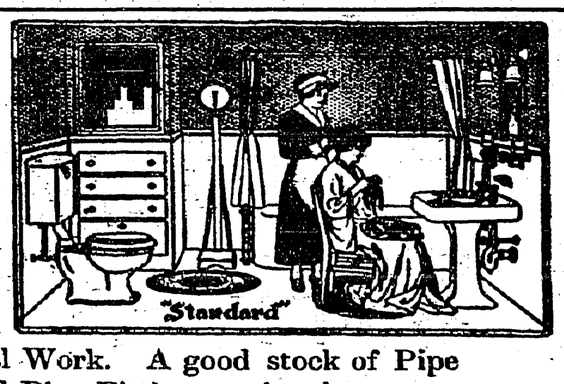

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Our Box Factory is running full time, and we are in excellent position to supply all your needs in Crates or boxes of any variety.

Our price delivered on Apple Boxes equals anything in B.C. and when you consider the advantage of being able to secure promptly from us any extra boxes you may need, we believe the service we give and price we quote cannot be equalled.

For the convenience of growers who will need but a small supply we wish to inform that they can get all they need at the Company's office at Creston.

BOX PRICES: 19c. at the mill; 20c. delivered

Canyon City Lumber Company LIMITED

A Constitutional Amendment Is Needed

The lamentable effects of the Senate's action in blocking the policy of the directorate of the Canadian National Railways, the Federal Government and the House of Commons, all of which bodies were agreed upon the necessity of constructing certain branch lines, are already in evidence, and as time passes the seriousness of the blow struck at Canadian progress and prosperity will become even clearer.

Charles McDonald, M.L.A. for Prince Albert, and a man not given to exaggeration, nor one likely to be guilty of misrepresentation, is authority for the statement that settlers are already leaving the Paddockwood district because, after years of struggle and waiting for a railway, the grade for which has already been made, they see the Government and the elected representatives of the people powerless before an irresponsible Senate. Three elevators which would have been constructed along this line this year will not be built, while creameries and other industries cannot be proceeded with nor operated with any hope of success.

Announcement has been made in the daily press that, owing to the Senate's action in placing their veto on the extension of the C.N.R. line from Kelvington, the Canadian Pacific has decided to proceed at once with the extension of their lines into the territory which the C.N.R. would have served, and, unhampered by Senatorial control, the C.P.R. has let a contract for the immediate building of their line.

Nobody can blame the C.P.R. for thus pre-empting the territory. It is merely good business on their part, and if the Senate will not let the Canadian National build, then the people in the district concerned will most heartily welcome the energy displayed by the C.P.R. But how can Sir Henry Thornton and the directorate of the Canadian National be expected to make that system a financial success if their well considered plans for the development of business are to be nullified by the Senate?

As was pointed out in a previous article, not only do the districts to be served by these short branch lines badly need them if the settlers there are to make a success of their farming operations and become contented and prosperous citizens, but the Canadian National must remain handicapped with its thousands of miles of main lines unless and until it has many more branch lines as feeders to their main lines. And every one of the branches "killed" by the Senate would have helped materially in increasing the volume of traffic over the whole C.N.R. system.

It is useless to ask the Government to go ahead and build the lines despite the Senate's opposition. The Government is powerless unless Parliament approves and votes the necessary money. It is equally useless to pass resolutions condemning the Senate's action unless people and organizations responsible for such resolutions are ready, willing and determined to force a complete reform of the Senate as at present constituted. The Senate is immune at present. Its members are quite indifferent to any public criticism of its acts, because those members know the people are powerless to do anything.

Surely the time has arrived when definite steps should be inaugurated to bring about a change in our country's constitution whereby the present menace of an irresponsible Senate can be removed. The political party which has the courage to place a positive and clear-cut plank in its platform providing for Senate reform would undoubtedly rally a very large measure of support to its banner. Certain it is that the progressive Western Provinces will not much longer remain content to be the victims of the Senate's autocracy and irresponsibility.

Australia has the power to amend its own constitution. Why should Canada not enjoy the same right? The British North America Act was drafted and passed over half a century ago when the powers conferred on self-governing Dominions were not so great as those granted to other Dominions created at later periods, notably Australia and Ireland. The Canadian constitution was a broad and liberal one at the time of its enactment. But the world has progressed far since 1867, and no valid reason exists why the Canadian people should today be penalized because their Dominion was the first to be created.

The first step that should be taken, and taken at the earliest opportunity, is to obtain from the Imperial Parliament an amendment to the British North America Act conferring on the Parliament of Canada full right and power to amend its own constitution in such manner as the people of Canada may themselves desire. And if Canada asks for such an amendment to the B.N.A. Act, it is safe to say the Imperial Government and Parliament will not deny the request.

The Lengthening of Life

Modern Conditions Have Changed Older Standards by Which Men Were Judged

From 28 to 49 for the average man. Long ago a man was considered at his strongest and most beautiful between 20 and 30, at his best as a leader or manager from 30 to 40, as an experienced man of buisness from 40 to 50, and as a councillor or judge of other men's troubles from 50 to 60. Roughly these divisions are to some extent still correct. Modern life, however, with its increased opportunities for travel and education, has so speeded up conditions that young men of business and politics have by the twenties often acquired enough experience to allow them to rise to their prime early in life. At the other end of life, altered social conditions and better medical attention have allowed physical efficiency to be retained far longer.

BABY'S GREAT DANGER DURING HOT WEATHER

More little ones die during the hot weather than at any other time of the year. Diarrhoea, dysentry, cholera infantum and stomach troubles come without warning, and when a medicine is not at hand to give promptly the short delay too frequently means that the child has passed beyond aid. Baby's Own Tablets should always be kept in the house where there are young children. An ocasional dose of the Tablets will prevent stomach and bowel troubles, or if the trouble comes suddently the prompt use of the Tablets will relieve the baby. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from Th Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

More than 12,000,000 letters, cards, and parcels were mailed in England with insufficient stamps during a recent six months.

Severe Kidney Trouble

Mrs. F. Rinehart, Campbellville, Ont., writes:

"I had trouble with my kidneys and very frequent urination. This was followed by pains which at times were very severe. The doctor said I had inflammation of the bladder and that an operation might be necessary. To this I refused, and began using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. From the first few doses I felt the benefit. The pains left, urination was corrected, and I have had no recurrence of these ailments."

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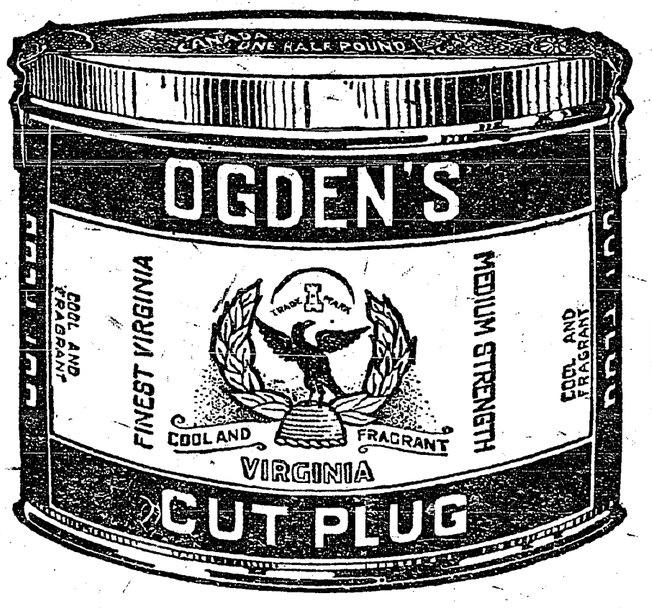

If you roll your own ask for OGDEN'S FINE CUT (green label)

World's Dairy Congress

Will Be Held in Three Cities of U.S. to Consider Questions of Broadest Import

In order to fully present the milk industry of the United States, the World's Dairy Congress, will be held in three cities. It will open at Washington, D.C., on October 2. There the delegates will be officially welcomed and will have an opportunity to inspect the Government's laboratories, experiment stations and statistical and economic bureaus. The sessions held there on October 2 and 3 will consider questions of the broadest import.

The work of the National Dairy Council in promoting national health by educating the public as to the food value of milk and its products will be demonstrated for the delegates at Philadelphia, Pa., on October 4, under the auspices of the National and Inter State Dairy Councils.

Jordan Canals Urged

Canals to irrigate the Plain of Jordan, round the Dead Sea, are proposed. Wide areas covered with fertile soil could then be cultivated.

A pleasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

Importance of Fur Trade

Value of Furs Sold Show Heavy Increase Over Previous Year

Anybody who imagines that Canada's fur trade is not an important item in the business of the country had better study the figures that have just been issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. They would then realize more than ever the truth of the old adage that "the infant life of Canada was nourished by the fur traders." The illuminating figures issued by the bureau show that in the season of 1921-22 the value of furs sold increased over the previous season by more than $7,000,000. In that season the total value of pelts of fur-bearing animals taken was $17,377,834, an increase over the previous season of $7,226,210, or 71 per cent.—Victoria Daily Times.

Ask for Minard's and take no other

Curtain Maker Sets Repord

One veteran worker in a large lace factory in Nottingham has a record of having made more than 1,000,000 pairs of lace curtains during his forty-five years of service.

The Friend of All Sufferers.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil is a valuable remedy to all those who suffer pain. It holds out hope to everyone and realizes it by stilling suffering everywhere. It is a liniment that has the blessing of half a continent. It is on sale everywhere and can be found wherever enquired for.

The Fraternal Feeling

Grace.—The only men I ever kiss are my brothers.

Murray.—Er—what lodge do you belong to?—New York Sun.

New Plant Varieties

Canada First Country in the World to Adopt Patenting of New Plants

Through the efforts of the Canadian Council of Horticulture, endorsed by representatives from fruit and vegetable dealers, packers, jam manufacturers, gardeners, nurseries and amateur horticulturists from all parts of the Dominion, Government registration of new plant varieties had been secured, L. F. Burrows, Ottawa, Secretary of th Council, told members of the Manitoba Horticultural and Forestry Association at a luncheon, and Canada was the first country in the world to adopt this Government patenting of new plant varieties.

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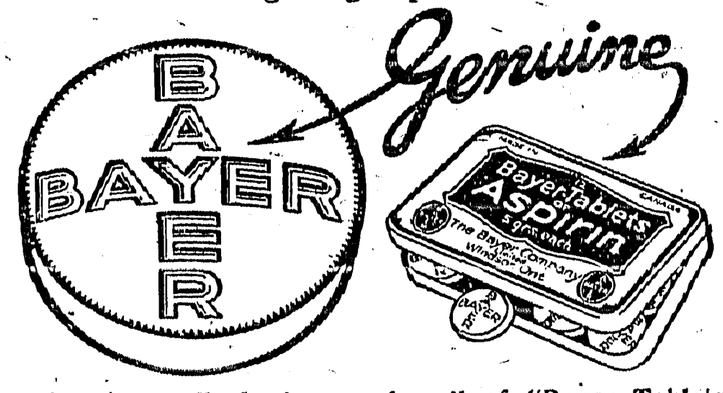

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Claim Is Made That Lime Has Almost Magical Effect In The Production Of Crops

(By Andrew J. Norquay)

There has been a growing conviction among agricultural experts in Western Canada during the past few years that the time was fast approaching when the farmers of the older settled portions of the country must pay more attention to the problem of keeping their lands fertilized, first, by natural means through a more serious rotation of crops and the introduction of leguminous crops—clovers, etc., in their crop rotation, and second, through the direct feeding of cropped lands by concentrated fertilizers.

Farmers of this country are facing the inexorable law that "we have got to get." Nature has given and will continue to respond generously if only given a chance. Our soils gave freely of their stores of plant foods until, after years' of cultivation, the nutriments once locked up in the soil being gradually absorbed by repeated cropping are showing signs of diminishing productiveness. These conditions need not continue if proper measures are adopted to replace what has been removed. There are many soils in older countries which have been successfully farmed for hundreds of years and are producing as abundantly today as at any time in their history. There is a reason for this, scientific methods have been learned and applied resulting in a steady production being maintained. The cultivation of the soil requires as much technical knowledge as any other industry, and when an individual, either by choice or chance, engages in farming, he assumes the responsibility of making the most of what the soil will afford. The farmer who disregards the teaching of agricultural science and who will not acquaint himself with remedies for conditions which confront him will most surely suffer the consequences of either ignorance or neglect.

In the past the farmer has found it unnecessary to really pay sufficient attention to the production of quality and of increasing the yield per acre of his crop. An old proverb says: "When the market is brisk the seller does not take time to wash the mud from his turnips." The application of fertilizers has not yet become a general practice in this country. When it is taken up and the proper rotation of crops becomes general our fields will be cleaner, the pest of weeds in grain will disappear and a hazard of blight and insect damage will be lessened, while at the same time it is reasonable to anticipate that the yield on properly fed and cared for ground will increase materially. In England and in the oldest section of American farm land, wheat crops averaging over 40 bushels to the acre are the rule rather than the exception.

In first studying application of fertilizers to soils, the student is struck with two facts—first, the essential character of lime as a base for all soil fertilizing substances; and second, the comparative economy by which lime and lime products, suitable for fertilization, can be obtained and applied in Western Canada.

While there are many manures and fertilizers, natural and artificial, of greater or lesser value according to what they contain, the purpose of this article is to call attention to one material of outstanding merit—lime. Lime is plentiful, readily obtainable, easily applied by the use of a drill—assuring increased production, and as a first aid for most soil troubles there is possibly no more efficacious remedy.

A direct fertilizer is a plant food in which there are elements of plant nutrition available for use. To be available, plant food must be in soluble form, that is to say, it must be in such condition that it can be readily absorbed or taken up by the roots of a plant. A large proportion of plant food present in soils is not in soluble form, consequently the plant roots cannot make use of them until by combination with other elements they are converted into a condition which can be absorbed. These combinations are comprised of acids, salts and bases or metallic oxides.

An indirect fertilizer is not necessarily a plant food, nor does it furnish any needed plant food to the soil. It, however, acts upon compounds already present in the soil, uniting with them or changing them from unavailable to available form. Lime is an example of an indirect fertilizer. It not only acts chemically upon the organic and inorganic constituents of soils, but it exerts a very powerful influence upon their physical condition. It is claimed to have an almost magical effect on crop production. Lime is not only an essential part of plant life, but by its chemical activity the organic and mineral constituents of soils are discomposed or are converted into compounds that can be readily assimilated by plants. It is present in almost every cultivated soil sufficient for the requirement of vegetation. Nevertheless, a proportion is being constantly carried away by drainage, a proportion enters into combination with other elements, whilst some descends below root depths.

The most profound action of lime in soils is as a floccule. Take a glass of muddy water and add a quantity of pulverized lime—there is an almost immediate change in the arrangement of particles; they appear first to draw together in light fluffy groups which then rapidly settle to the bottom so that the top liquid becomes nearly clear, the lime practically surrounds and envelops each particle, with the result that whatever mineral matter is contained in the particles is separated into individual grains or granules. In such form it is ready for absorption by the plant. The effect on soil is to convert it from a compact to a finely granulated condition, in other words, lime carries on and continues the process started by the action of the plow.

Every farmer should study the fertility of the soil from which he draws his sustenance and should plan to take these steps which are necessary to maintain and increase the fertility of his fields. He will probably find lime, in direct application, to be the first and wisest method of beginning to build up his soil. Lime is present in many forms in Western Canada, and there are already in existence many commercial lime producing enterprises who could easily put their equipment to the production of suitable lime products for agricultural use. The time has come when these should be studied, exploited and the farmers of this country taught to make use of this essential fertilizing element. It lies at hand waiting only the knowledge of its proper application to become a resource of incalculable value to the country.

Alberta Creameries

Fifteen more creameries have been put in operation in Albrta this year than were in operation in 1922, according to a report issued by the Provincial Department of Agriculture. There are now 69 of these, in place of 54 last season. In addition there are in operation throughout the province 13 cheese factories.

Whistles operated by wireless in locomotive cabs to signal to the engineers are being tested on the French railways.

WESTERN EDITORS

Geo. H. Cameron, Editor and Proprietor of The Witness, Watson, Sask.

Teaching Milk Facts

Free Milk Supplied to School Children Of California

Society's need for a better understanding of the vital place that milk holds in the diet of growing children will receive the broadest recognition at the World's Dairy Congress of 1923. The United States has been making an organized effort to improve the health of its school children by a wiser use of milk and milk products. Some idea of what is being accomplished may be gained from statements made in the last report of the California Dairy Council, one of the most active state organizations engaged in this work.

A few public schools had milk served to the pupils when the council began its work late in 1919, but the idea prevailed that the children got enough milk at home. The council's milk survey showed that, of 130,968 children, dwelling in 8 principal cities, 54,233 received no milk at home; while 42,940 received not more than one glass (half-pint) a day. Today, there is scarcely a city of any size in the State of California that does not have some sort of milk service in the public schools. In San Francisco, 10,500 half-pint bottles are purchased by the children at the school lunches every day. One Berkeley school had milk service in the fall of 1919. Today, every school in Berkeley has such service.

Last year the people of the state consumed 13,500,000 gallons of milk more than in any previous year. The per capita consumption increased from 17½ gallons in 1921 to 22 gallons in 1922; while the per capita consumption of butter increased from 22 to 22½ pounds in the same period. The health of the rising generation already shows the effects of the use of this better diet.

Coast Mills Are Busy

With orders for 40,000,000 feet of lumber on the books at the first of the month, cast mills are assured of an active cutting season for the next three months. The market has softened a little but millmen do not anticipate any slump in quotations. Foreign business is offering in good volume.

An Annual Economic Loss Which Proves Severe Drain Upon Our National Wealth

Fire losses in 1922—$43,745,000.

Premiums collected by insurance companies—$53,019,456.

Losses paid by insurance companies—$36,429,287.

Premiums collected in excess of losses paid—$16,590,169.

Total premiums paid and amount of losses not covered by insurance, $61,335,169.

In 1922 Canada paid for insurance against fire loss over fifty-three million dollars, according to an abstract statement published by the Superintendent of Insurance. The insurance companies returned to policyholders, nearly thirty-six and one-half million dollars, a charge of insurance and uncovered losses of over sixty-one million dollars. On the basis of the 1921 census, this sum represents seven dollars per head for every man, woman and child in Canada, while the head of a family of five, the family unit in this country, has to meet a payment of $35 in real money every year to provide for insurance and fire loss.

"Loss covered by insurance" has become a commonplace in Canadian newspapers, when reporting a fire. If this were changed to read "loss paid by the neighbors" it would be more correct as, upon analysis of the insurance companies' position, it will be readily seen that no company could continue paying out money unless it had a source of revenue from which it could secure its funds. As above shown last year the insurance companies collected more than sixteen and one-half million dollars over and above what they returned to cover losses, or a loss rate of 68.98 per cent., the highest for the past five years, the average for this period being 53.52 per cent. Large risks are responsible for the greater portion of the fire losses. In 1922 there were 88 fires with losses of over $100,000, seven of which exceeded a million dollars, while there were 480 of over ten thousand dollars; against 377 the previous year.

This record takes no account of the losses from forest fires, the destruction being entirely of created resources, in other words, of raw materials, or natural resources, upon which human labor had been expended to bring them to their finished state. To replace these raw materials, says the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior, our natural resources must be again drawn upon and Canadian workmen must again give their labor. Canada is thus suffering an annual economic loss which constitutes a severe drain upon her national wealth, and one which she can ill-afford, with the further result that the competition of demand for replacement materials and labor with that required for new production tends to an appreciation in prices which acts as a detriment to builders.

One Volumn Contains Germany's Army List

Printed Record Shows Great Reduction Of Fighting Force

Germany's first army list since 1914 has just been issued, and its diminutive proportions bear striking contrast to the fat volumes of pre-war days. It is the first time that one book has included the military forces of all Germany.

Up to 1914, the peace-time Regular Army of the Fatherland embraced some 600,000 men and officers, besides a host of reserves. During the late hostilities, this strength swelled at one time to more than 8,000,000. Then came the Treaty of Versailles, and at one swoop clipped the German army to 100,000. Ten thousand of this dwarfed array were permitted to be officers and members of the administrative personnel.

Gone are the general staff and all the high training institutions so long the pride of Prussia. Four small service schools are permitted, and these for officer candidates only. Gone, too, are whole branches of the service: The foot-artillery, aviation and the aircraft construction, the railway troops, and the great technical organization which attended to the soldier's welfare and looked after the men on leave.

Princes and others of the higher nobility have completely disappeared from the officers' corps, and there are not as many barons, counts, and so on as in the days of yore. A muster roll call would sound strangely different from those of a decade ago.

Renovating Historic Hall

Elevator Not Included in Improvements to Boston Building

Historic Faneuil Hall, the "Cradle of Liberty," Boston, will not be defiled by the installations of a modern elevator. The hall is to be renovated in the near future and the city council has appropriated $200,000 to that end. All floors, walls and ceilings are to be covered with wire-proof metal, and wooden awning supports will be replaced with fireproof construction. But patriots threaten to seek a grand jury indictment against anyone who would attempt to install an elevator. The Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company will continue to walk upstairs to their meetings.

Lumbering In British Columbia

Sawmills to the number of 292, with a daily capacity of over 9,500,000 feet, were in operation in British Columbia in 1922. In addition there were 108 shingle plants working with a daily capacity of 15,500,000 shingles; only 8 mills are reported as shut down. There were 2,652 logging operations operating in the province during 1922.

It is not uncommon for glass blowers to drink twenty-five to thirty quarts of water a day.

Pays to Be Explicit

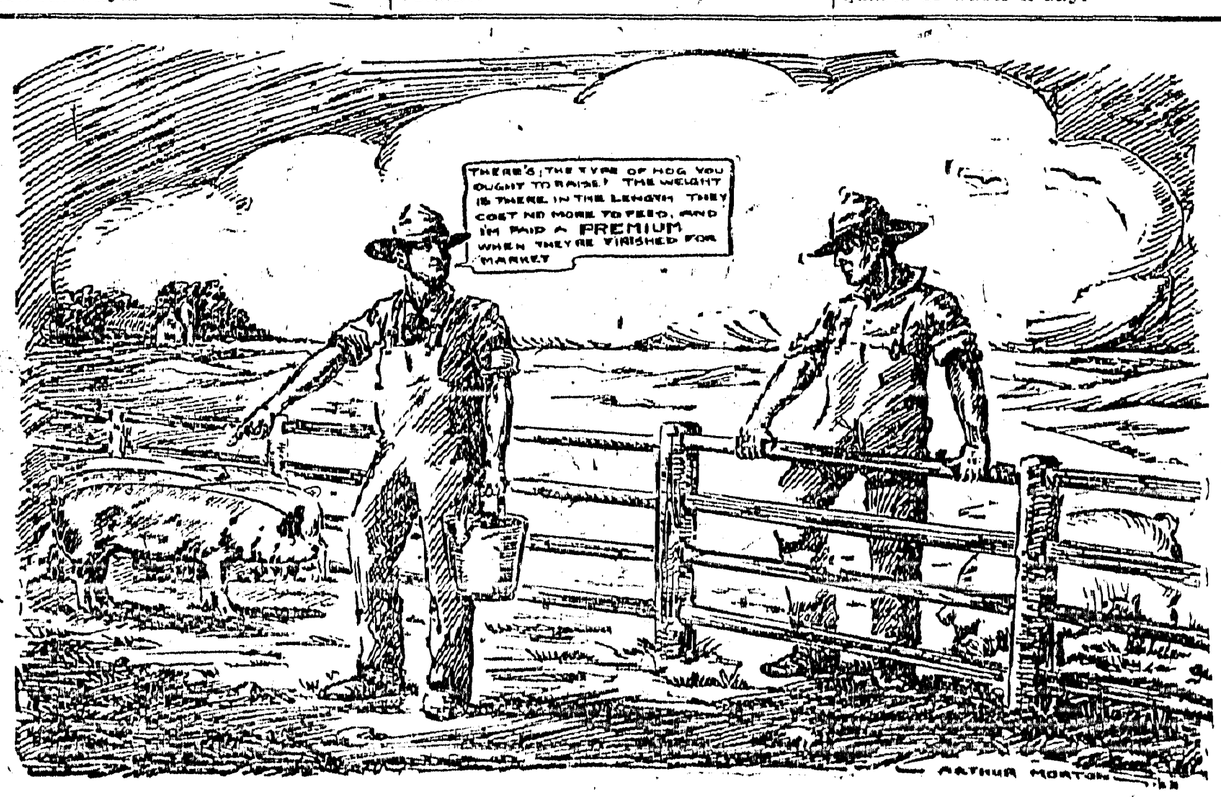
Thousands of Letters Delayed Because Of Inadequate Addresses

It takes the time of eighty experts in the Los Angeles Post Office to correct the errors and supply the deficiencies for folks who are writing letters. Thousands of letters are held up every day because of inadequate addresses. It takes a staff of many trained mind-readers to float every note to its proper destination. Some chap may send a letter to an old sweetheart in Springfield, but neglect to mention the State. As there are thirty-two Springfields on the map of our beloved country, it calls for a clever soothsayer to guess which shell the little pea is under. It pays to be thoroughly explicit in addressing mail. Don't leave it to the dream book.—Los Angeles Times.

Continue Experiments

Sir Samuel Hoare, head of the Air Ministry, told the House of Commons in London that £41,000 have been spent in the development of the helicopter invented by Louis Brennan, during the last four years, and that in view of the stage at which the experiments has arrived, it would be a pity to discontinue them.

The worst kind of shame is being ashamed of frugality or poverty.



Local and Personal

BIRTH—On September 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Benham, a son.

FOR EXCHANGE—Will trade .32 Marlin for a shotgun. Pochin, Canyon.

ONIONS—Dry and pickling, for sale, orders filled as received. Richardson, Erickson.

FOR SALE—Gentle Jersey cow and calf, fresh, $110. Apply to Mrs. O. Davidge, Wynndel.

GIRL WANTED—To help with house work, by the month or a few days each week. Mrs. F. Putnam.

John Andrew, who has been working at Blairmore and Crow line points for the past six months, is home for a visit.

Mrs. Elmer Thompson and two children of Wardner are here for the fair, guests of her mother, Mrs. Repsomer.

RUBBER STAMPS—Also supplies. New Grade stamp sets are now ready. P. R. Truscott, agent for Dickinson stamps.

Robt. Stark was a visitor at Boswell on Saturday where he made the awards of boys work at the fair in that town.

Watkins Spices

Millions of housewives have learned the high standard of quality and economy of Watkins' Spices. Imported direct from foreign lands, ground in our own mammoth spice mills under the supervision of experts and packed in air-tight metal containers, insures freshness and full staength.

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FOR SALE—$225 cash takes Lot 251, Block 10, containing about ten acres, near Creston. Apply Box 450, Medicine Hat, Alberta.

FOR SALE—John Deere "Hoosier" potato digger. What have you to trade. K. Kleist, Creston.

Miss Else Davies of Fernie is here for a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Davies.

J. Schmidt of Rossland was a Creston caller yesterday, having come down to inspect some property he has in the West Creston section.

FOR SALE—Brass bed with coil springs and Ostermoor mattress, Davenport, small oak table and Queen heater. Mrs. Harold Kemp, Erickson.

Mrs. Chester of Sarnia, Ontario, Ontario, who is en route home from a trip to California, is here for a short visit with her sisters, Mrs. Rose and Mrs. Watcher.

Manager Rodgers has two classy bills for his fair day picture shows, as will be seen by announcement elsewhere. There will be an afternoon show on Tuesday only.

Miss Frances Lyne of the B.C. University, Vancouver, is home for a ten day vacation before resuming her third-year course, which starts the latter part of the month.

Patrons of the fall fair are reminded that the Ladies' Guild of Christ Church will serve 15 cent teas in their booth on the fair grounds Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons next week.

Will all those who won cups at the 1922 fall fair kindly return the same to Secretary Mawson by Saturday evening if possible, as they are needed for display at this year's exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. Cherrington are away on a short holiday visit with old friends at Rosslrnd, Mrs. Cherrington having completed her work as judge at the Boswell and Nelson fairs on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, former residents of McLeod Avenue, who left about seven years ago to live at Claresholm, Alberta, have returned to Creston to again make their permanent home.

Dick Randall, who has been working at Coleman since closing the Auditorium barber shop some six weeks ago, got back on Monday, and has taken a position with A. E. French at the Exchange.

Caterer Norris invites all to make the bakery headquarters while at the fair. He will give his usual high class lunch room service at the store, while ice cream, candy, drinks, etc., may be had at his booth on the grounds.

Const. J. S. Clarke of Newgate, formerly at the post here, accompanied by Const. Charlton of Fernie and Const. Hamilton of Lethbridge, Alberta, were here for a few days' ducks hunting this week, returning on Wednesday.

Jimmy Lochead is a visitor at the Nelson fair this week, taking along with him two running horses which he has entered in the fair race meet and on Tuesday landed second in the half mile run and first in the three-quarter mile dash.

Manager Rodgers is putting on the usual fair night dance on Wednesday at the Grand Theatre ballroom, with the music by Mesdames Foreman and Lister, and Alex. Lidgate. The supper will be provided by Caterer Norris. Dance starts after the picture show.

Father Ehman of Kamloops is Father Bessette's successor as vicar of Holy Cross Church parish, and assisted at the services on Sunday morning. Father Bessette left for Vancouver by motor on Monday afternoon. There was a very large turnout at his final service on Sunday morning.

Wm. Ramsay of Nelson, district engineer, was here on an official visit at the end of the week, and is well pleased with the showing being made on the rock road at Alice Siding. He is expecting to have a carload of oil at Creston in a few days for use on the hard surface roads through town.

Creston Board of Trade has just been notified that a representative of the department of trade and commerce will visit Creston to select the local quota of apples for the 600 boxes that are to be B.C.'s fruit display at the British Empire Exhibition in London, England, next year for a run of six months. Ranchers who wish to have their apples included in the display will do well to notify Secretary Allan at the Imperial Bank

A council of the Native Sons of Canada will shortly be formed in Creston. It is a purely Canadian organization that has for its object the all round development of the

An Apple a Day For Lord Renfrew

Living up to its well known reputation for never missing a chance to give Valley fruit a timely boost, Creston Board of Trade publicity committee scored again in the visit of the Prince of Wales to his ranch at High River, Alberta, by arranging for regular complimentary shipments of the various Creston fruits to the ranch, the first instalment going on Wednesday in the shape of a box of extra select Gravensteins from the W. A. Murtrie ranch. All the papers in Alberta carried the following despatch on Tuesday—the Calgary Herald and Edmonton Journal giving it front-page prominence:

CRESTON, B.C., Sept. 18—Realizing that if the Prince of Wales is to fully enjoy his stay at his Alberta ranch good health is requisite, and knowing the efficacy of an apple a day keeping the doctor away, local growers through Creston Board of Trade are making frequent shipments of apples, pears, peaches, cantaloupe, and other seasonable fruits direct to the ranch at High River. Creston fruit is quite well known in the royal household as each Christmas the board sends Yuletide greetings to Buckingham Palace in the shape of a couple of boxes of Christmas apples and at the Imperial Fruit Show in London last fall, it is stated members of the royal household who visited the fair showed unusual interest in the prize winning fruit displayed by Creston growers at the big British horticultural exposition.

If any of the local growers wish to have fellowship in this effort the Review will be glad to hear from them, and arrange for the shipping of the fruit offered.

Dominion. Mr. McMillan, the well-known Great West Life Assurance Company agent, of Kamloops, is responsible for starting the good work, and the charter application shows a list of two dozen well known citizens.

Wynndel

Mrs. Hook, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Gradv, has returned to her home in Spokane.

Andy Sanvig of Portland, Ore., is a visitor here this week, with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Wigen.

The Monrad Wigen box factory resumed operations the latter part of of the week.

Gus. Benadetti had the misfortune to break the thumb of his left hand, while haying on the slough last week.

A very enjoyable time was spent Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Pitt Brooke, who was hostess at a party in honor of her brother, Edward Butterfield, and his fiancee, Miss Mary Hartnell. Dancing, games and athletic stunts were indulged in, and all had a good time.

Cecil Moore arrived here on Monday from Cranbrook, after a six weeks' stay in the hospital, and will spend a few days here before going on to his home in Nelson.

There will be Church of England service in the old schoolhouse at 11 a.m. on Sunday, with Rev. H. Varley of Creston in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield were hosts on Tuesday evening at a small fare well dance for their son, Edward, and his fiancee, Miss Mary Hartnell. The guests were all old friends of Edward's. The evening went well, and everyone seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves.

Canyon City

Otto and John Johnson and L. Moberg, who have been working at the Winlaw mill at Duck Creek the past four months, are home again, the mill being closed for the season.

McIntosh apples are beginning to the packing house. They are splendid for size but have not attained normal color as yet.

The cooler weather that set in this week has put an end to the bathing at the old Canyon bridge.

D. Fraser, who has been working at Kimberley for almost a year and a half, arrived on Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Filmer.

P. Burns, who has been on the Blair haying crew at the Reclamation farm for the past month is home again, operations being completed. About 200 tons were cut.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Waldie and family of Fernie are here at present on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wearmouth.

J. Cook is home from Yahk, where he has been for some weeks working on the erection of some new camps for Mr. Wetherhead. Mr. Cook also had ten days in Cranbrook hospital with a foot he gashed with an axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Porterfield of Spokane are Canyon visitors this week, guests of the latter's father, Eric Olson.

The school is beginning to fill up for fall term, the attendance at the first of the week being 65.

There was a special meeting of the United Farmers on Tuesday night at which roads were the feature of the discussion. Blue prints have been received of the plan of putting the school hill on a seven per cent. grade, and whichever plan suits the U.F. will most likely be adopted for the work by the engineer.

Canyon's sole industrial plant went up in smoke at an early hour Monday morning, when fire completely destroyed the sawmill and box factory of Canyon City Lumber Company, Limited throwing at least ten men out of employment. The mill was erected in 1909, and with the exception of 1914 the mill has run every winter and many other months of the year employing at least 40 men in the mill and yard alone. The company's payroll has been a big factor in developing Canyon City and its disappearance will be quite a loss to our residents, quite a few of whom found steady work and others appreciated spare-time employment.

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