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Mrs. Ash Dead After Long Illness

After a prolonged and most determined fight to win back former health death brought merciful release to Mrs. Fred W. Ash at St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook, on Tuesday evening, April 1st, following a second operation, late in January, for perforation of the bowel, from which she had suffered for the past three years; throughout it all displaying an uncomplaining cheerfulness and determination to regain her wonted health and usefulness that has never been previously witnessed according to the doctors and hospital authorities.

Deceased, who was in her forty-seventh year, was a native of Bournemouth, England, coming to Canada to join her brother, E. C. Gibbs, about twelve years ago, marrying Mr. Ash in 1916, and since then has lived on the ranch in the Alice Siding section.

The funeral took place on Friday afternoon from Christ Church, the body arriving from Cranbrook the day previous, in charge of Mr. Ash, Mr. Gibbs, and a sister, Miss Pauline Gibbs, who came out from England to be with the deceased in hospital about six weeks ago, all of whom were with Mrs. Ash when she passed away. Rev. H. Varley had charge of the service, and there was a very large turnout of friends, both at the church and cemetery, to pay their last tribute to respect, the pallbearers being C. G. Bennett, Jas. Cook, A. E. French, C. B Garland, C. F. Hayes and Major Mallandaine. The esteem in which the deceased was held was very fittingly expressed in the numerous and beautiful floral remembrances with which the coffin was strewn.

In addition to her husband and brother and sister now living in Creston Mrs. Ash leaves to mourn her passing two sisters and three brothers resident in other parts of the Empire. In her passing the husband and family lose a helpmeet and sister who personified always that which is best and highest in womanhood and in their heavy bereavement they have the very sincere sympathy of a wide circle of friends.

Those sending floral tributes were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crawford, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. Crosthwait, wreath; Christ Church Ladies' Guild, wreath; husband, wreath; brothers and sisters in Canada and abroad, wreath; Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Rodgers, wreath; Wood & Norris, spray; Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Speers, spray; Rev. H. and Mrs. Varley, spray; Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Noble, Cranbrook, spray; Mr. and Mrs. H. McLaren, spray; Mr. and Mrs. Harry White, Cranbrook, spray.

Erickson

The C.P.R. is paying special attention to track repairs in this part of the line, with an extra gang of Chinese helping out the Romano crew.

Miss Connie McCarthy is a visitor with Cranbrook friends this week, leaving on Tuesday.

Mrs. Clements was at home to quite a large party of Erickson friends on Tuesday last, the afternoon being given over to oldtime sociability, and refreshments were served.

Mrs. C. Cotterill this week completed the sale of her ten-acre ranch at the Creston boundary, the buyer being Geo. Hobden, who will get possession almost immediately as Mrs. Cotterill is moving into Creston to reside.

Church of England Sunday school is being recommenced on Sunday, April 13th, at 2 p.m., at the schoolhouse. Church service will also be held once a month commencing with the 13th also.

Mrs. M. McCarthy is just back from a few weeks' visit with friends at Bellingham, Wash.

There is quite a demand for ranches to rent in the Erickson section this year. E. N. Holmes has taken a year's lease on the former Conway ranch, whilst the Boffey brothers will have charge of Mrs. McKelvey's ranch for 1924.

Local deputy registrars of voters added a few names to the provincial list, the additions about squaring up with the names dropped, and leaving Erickson with a voting population of about 65.

Mrs. D. M. MacDonald and children of Cranbrook were visitors here a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Cartwright.

Alice Siding

Mrs. A. W. Mason of Wynndel is a visitor here this week, the guest of Mrs. J. H. Webster.

K. Kleist is reported to have taken a year's lease on Mrs. Stace Smith's ranch at the crossing, while the residence will be occupied by hard roads foreman A. E. Davies, who has already taken possession.

The only notable tree planting in this section this spring is on the J. H. Parkin ranch, where about 200 assorted fruit trees are being set out.

Hard roads foreman Davies had the scraper at work at the first of the week grading out the road from the Compton ranch to town preparatory to commencing rock road work about the end of the week.

Provincial police McLaren was here on an official visit at the end of the week making an investigation into the disappearance of a load of hay off the flats belonging to Charlie Sutcliffe.

Alice Siding has broken into the radio class J. W. Vanese having just completed the installation of a set largely of his own manufacture, and with which he gets Calgary, Vancouver and all the Pacific coast broadcasts with great clarity.

A large number of Alice Siding residents were at Creston on Friday afternoon for the funeral of Mrs. Fred W. Ash, whose death occurred at Cranbrook hospital on April 1st, and it can be very truly said that in his great bereavement Mr. Ash has the truest sympathy of all.

Albert Davies, who has been attending commercial college at Vancouver, the past four months, is home on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Davies.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor and two sons of London, England, arrived at the end of March on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. C. Hester. The ladies are sisters and, we understand, the visitors will make their home here for the present at least.

The Social Club wound up the season with a largely attended hard times dance at the Todd ranch on March 28th, at which the prizes for the "hardest" dressed couples were awarded to Gladys Stewart and Bob Marshall and Jean Marshall and Everard Constable. Due to a shortage of young people the club was not as largely attended as last season but the sessions were none the less enjoyable.

Temporarily Close Summit Creek

It will be illegal to fish in Summit Creek before July 1st this year, according to notices that were posted on the stream yesterday by W. C. Robinson of Nelson, the Dominion fishery inspector for the Kootenays. This action has been taken at the request of the Rod and Gun Club and individual sportsmen in order to give the parent Kamloops trout in that stream chance to finish spawning before the fishing season opens. A close study has been made of Summit Creek the past two years by anglers whose opinion is that to prevent stream being fished completely out the later opening date must be enforced due to the later spawning habits of the trout frequenting the stream, and this year this later season is being tried out. Anglers are also reminded that the close season on the Goat, between the Canyon and Kitchener, does not expire until April, 1925.

Mr. Robinson states that within the next three weeks about 15,000 speckled trout fry from the hatchery at Nelson will be deposited in Corn Creek, and another 25,000 fry of the same species will be placed in Meadow Creek, above Kitchener.

Wynndel

R. Berry of Robson was a weekend visitor, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hagen.

Mrs. Jessie Lewis of Creston was a visitor with Wynndel friends on Wednesday.

Mrs Joy, who has been on the sick list for the last week or two, paid a flying visit to the doctor at Cranbrook on Saturday.

Mr. Packenham is expecting his sister and family. Their goods and chattels are here, and they themselves are expected any day now.

"Mickey" Argue and friend from Creston were here on Sunday at the tennis court, and played a set or two before returning to town.

Messrs. Elias and B. Uri, who have been working at Robson for the past few months, have returned, and are getting things in shape for spring operations on the ranch.

H. Morgan of Calgary, representative of the Mutual Brokers, was amongst the business visitors at Wynndel last week.

The warm weather which set in on Sunday started a rise in Goat River and logs are now being watered between Creston and Erickson for the drive down stream to the mill at Wynndel.

Lister

Geo. Jacks is the second of the local farmers to join up with the auto owning fraternity, his purchase being a used Ford light delivery, which he got from Bert Hare at Creston last week.

Mr. Loubet, who purchased twenty acres near the twin bridges a few weeks ago, is busy with clearing operations. He has the land nearly all fenced, and has also put up a log shack for living quarters.

Alf. Evans is down from Klockmann and is busy with land clearing operations, and will set out about two acres, mostly to cherries, this spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Liddicoatt, who were here from Cranbrook last week, packed up their household effects for removal to Nakusp, where they expect to live for the present, at least.

Frank Baker is the latest Listerite to join the staff at the Continental mine, leaving for Klockmann at the end of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Head and Albert Mitchell arrived home from Klockmann early last week, and are looking after spring work on their places at present.

Mr. Twigg has completed pruning operations on the unoccupied places and despite lack of cultivation the trees are all coming along as well as could be expected. On some of the ranches that have had good attention there is every prospect of an apple crop, estimated as high as 20 boxes in some cases.

If the supply of powder lasts out W. K. Beard will this spring complete the stumping of the whole 20 acres on his place. Walter Edwards is another settler who is making headway in this direction and by the time he completes spring work will have ten acres ready for cultivation.

Dr. Henderson had a rush call to Lister on Thursday afternoon last to attend Geo. Jacks, who had the misfortune to badly sprain his wrist whilst starting up his Ford car, the engine backfiring on him. He will be unable to work for at least a month.

Canyon City

P. W. McKay continues his revival meetings at the church this week, and is attracting quite large crowds each night.

Otto Johnson and Peter Burns are busy hauling to the siding the ties of A. G. Samuelson, which were left in the woods after the snow disappeared. The tie cut was in the neighborhood of 4000.

E. Nouguier is at present at Carstairs, Alberta, where he will be remaining for some time. Some farm land he has there has come back to him and he has to look after seeding operations.

T. Hickey got home at the end of the week after about four months on the road fur buying for a Calgary firm. He will probably take on a tie or logging contract at Yahk again for the summer.

A. Wickholm is home from Yahk, and has gone to work on the log drive for J. B. Winlaw on the Goat. He is expecting to work in the sawmill at Wynndel again this year.

Mrs. and Miss Edna Hickey spent a few days with friends in Cranbrook last week.

Geo. Strong left on Tuesday for Kitchener, where he is boss carpenter on the new house his son, Bill, is erecting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Strong, who have been at Yahk for the past few months, are home again, but are expecting to spend the next few months at Kitchener.

The permanency of the Canyon residents is revealed in the fact that very few names were added to the voters list from this section at registration this month. The list as revised will show about 75 names at Canyon.

The best and biggest piece of news that has come Canyon's way this year is the week-end announcement that the post office at Canyon will be opened for business on or about May 1st. John W. Wood will keep the office in the store of Canyon Trading Company, and will also be mail carrier from Erickson. In securing the office the United Farmers have been very materially assisted by Hon. Dr. King, minister of public works at Ottawa, and member for East Kootenay.

Creston's School Report for April

DIVISION I.—W. Jones, Principal.

Perfect attendance—Edward Bush, William Bush, Charles Cotterill, Edith Couling, Lloyd Couling, Lily Lewis, Joyce Moore, Albert Sherwood, Annie Smith, Clarence Staples, Harry Webster, Mabel West, George Winch, Victor Grundy, Alex. Henderson, Marion McDonald, Willie Manael, Louise Nickel, Dorothy Ryckman, Harold Speers, Lily Wilson.

DIVISION II.—Miss Vickers, Teacher.

Highest standing, Grade VI.—Eric Martin, Lucy Kirch, Arthur Couling. Grade V.—Laura Holmes, Hirrell Miller, John Blinco.

Perfect attendance—Hophina Androwsow, John Blinco, Ena Christie, Arthur Couling, Letty Couling, Mary Goodwin, Laura Holmes, Lucy Kirch, Jessie Learmonth, Ada Lewis, Eric Martin, Charlie Moore, Jean McCreath, Randall Payne, George Phillips, Dick Randall, Alice Ryckman, Arthur Webster.

DIVISION III.—Miss Wade, Teacher.

Highest standing, Grade V.—Tom Crosthwait, Harry Miller, Konstein Wittman. Grade IV.—Billy Bayle, Thelma Hayden and Earl Christie equal, Frances Lewis.

Perfect attendance—Freddy Alderson, Billie Bayle, Earl Christie, Lyda Christie, Frank Crawford, Tom Crosthwait, Minnie Downes, Ronald Gibbs, Jean Henderson, Hazel Hopwood, Sally Johnson, Raymond Martin, Hilda Payne, Gwen Webster, Beth West, Donald Bentley.

DIVISION IV.—Miss Brett, Teacher.

Highest standing, Senior Third—Fay Pendry, Cora Biccum, Henry Kirch, Hubert West. Junior Third—Irwin Crosthwait, Rachel Couling, Margaret Blinco, Andrew Miller. Senior Second—Allan Staples, Agnes Biccum, Lucille Bloor, Jay Bliss.

Perfect attendance—Agnes Biccum, Margaret Blinco, Mabel Johnston, Henry Kirsch, Frances Lewis, Mary Malone, Faye Pendry, Hubert West, Norman Bentley, Jack Grundy, Helen Hopwood.

DIVISION V.—Miss Laxton, Teacher.

Highest standing, Senior Second—Hesper Lewis, Iris Taylor, Jack Payne. Senior First—Hubert Morrow, George Collis, Clifford York.

Perfect attendance—Douglas Alderson, Doris Bayle, George Collis, James Downes, Hesper Lewis, Bert Morrow, Norman Nickel, Arthur Nichols, Clarence Embree, Stewart Ryckman, Ines Smith, Esther Wittman, Clifford York, Meade Beazer, Harold Maclaran, Glenn Going, Gordon Finlayson, Mae West, Hughena McCreath, Dorothy Collis.

Card of Thanks

Mr. F. W. Ash, Miss and Mr. E. C. Gibbs take this opportunity to express their very deep appreciation of the sympathy and many kindnesses shown them in their recent bereavement.

GRAND THEATRE
Saturday, APRIL 12

Tom Mix
in
"Ladies to Board"

If you can imagine a rough-ridin', rip-roarin' cow puncher as the owner of an old ladies' home, you have a slight conception of how funny Tom Mix is in "Ladies to Board."

YOU'LL LAUGH UNTIL YOUR SIDES HURT!

YES or NO

Is the Fruit Industry of the Interior of British Columbia to revert back to the price-slashing consignment basis, or

Shall it through organized co operative control be put on a firm business basis that will result in the grower obtaining a fair return for his product?

Hear the 1924 marketing situation discussed by Messrs. Howe, Macken, and McNair, at a Public Meeting in

SPEERS' HALL, Creston
on
Monday, April 14
at EIGHT p.m.

Every Fruit Grower in the Valley should be present at this meeting.

"Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by."

"The Appeal of the Cross"

Good Friday
APRIL 18th
in the
Parish Hall
at EIGHT p.m.

ALL ARE CORDIALLY INVITED to be present.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

Folks who want the very best use
RED ROSE ORANGE PEKOE T-2

"Don't get tired—drink Bovril"

Mirror Of 55 B.C. Found

Relic Unearthed in England Dates From Roman Invasion

Found at Desborough, Northamptonshire, a bronze hand mirror, used probably by a Celtic woman of fashion who lived in the Midlands about the time of Caesar's invasion of Britain (55 B.C.) has been presented to the British Museum. The chasing on the back of the mirror is done by hand and bears curious similarity to eastern workmanship.

COULDN'T SLEEP HEART WAS BAD NERVES A WRECK

Mr. H. A. Reid, Upper Musquodoboit, N.S., writes:—"I am very thankful for the benefit I have received by using Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

When I came home from overseas, in 1920, my heart was very badly affected by concussion, and my nerves were a dreadful wreck. I was very short winded, and could not possibly sleep at night, in fact, I was in such a condition I felt as if I did not wish anyone to speak to me. I thought I would try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and before I had taken two boxes I could enjoy a good night's rest as well as anyone.

There are lots of returned men who are suffering the same as I did, and I feel sure if they would only try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills they will receive the same relief that I have."

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

Airplane Service to India

Great Britain may soon start an airplane service direct to India, acquiring only 100 hours for the trip from London, said Maj.-Gen. Brackner, director of civil aviation of the British air ministry, before leaving for home after a holiday in this country. Gen. Brackner expressed confidence in the success of the British project.

Girls! A Gleamy Mass Of Beautiful Hair

35-Cent "Danderine" So Improves Lifeless, Neglected Hair

An abundance of luxuriant hair full of gloss, gleams and life shortly follows a genuine toning up of neglected scalps with dependable "Danderine."

Falling hair, itching scalp and the dandruff is corrected immediately. Thin, dry, wispy or fading hair is quickly invigorated, taking on new strength, color and youthful beauty. "Danderine" is delightful on the hair; a refreshing, stimulating tonic—not sticky or greasy! Any drug store.

Only one in ten are said to know how to read a newspaper. The other nine know how to run it.

Where there's a will there's a way to make a way with a will.

A Fallen Planet?

Hill in Arizona May Have Been Caused by Gigantic Meteorite

Astronomers have long known that between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter a large number of tiny planetary bodies revolve round the sun. Some of these have a circumference of but a few miles.

In addition, there are countless billions of what might be called meteoric stone hurtling round the sun. These are constantly entering the earth's atmosphere and being burnt up by the friction much more completely than the moth that flies into the candle flame.

Has any one of the small planets ever entered our atmosphere and landed on the earth without being entirely consumed? If it ever did, it was long ages before man appeared upon the earth, for the impact of such an outsider would cause an earthquake indeed.

However, in Arizona there is a curious eminence called Coon Butte which rises about 150 ft. above the plain. At the top is a depression or crater 4,000 ft. wide and about 150 ft. deep. Scattered far and wide around this hill are fragments resembling meteoric iron which contain curiously-shaped boulders.

It is suggested that this hill was formed by the impact of a gigantic body from the outside, and mining operations are to be started with a view to discovering whether the theory has any foundation in fact.

End Stomach Misery, Gas Or Indigestion

"Pape's Diapepsin" is the quickest, surest relief for indigestion, gases, flatulence, heartburn, sourness, or stomach distress caused by acidity. A few tablets give almost immediate stomach relief. Correct your stomach and digestion now for a few cents. Druggists sell millions of packages of Pape's Diapepsin.

Will Lend Assistance

Canadian Navy and Air Force Will Aid British Air Racers

Canada will be host to the British airmen who will attempt a round-the-world flight this year, for nearly half their journey.

The Royal Canadian navy and the Canadian air force will second the efforts of the British airmen to circumnavigate the world by air. Between them they will lend a hand from St. John's, Newfoundland, to Yokohama, a distance of 170 degrees longitude, or nearly half-way around the world. The navy will send a boat from Northern British Columbia to assist in the laying of "dumps" along the Aleutians down the Siberian coast to Japan. The air force, through its various branches, will give every sort of assistance throughout the land flight in Canada. Incidentally, this will be the first time that Canada has been crossed by air at one continuous flight.

Will Carry Parachutes

Aeroplanes Conveying Passengers In France Must Afford This Protection

Since January the first all-French aeroplanes carrying passengers have been obliged to carry parachutes. This fact was made public at a conference of members of the French aerial syndicate.

Regarding the value of the parachute, a conclusive experiment was recently carried out by a French woman, Mlle. Collin. Last month, while travelling in an aeroplane at 90 miles an hour, she dropped off the aeroplane with a parachute, which unfolded itself in a normal manner.

Scientists had stated that such a feat was impossible. Mlle. Collin's exploit has fully proved the utility of parachutes in aeroplane flights, particularly when planes are in danger of crashing down with their passengers.

ST. VITUS DANCE

Shows Through a Twitchinig of the Muscles of Face and Limbs

Chorea, or as it is more generally known, St. Vitus dance, is a trouble that usually attacks young children, though older people may be afflicted with it. Its most common symptoms are a twitching of the muscles of the face and limbs. As the disease progresses the twitching takes the form of spasms in which the jerking motion may be confined to the head, or all the limbs may be affected. Frequently the patent is unable to hold anything in the hands or to walk steadily. In severe cases the speech is often affected. The disease is due to debility of the nerves and relief comes through an enriched blood supply, which feeds and strengthens the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been most successful in reaching this trouble through their specific action on the blood, which it enriches and purifies. The following instance will show what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can do in this trouble. Mrs. S. E. Makins, Parry Harbor, Ont., says:—"As a young girl I was badly stricken with St. Vitus dance. My parents trie dseveral medicine but without avail. I was steadily growing worse and could scarcely walk without falling. I had to quit school and had no control of my nerves or actions. Finally a neighbor advised the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and the use of these for a couple of months restored me, and I have had no attack of the trouble since. I have, however, taken the pills at different times since, when I felt out of sorts, and find them all you claim for them if given a fair trial."

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ontario.

686 Put to Death

Death sentences carried out in Russia in 1923 numbered 686 as compared with 313 in the previous year, according to the annual report of the supreme court. Forty-three per cent. of the death sentences imposed were commuted to imprisonment, as compared with 31 per cent. in 1922.

Mother! Give Sick Child "California Fig Syrup"

Harmless Laxative for a Bilious, Constipated Baby or Child

Constipated, bilious, feverish, or sick, colic Babies and Children love to take genuine "California Fig Syrup." No other laxative regulates it sweetens the bowels so nicely. the tender little stomach and starts the liver and bowels acting without griping. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Say "California" to your druggist and avoid counterfeits! Insist upon genuine "California Fig Syrup" which contains directions.

It's painful to see a woman laugh when she doesn't want to but thinks she ought to.

There may be other corn removers, but you will not be completely satisfied until you have used Holloway's Corn Remover.

Influence of Tobacco

Every woman desiring a happy married life has realized that tobacco is a helpful influence in the home. Smoking is a very soothing occupation for a man—makes the home a sweet home and prevents family jars.

When a girl says she is never going to get married she means it about as much as the man who says he has more money than he knows what to do with.

Ask for Minard's and take no other

Lower Taxation Campaign Progressing

Public Opinion Is Rallying to the Dominion-Wide Demand For Curtailment of Government Expenditure

The movement for lower taxation which originated at Regina early in February has already reached Dominion-wide proportions. As a result of the success which was achieved at Regina, Vancouver has started a similar campaign in British Columbia. Toronto is doing likewise in Ontario, and Montreal is following suit in Quebec. Newspapers have supported the idea all over Canada, public speakers have seized upon it as one of the necessities of the day, and even Ottawa has been wakened up.

Despatches are leaving the capital daily which show that the Dominion Government is beginning to take note of public opinion and promises are being made that expenditures are being reduced and unnecessary or overmanned departments cut down. But promises will not satisfy public opinion and the "Lower Taxation Campaign" will continue to gather strength until all governments live up to their promises and show conclusively that government costs have been cut to the bone.

There is an impression aboard that the National Economy Campaign will adversely effect retail business. Such an impression is incorrect and must be based on inaccurate knowledge. The controlling thought behind the movement to secure a prompt and decisive reduction in government expenditure is summed up in the expression "Lower Taxation means Better Business." Before we can get lower taxation we must convince our governments that public opinion is overwhelmingly opposed to the tremendous increase in the ordinary costs of government which has been going on for the past five years.

How can we secure relief? By making it plain to members of parliament and legislatures and municipal councils that we will back them to the limit in any effort they make to reduce government expenditures. The average man in public life is a shrewd person. He knows that if we want reduced taxation and he does not try to get it for us, that at the next election he will be an "also ran."

Every taxpayer owes it to himself to drive this Lower Taxation Campaign to a successful finish. He can help to do this if he will just sit down and write a short personal letter to every public man serving his district, whether he be a member of parliament, a member of the legislature, or a member of the municipal council. Don't leave it to George—do it yourself.

A Remedy for Earache.—To have the earache is to endure torture. The ear is a delicate organ and few care to deal with it, considering it work for a doctor. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil offers a simple remedy. A few drops upon a piece of lint or medicated cotton and placed in the ear will do much in relieving pain.

Bring East and West Closer Together

Sir Charles Fitzpatrick Stresses Need Of Cementing Canadian Interests

Addressing the Rotary Club at Montreal, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, former chief justice of Canada, and former lieutenant-governor of Quebec, laid stress on the need for improving facilities for the conversion into wealth of the vast products of the prairie provinces and of doing all that was possible to bring Eastern and Western Canada closer together.

He recommended, as policies to this end, the preservation of the St. Lawrence waterways as Canadian; encouragement of the efforts of British Columbia in developing the port of Vancouver as a grain exporting harbor; and the elimination of views in the west of Canada that looked north and south, rather than east and west.

Freedom from Asthma. Asthma is one of the most distressing troubles, sudden in its attacks and prolonged in its agonies. Frequently many things are tried, but nothing seems to give hope of relief. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is the one help which can be depended upon. If you have tried other remedies without success, do not fail to get at once a package of this uniformly successful preparation.

An ordinary brick will absorb 16 ounces of water.

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It may be only a slight cold now—just a tickling in the throat.

But little colds soon grow large and dangerous. Often they become chronic, develop catarrh and end in consumption.

Catarrhozone is the remedy. It draws inflammation and soreness out of the throat. Relieves the cough, cuts out the phlegm, makes breathing easy, kills any germs lodged in the mucous lining of the throat or lungs.

By using CATARRHOZONE INHALER now and again you keep the passages free from germs, and thereby prevent coughs and colds. Get the Dollar outfit, it lasts two months; small size, 50c; sold by druggists. Refuse a substitute for Catarrhozone. By mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Mighty Wireless Masts

Wireless Station in Bavaria Makes Use of Mountain Peaks

In Upper Bavaria a wireless station is using mountain peaks for masts. The wires are supported by a strong cable and extend from one peak 5,100 feet high, a distance of about a mile and a half across country to the top of a smaller hill of some 2,820 feet elevation. The station is designed to communicate directly with the Far East. Special arrangements were necessary for the fixing of the cable ends and to allow for its stretching. The end of the cable is fastened to a small carriage weighted with stones and running on rails. When the cable is bent by snow or wind the carriage is pulled forward. When the stress ceases it rolls backward on its sloping railroad.

Thick Lustrous Hair Kept So By Cuticura

At night touch spots of dandruff and itching with Cuticura Ointment. Next morning shampoo with a suds of Cuticura Soap and hot water. Rinse with tepid water. Keep your scalp clean and healthy and your hair will be luxuriant.

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

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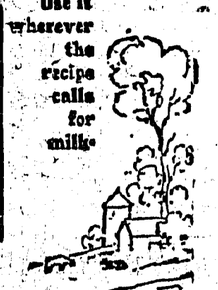

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CHILDREN CRY FOR "CASTORIA"

A Harmless Substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups — No Narcotics!

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years to relieve babies and children of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and, by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving natural sleep without opiates. The genuine bears signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher.

Hope Of Western Farmer Is In Diversified Farming And Employment The Year Round

Professor A. Leitch, of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, spoke on "Some Phases of the Economics of Milk Production" at the sessions of dairymen's associations held in Moose Jaw.

The only real progress made in agriculture is made by the individual, Professor Leitch declared and could be accomplished without the aid of legislators. It was difficult to ascertain the average cost of production for he had never found the producing costs of any two farmers to be alike. Attempts to secure the cost of producing milk were made in one of the best dairy districts in Ontario. The lowest was $1.38, the highest $4.06 per hundred pounds. Conditions were exactly the same, but after four consecutive years the following were the figures, the average being $2.70, the exact price received.

The cost of producing oats on the same farms varied from 29 cents per bushel to 76 cents per bushel.

Apparently all these men were doing well although there was such a wide variance in the cost. It might be argued that these men did not make any money, but the fact of the added income from their own cows made all the difference in the world to the farmers. "A farm," said Mr. Leitch, "is something like a railroad, a large portion of the cost goes on whether the railroad has any business or not."

"In Saskatchewan a man can hardly find occupation for himself for a thousand hours a year growing wheat," stated Mr. Leitch. "If he adds to the farm something that will enable him to work 3,000 hours a year, it lowers his overhead and gives him a chance to sell something produced on what would otherwise be idle time. Dairying enables a man to lower the cost of everything he grows on the farm.

Professor Leitch explained in detail the decrease in the cost of producing all the grain and forage crops on the farm by dividing the load with the dairy cow. Farmers growing only wheat can estimate the cost of the crop per bushel, but in diversified farming it is absolutely impossible to determine the cost of any one product as it is a joint cost.

They Like Western Coal

Says Alberta Coal Gaining Ground in Eastern Market

Confidence in Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, to "do the fair thing by the west" was expressed by A. N. Walker, of the Alberta Distributers, Ltd., who passed through Winnipeg on his way back to Drumheller. He believed that freight rates would be brought down as soon as possible. That dealers in Middle and Northern Ontario were buying Alberta bituminous coal in preference to Pennsylvania hard at the same price, was Mr. Walker's statement.

"We are selling Drumheller coal at $18.75 in Sudbury and other nearby points and it is being bought in preference to the American coal at the same price," Mr. Walker reported. "Sixty per cent. of the consumption of Sudbury is western, and this percentage is increasing all the time."—Free Press.

Why Poultry Pays

Big Increase in Dressed Fowl Shipments From Manitoba Town

That Manitoba farmers are getting away from disastrous wheat mining and settling down to farming is again indicated by the fact that a co-operative organization, formed in 1922, with Hartney as headquarters, shipped out five cars of dressed poultry from nine shipping points in 1922, and 30 cars from 25 shipping points in 1923. The birds were packed in parchment-lined boxes, under the supervision of experts employed by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The cost of handling was one and a half cents per pound in 1922, and was somewhat less last season. The prices received f.o.b. last season were 20 cents for No. 1 turkeys, 18 cents for No. 2 and 14 cents for No. 3. Chickens realized 19 cents for No. 1 and 15 cents for No. 2, while geese fetched 14 cents.

New Building Material

Waste Paper Used In Building Homes In Sweden

A new building material made from waste paper and designed for ceilings and wall linings has been perfected by a Swedish engineer, and production on a large scale soon will be undertaken.

The raw materials are ordinary waste paper such as accumulates in cities, clay and sulphate lye, the cheapness of which warrants an inexpensive finished product. The covering is said to be fireproof and durable; can be applied by unskilled labor, will take paper, paint or stain, and can even be polished. It is a good non-conductor, and does not respond to changes in temperature.

Skin Disease In Livestock

Farmer, Middlesex Co.—Ques.—One of my animals seems to have some kind of skin disease. What had I better do?

Ans.—Report at once to the nearest veterinary inspector. You might also write to the Veterinary Inspector-General, Ottawa, for a list of disinfectants, with which is given full instructions as to preparation and use. A recently issued bulletin by Dr. George Hilton, Chief Veterinary Inspector, which can be had free from the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, will also furnish you with necessary information.

Imports and Exports of Settlers Effects

Settlers' effects, valued at $6,001,107, were brought into Canada last year, a decrease of two millions from 1921 and about tthe same as 1922. Exports of settlers' effects last year is valued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at $10,503,167, marking a steady increase for the last four years.

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WESTERN EDITORS

Stewart Fullerton, Editor and Publisher of The Times, Big Valley, Alta.

Seed Growing In British Columbia

Industry Has Shown Development In Past Few Years

The seed growing industry of British Columbia has developed considerably in the past few years. The most of this seed is grown in the interior part of the province and with the climatic conditions such as they have there is little reason why a greater quantity should not be grown. A. McMeans, seed production specialist, Vancouver, B.C., has divided the province into the following four districts, with suitable crops for each:

District No. 1.—Lower Fraser and lower half of Vancouver Island: Pole and broad beans, beet, cabbage, celery, kale, parsley, peas, spinach, mangel and swede.

District No. 2.—Lower interior, embracing the dry belt east of the Cascade Mountains to and including the Okanagan: Dwarf beans, beet, carrot, lettuce, vine-seeds, onion, parsnips, radish, sweet corn, tomato and mangel.

District No. 3.—Central interior of British Columbia: Rutabaga or swede turnip, parsnip and peas.

District No. 4.—Kootenay, embracing that district east of the Okanagan and sout hof the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway: Dwarf beans, beet, carrot, onion, parsnip and mangel.

Women's Ailments Caused by Neglect

Proper Treatment Will Quickly Bring Back Robust Health and Good Spirits

Women are on the whole more sickly than men. One reason is that their system is more complicated; another and more important reason is, they put off measures of relief too long. At the beginning, constipation is the cause of nine-tenths of women's ailments. The blood becomes weakened and polluted—the nerves suffer, and a run-down condition takes root.

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Tell a girl she is an angel, and the chances are she will want you to fly with her.

Land Colonization Is Most Important Business Canada Has In Hand At Present Time

"Land colonization is the big business of Canada," declared C. A. Magrath, chairman of the International Waterways Commission, at the annual meeting of the Association of Dominion Land Surveyors held at Ottawa, when he was asked to participate in the discussion on the report of the land settlement committee of the association. He said he had reached a point where he was critical of Canada's colonization problems.

"I do not believe we are taking hold and nailing people down to the land," said Mr. Magrath, "with that courage we would apply to big business, and I regard colonization as the biggest business of this country." He was not prepared to criticize governments, but he thought there were too many street corner critics instead of the big men of the country taking hold of the problem.

"When it comes to national problems I see very little evidence of team play from leading men in this country," said Mr. Magrath. He heard lots of talk about colonization but frankly, much of it was not worth listening to.

"We all seem so busy that we don't seem to get down to shirt sleeve policy of colonization for this country."

Privately-owned unoccupied lands near the railways constituted one of the problems of land settlement, remarked Col. J. S. Dennis of the Canadian Pacific Railway. There were 63,000,000 acres of privately-owned unoccupied lands within 15 miles of railways in the west, and of these 25,000,000 acres were suitable for immediate settlement. He urged more co-operation between the surveyors and the railway companies' land settlement activities, and expressed surprise at the extent of land classification which had been done as revealed in the report of the committee.

Price Green, of the Canadian National Railways, joined with Col. Dennis in regretting that more use was not made of information of the government departments.

In his presidential address Major H. Douglas Nelles remarked that probably the general public was unaware that Canadian surveyors have mapped out between 40,000 and 50,000 square miles of Canadian territory. He claimed that in this respect Canada had surveyed more territory and developed the method to a higher state of perfection than any other country in the world. In the actual work of land sub-division Canada had been able to keep up with the settlements as required.

Though the conditions of agriculture are not everything that might be desired, there is reasonable prospect of a revival in the near future that should reflect upon the entire commerce of this country and work to the benefit, indirectly, of the business and professional men.

This was the message of Hon. Charles Stewart, minister of the interior. Mr. Stewart spoke of the tendency on the part of many people to leave it to the government and leaders of the country to solve the problems, adding that some of the most valuable suggestions came to the government from unexpected quarters. He urged that technically trained men should offer suggestions when possible to the government in matters of technical research in this country.

The brass drum covers a multitude of mistakes made by the rest of the band.

In news of weddings papers describe everything the bride wears but the look of triumph.—Urich Herald.

Wheat Rust

Magnitude of the Task Confronting the Agriculturist

There should be considerable public interest in the efforts being made to control the wheat rust pest. A series of conferences between officials of the federal department of agriculture at Ottawa is being held on this subject, with a view to deciding the policy which will be followed this year to combat rust, and announcement of their plans may be made soon.

Rust in wheat is one of the big problems of Western Canada. It is a blight which attacks the growing grain and destroys it. A farmer may see his wheat fields ripening in good shape towards a large harvest, and suddenly, owing to weather conditions, rust will appear on the standing crop and the fields become mere fields of headless straw. The losses to Manitoba alone last year from wheat rust were enormous, the entire crop in some sections of the province having been very badly hit by this blight.

The problem seems to be to get a rust-resisting type of a high quality wheat. And the complication comes in from the fact that there are some thirty-odd varieties of rust, and what is wanted is a good milling, early maturing wheat that is resistant to them all. This gives some idea of the magnitude of the task confronting our agricultural scientists and also the amount of encouragement they are entitled to expect in pursuit of a task so closely related to the prosperity of the wheat growing industry. At the present time the rust pest is costing the people of this country millions of dollars every year.—Free Press.

Still Doing Great Work For Women

What Mrs. Vaillancourt Says of Dodd's Kidney Pills

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Dill Siding, Ont.—(Special).—One more tribute to the great work Dodd's Kidney Pills are doing for the women of Canada comes from Mrs. Frank Vaillancourt, well known and highly respected here.

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Newspaper Casualties

By way of convincing readers that the fruit grower is not the only one who had his troubles keeping out of the sheriff's hands last year, we would point out that according to McKim's 1924 directory no less than 47 weekly, four semi-weekly and seven daily newspapers were forced out of business during 1923.

And to show that either B.C. was the more prosperous, or the editors in this province have greater staying powers or resourcefulness, it must be mentioned that but two of the now-defunct weeklies were published in British Columbia.

In this connection, too, it may be said that some credit is due Creston, or the Review—or both—that this paper has not figured in the casualties, because a very careful perusal of the directory shows that Creston is the smallest (as to population) centre in all the province claiming a regulation home-printed weekly.

It is well that all our subscribers should read, mark, learn and inwardly digest this latter statement—more especially those who are under the impression that it is about time the old $2 subscription rate was restored.

If a newspaper is of any assistance in the development of a community the same incident should forcibly impress on the business men of the town, and others, that in order to make it stick the local paper needs all the business that originates in the village and surrounding country.

We emphasize this in connection with commercial printing in the which some of the merchants are showing a tendency to send their money out of town for printing that can be had in Creston of as good quality and just as attractive prices.

The Review plant is fully equipped to take care of all the local needs in the printing line in almost every detail, and just out of courtesy should have, at least, opportunity to quote prices.

This is all that is asked. We don't even plead "patronize home industry." Any time we haven't the mechanical ability, equipment and stock to compete with the outsider on 95 per cent. of the printing required in this community we will surrender all claim on the trade, but we do protest against being passed up on the unconfirmed say-so of order-takers who glibly assure that the local office can't do the work, or some other equally flimsy misrepresentation.

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CHAS. MURRELL

Sirdar

George Cam has gone to Detroit, Mich., where he is undergoing specialist treatment in that city.

Supt. Flett and B & B Master Robertson, with an auxiliary crew were called here on Sunday morning to straighten out an accident here. After a few hours they returned to Cranbrook.

With the freight traffic, three work trains and extra gang outfits Sirdar is a very busy burg these days, but now the coal miners strike is on things will lighten up a little.

Mrs. Touhey, who has been a hospital patient at Cranbrook for almost two months, returned home on Monday much improved in health.

Mrs. Morrow, wife of extra gang foreman, John Morrow, was here from Cranbrook for a few days' visit last week.

Miss Knott was at her home at Canyon for the weekend, returning on Sunday.

Gus Omen, who has been awarded the contract of handling the slip at Kootenay Landing, has quit the McCabe bridge crew to assume his new job.

The three work trains, two pulling in and the other unloading, are doing big business this month, unloading as high as 100 cars per day at the Landing trestle.

Conductor Jack Ingham, who has charge of one of the work trains between Canyon and here, had his wife and family here from Cranbrook for a visit this week.

B. J. Whiteside is back at Sirdar for a few weeks stay. He is on the engine of the unloading work train at the Landing, which is in charge of Conductor G. S. Moore.

Santo Pascuzzo was forced to go to Cranbrook on Sunday for medical treatment, having taken a very bad cold, the after effects of fighting his greenhouse fire the Friday night previous.

Dr. Henderson of Creston made several professional visits here last week, severe colds being somewhat prevalent. The four-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown, who had pneumonia, is doing nicely now and considered out of danger.

Mrs. Jones of Kuskanook was here for Church service on Sunday morning and reports gardening well advanced at that point. She is erecting a suitable building on the townsite there and will cater to the tourist travel as well as joy riders, serving ice cream, light lunches, etc. This will be a great boon to Crestonites spending the week-end and holidays at that point.

S. Pascuzzo suffered a very heavy loss by fire on Friday morning last when his greenhouse went up in smoke. The fire was noticed by the yard crew returning from work at the Landing about 3 a.m., who immediately gave the alarm, but as the flames had gained such headway very little effective fire fighting could be done. Indirectly the loss is quite severe as the hothouse was full to capacity with all kinds of early vegetable plants that were about ready for setting out in the Pascuzzo garden.

Mr. Ceretti, the well known C.P.R. diver, in charge of this work for all lines west of Fort William, Ont., with a crew of ten under water men, were at Kootenay Landing for five days last week examining and renewing the tracks under water at the slip, finding everything in good shape. Mr. Ceretti has been at this work for the company for the past twenty years, and has spent the past few months at points west of Winnipeg examining all under water basements. From here he went to Nelson and Bonnington Falls for inspection visits, and left for home on April 3rd.

The fall fair at Invermere, amongst other unpaid accounts, owes secretary B. G. Hamilton, $66.

Now that the skating season is over the Greenwood lovers of sport are already enjoying tennis.

According to the Gazette radio outfits are almost as numerous as gramaphones at Grand Forks.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

At Penticton an effort is being made to form a 2000 insurance club.

The Kaslo Kootenaian says Frank Chandler had a cherry tree in bloom on March 26th.

Now it is taffy pulls that are being resorted to entertain the Presbyterian young people at Kaslo.

A central Farmers' Institute for East Kootenay is suggested, with Cranbrook as "central."

Jack Roberts of Cranbrook states that he is already using spinach and lettuce of 1924 planting.

Shareholders in the curling rink at Fernie were paid an 8 per cent. dividend on 1923 operations.

Visitors to Kaslo will be permitted to play golf on the course in that town at a charge of $1 per day.

Invermere fall fair paid $670 in cash prizes at the 1923 exhibition. In 1922 the prize money was $456.

Of the 1924 tax levy of 35 mills at Grand Forks, 13 mills is required to finance the town's schools.

The C.P.R. sawmill at Yahk commenced the season's cut last week, and expects to run all summer.

As finally revised the tax rate at Cranbrook this year will be 47 mills. In 1923 the rate was 51 mills.

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Rod and gun clubs in the Okanagan are organizing crow killing days.

At Grand Forks the manager of the co operative fruit selling house will draw $150 a month this year.

Dr. Garner, who has been practising at Fernie for the last eight years, is moving to Lake Cowichan.

Already this year bounty has been paid on twenty cougar brought in to the provincial police at Fernie.

FOR SALE—Fresh milch cows. Fred Smith, Creston.

Bulk seeds at catalogue prices. Mawson Brothers.

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HORSES—Have some good French horses which I will trade for milch cows. Chas. O. Rodgers, Creston.

FOR SALE—Jersey-Ayrshire cow, 4 years old, will freshen end of March, $65. A. L. Barnhardt, Glenlily, B.C.

Putting our Business on Cash System!

Will all those to whom I owe money kindly present their accounts to me on or before Tuesday, April 15th.

And will those who owe me kindly make payment of their accounts on or before Tuesday, April 15th.

Commencing April 15th all my business will be conducted on a Cash basis, or with those who prefer it I will accept Butter, Eggs, Fruit, Beef and Pork same as cash.

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SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

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

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

Local and Personal

Wm. Morrow, who has been working at Kellogg, Idaho, for the past three months, is home for a visit with the family here.

Mrs. Davis and family, who have spent the winter with friends in Georgia, and other southern points, returned to Creston on Wednesday

FOR SALE—Garage, 10 x 14 feet; tent, 12 x 16 feet, with floor and 2-foot wall; gasoline lighting system with two 300 c.p. lamps; riding saddle, step ladder, and other articles. Wm. Morrow, Creston.

W. J. E. Biker, water rights engineer, Nelson, was here on an official visit at the end of the week. He states that never since the records have been kept has the water in Goat River been so low as it was at the end of March.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church announce their Easter bazaar for Saturday afternoon, April 19th, in the Parish Hall. There will be a sale of sewing, cooking, candy, and cafeteria tea, and the hours are 2.30 to 5.30 o'clock.

W. E. Robinson of Nelson, the Dominion fishery inspector for Kootenay-Boundary, is here on an official visit this week, posting a new lot of notices re the closing of Goat River above the canyon, which is effective for another year.

The Girls Guild of Christ Church will entertain the members and adherents of Christ Church at a congregational social evening in the Parish Hall on Wednesday, April 23rd, commencing at 8.30, and to which all Anglicans are invited.

Dates for Creston's six-day Chautauqua have been definitely fixed for the week commencing Monday, June 2nd. This year's big week of entertainment will be better than ever, the programme showing more music and lighter features than in the past.

The spring touch to weather at the first of the week has started gardening operations and if all the seeds that are going in materialize up to the standard indicated by the pictures on the seed packets there should be a wonderful show of vegetables at this year's fall fair.

Secretary Capt. Crompton of the Rod and Gun Club has just been advised that the fishery department has arranged for the stocking of Meadow and Arrow Creeks with eastern brook trout fry. A supply of about 40,000 of these will be placed in these streams about the end of the month.

To help defray an overdue interest payment on the fall fair grounds the directors are putting on a raffle of a couple of spring pigs, at 50 cents a ticket, with the drawing to take place on Saturday night, April 19th. There is two chances on each ticket, with the high number taking first choice of the porkers.

The Rod and Gun Club liberated a flock of fifteen Mongolian pheasants in the neighborhood of Major Mallandaine's barn on Thursday last. The birds were presented the club by the Provincial Game Conservation Board. About twelve years ago a similar sized flock was turned loose but the severe winter of 1915-16 thinned them out very severely.

John Cartmel of Nelson, registrar of voters for the Creston riding, was here between trains on Wednesday holding an official court of revision of the voters list. During his stay he added about a dozen names. For the list which closed on Monday there will be a final revision some time about the middle of May but it is not certain that there will be a sitting of the court here.

F. W. Phillips, who has been in charge of repair work on the Dominion government telephone line between Proctor and Yahk for the past two years, with headquarters at Creston, left at the end of the week for Merritt, to which point he has been transferred. He is succeeded temporarily by Fred Hale. Mrs. Phillips and children will be leaving about the first of May.

Each grower in Creston Valley should be out on Monday night for the meeting in Speers' Hall at 8 o'clock, and which will be addressed by Messrs. Howe, Macken and McNair of the Associated Growers. The meeting is most important as it is expected that a definite announcement as to the Associated's policy for 1924 both in B.C., as well as at Creston, will be very definitely made.

Fred Lewis, who is now owner of the former Morgan ranch on the Goat River bottom, lost his barn, team of horses, democrat and most all his farm equipment in a fire which destroyed the barn on Thursday night last. The fire had gained such headway before being noticed that even the wagon and sleighs that were about all that was saved, were partly burned. The loss will be in the neighborhood of $700, with no insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McCreath porved themselves a capital entertainers on Friday night when they were at home to five tables of whist players with the high score honors going to Mrs. C. H. Hare and Dr. Henderson, while the low score trophies were taken home by Mrs. Bundy and W. K. Brown. Equally as enjoyable as the cards were the lunch and the hour of informal hospitality following supper, it being considerably after midnight before the gathering broke up.

The shelves of Creston public library have been replenished lately by generous donations of books by Mrs. Garland, Mrs. Lyne and Mrs. Bennett, which have been very much appreciated. The library will always be grateful for any gifts of books by anyone who has books on their shelves which they have read and do not wish to keep. The proceeds of the tea recently given by Mrs. Bennett, together with some funds available from the library, will purchase a few new books.

J. W. Hamilton, who has been in charge of the Creston sub-central of the Associated Growers of B.C. since December closed up shop at the end of March. Final payments to the Kootenay growers will be made from Vernon, and should be sent out not later than the middle of the month. The crop handled by the Associated in the whole Kootenay country was less than 100 cars of apples, Harrop and Willow Point being the two outstanding shipping points, with about fifteen cars each.

The final of the united services for women in the Parish Hall was on Wednesday afternoon, attracting the largest turnout of the series of half a dozen meetings. Rev. J. A. James delivered a timely address on the "Duty and Ideal of Prayer," with Rev. G. Knox presiding, and Mrs. Garland officiating at the piano. The next united worship will be on Good Friday night, April 18th, at 8 o'clock, which is designated as "The Appeal of the Cross," and to which both the men and ladies are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gibbs have as their guest the former's sister, Miss Pauline Gibbs, who reached Cranbrook about two months ago direct from England, expecting to nurse her sister, the late Mrs. Fred Ash back to health, and then come on to Creston with her for an extended holiday. Miss Gibbs formerly belonged to the W.R.A.C. of England, the women's auxiliary to the nava. forces of the Empire, an organization that rendered splendid service throughout the late war.

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CHAPTER TWENTY-THREE

Murray insisted that I should not recall my promise to visit Maudie for Thanksgiving.

"It will cost very little," he said, "and you have not had a day off since I came home—it will do you a world of good.

"Neither have you had a holiday," I pointed out.

Whereupon Murray declared that every day was a holiday to him and that he could not go to Winnipeg, if he were provided with a private car for the journey and a suite at the Fort Garry, I hope he may be forgiven!

It ended, as it usually does, in Murray having his own way, but I stipulated that in return he should accept Jack Mowbray's invitation to go moose hunting with him when the season opened.

I would not admit it, but I agreed with Murray that the change would do me good—and perhaps make me a better companion for the long winter that I had come to dread. I hate to confess it, even now when it is a thing of the past, but through the lovely fall days I carried a heavy heart. I suppose I was, in army parlance, fed up. My old homesickness had returned and between it and the way in which my conscience kept pointing out to me that I was a failure as a wife I was wretched indeed—underneath, that is. I flatter myself that the surface was fairly serene.

Nothing hurt so much as the knowledge that I was not fully in accord with Murray. I did like Herrington's Hope, and so long as I could look forward to something different I really enjoyed our daily life. But, to make a clean breast of it, I did not feel that I wanted to stay there all my life, especially if crop failures were to be common. Murray, on the other hand, had quite obviously found his vocation, a vocation that he would have given up without complaint at my request, but how could I ask him to go back to the city when he was so well and so much his old self that our bad luck had after the first shock stimulated father than depressed him? Always at the bottom of my heart, side by side with the faint but insistent longing for my old environment, lay the memory of those terrible months when I did not know whether Murray would ever be well again. And though he is so strong now I do not think I shall ever lose the scars left by the old fear.

All this is very mixed and inconsistent, I know. It does not seem reasonable that I should have known definitely that I would never ask Murray to leave the farm, that I should have liked the life there, have grown so fond of our neighbors, and still have known the cravings for the city, but such was the case. I scolded myself for a whole week before I went to Maudie's. "If you had to make a decision, Margaret Anne, you know what you would do. Then why make such a fuss?" I would say to myself. But self-administered scoldings are not nearly so effective, I have learned, as treatment by someone else, and I can see now that Murray's prescription was what saved me—saved not my life but that far more valuable thing, my self-respect.

The children were greatly excited by the prospect of my absence, and my heart almost failed me at the thought of leaving them. I had never been away from them in their lives except when I was with Mrs. Fenwick, and then I saw them often. A week seemed, in prospect, an eternity.

My preparations were soon made, and more than once I felt thankful that I had always been the tailor-made sort of person, my simple and conservatively-cut clothes did not show their age and I had no fear that Maudie would need to feel apologetic on my account. Murray, man-like, felt badly that I could not have a complete new outfit, but when he saw the transformation Gwen had worked on my old black lace dress he said so many nice things that I almost wrote to Maudie that I could not come—my improvement dated from that moment, I think!

As our train pulled into the Union Station the morning of my arrival in Winnipeg it seemed to me that only half of me answered Maudie's affectionate greeting. The other half was at home with Murray and the twins. To one half the sights and sounds of the city were as familiar as if I had missed them but a day instead of more than a year, to the other all was confusion. I was really ashamed of myself, here I was where I had wished to be, and now I was wishing to be somewhere else.

"You are as unreasonable as Gwen," I told myself severely. "I give you just one week to pull yourself together."

"Glad to be back?" asked Maudie as we turned down Broadway.

"Rather!" I replied valiantly.

"If only Murray and the children were here too," Maudie teased and my spirits rose unaccountably. Perhaps I wasn't a case for the Psychopathic Ward after all, I thought.

"My feelings are rather mixed," I admitted, just a little sorry to see that Maudie was able to understand me, for it showed how far she had come from the carefree girl I used to know.

"Don't worry about that," was the comforting reply. "You have carried a heavy load for the last few years, Margaret Anne, and it is no wonder that you are a bit unstrung. We are going to have one thoroughly giddy week and you'll go back to Murray completely renovated, just see if you don't. And now how are the kiddies, my best-beloved Nicolas in particular? I do wish you could have brought them with you."

"I am not going to the office except in the mornings while you are here," continued Maudie after I had delivered all sorts of messages from the children and told of their latest escapades and cleverenesses. "Every afternoon we are going somewhere or having company, and every evening too. You'll never get to bed early, so you must not think of getting up in the morning before ten o'clock—oh, don't look so scandalized, Mother and I have it all planned. This is a holiday, Mrs. Aylwin, don't forget that."

It was a holiday, there was no doubt about that. Mr. and Mrs. Jones welcomed me as if I had been a long-lost daughter and presented me, figuratively speaking, with the house and all it contained. The first night B.F. came over for dinner and I was so glad to see the old dear that I almost wept over him. He was a trifle plumper and a trifle more old-maidish than when I went away, but as kind as ever, and so glad, bless his good heart, to hear how greatly Murray had improved.

That was the one night during my visit that Maudie and I were in bed before twelve. And at that we talked half the night, for I shared Maudie's room as I used to do when we were allowed to spend the night together as children.

Maudie had warned me on our way home from the station that all the time I might claim for myself was an hour a day in which to write to my family. She would see to the filling of the rest. And, like the little red hen, she did.

The first afternoon we went out to Deer Lodge to see Leslie Ormond, then came back and had a cup of tea with the Robertsons. The next day, Sunday, we went to church in the morning, and in the afternoon, while Maudie went to the hospital, B.F. took Teddy and me down to Kildonan Cemetery, where Mother and Father were buried. Jessie Middleton and Kathleen Manners, who had come home from overseas after I left the city, came for dinner and instead of going to church again in the evening they and Maudie and I sat in front of the fire and talked and talked and talked. Monday, Thanksgiving Day, we went to church in the morning, had the family dinner at noon, ran over to see the Robertsons again during the afternoon and then went to the Walker in the evening.

There is a fair sample of the way in which my time was spent. Teas and luncheons and dinners kept me as busy as a debutante, busier socially than I had ever been in my young days. And I enjoyed it all. I enjoyed too the morning I spent with Maudie, the visit to our old office, and the almost daily "dropping in" for a chat with the Robertsons.

There were many changes. The Robertsons were failing very quickly, Granny especially. They were living in their old quiet way, a widowed daughter having come to keep house for them, and were sermon and benediction in one to this scurrying, worrying age. Like tired, happy children they were ready to rest, caring little how or when it came so long as they might be together. I found them living much in the past, Granny, I know, confused Nicolas and me, and she often spoke to me as if I were Mother.

Even the young people had changed. Reg Jones had grown into a steady, rather quiet young man, hobbling back and forth to the Medical College on an artificial leg that could never be made to fit quite satisfactorily. In the office I found the older men aged more than time alone would account for, and many of the girls were married, their places having been taken in most cases by men who I did not know. And each person I met seemed to carry a burden—even the Middleton girls and Kathleen Manners were restless and dissatisfied, hating private nursing, and full of wild plans to go to China or Australia or some other green field where, they heard, it wasn't so deadly dull as in Canada.

I was learning my lesson and I felt that the days could not pass quickly enough to take me back to Herrington's Hope so that I might tell Murray how much I had to be thankful for. I thought I knew what hardship was, but even the poorest people I knew in the country had food and shelter, plain though both might be. And in Winnipeg men walked the streets looking for work when there was no work to be found, and there was a scarcely-hidden undercurrent of fear and distrust very different from anything I had ever seen before, the best possible material for agitators to work upon.

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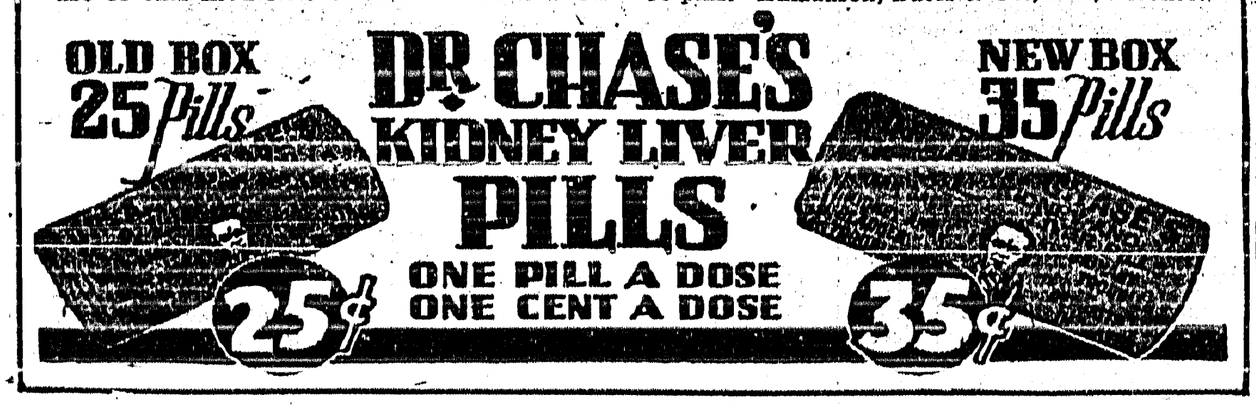

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

On the occasion of the anniversary of his coronation the Pope has donated 500,000 lire to Austrian relief, according to the newspaper Epoca.

The Polish diet has passed a bill providing two years' military service which is reduced to 18 months for graduates of high schools and university men.

Lieut. Antonio Vildez and Sergt. San Emederio, of the Cuban aviation corps, fell about 1,500 feet with their aeroplane at Camp Columbia, and escaped death.

The difficulty of obtaining an adequate supply of officers for the British army is declared increasing. Reduction of pay to be effected this year and reaction after the war are two reasons assigned for the situation.

The British Postmaster-General, Vernon Hartshorn, has appointed a committee to consider and advise him without delay on the policy to be adopted with regard to an empire wireless service.

Reports that a rupture has occurred or is imminent, between the former Emperor Wilhelm and the Princess Hermine, his wife, has no foundation, according to the best information from Doorn.

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Wonders Of Science

Musical Records Now Said to be Produced On Pocket Handkerchiefs

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It is claimed that a pocket handkerchief or a pillow case can be converted into an instrument of sweetness by a simple process of immersion.

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A silk handkerchief, on which a well-known piece of classical music had been played, was taken from the machine, thrown across the room, jumped on, replaced on the machine, and made to repeat the tune smoothly and distinctly.

A portion of a linen pillow-case was made to give forth a striking reproduction of perfectly-blended stringed instruments.

The new records are almost indestructible, do not need any special protection in transit, and can be packed into the smallest possible space.

Not Afraid Of Knockers

Immigration Officials Are Not Alarmed By Criticisms

Immigration officials at Ottawa do not express alarm over the series of letters published in the Daily News of London, England, from returned harvesters, who decry conditions in Canada, and the possibilities in this country for settlers from Great Britain.

It is stated that 62 different British publications have within the past six months published letters from recent settlers in Canada who have found conditions in this country most favorable.

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Will Supply Farm Help

Farmers Can Secure Application Forms From Nearest C.P.R. Agent

Bringing of farm help to Western Canada from Europe, inaugurated under a special scheme by the Canadian Pacific Railway last year, will be continued this year, it is announced by officials of the company.

During 1923 about 3,000 men and women for farm help were brought out, but many more than this number are expected this season. The first of these will arrive about March 31st, coming from Great Britain, Denmark, Switzerland and other parts of Europe.

Application forms are being supplied to all farmers who need help by the nearest C.P.R. agent or the Colonization Department at Calgary, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Winnipeg or Montreal. The forms are filled out by the farmer, in which he states the class of labor, nationality he wishes and the rate of wages he is prepared to pay. These forms are then forwarded to Europe and the farm help selected by a competent organization and the laborer is sent forward to the individual farmer. Farmers who require help would facilitate this work by writing applications at an early date so the proper class can be selected and ample time given to this work.

Will Remember Wilson

A declaration that "the wage earners of America will forever cherish the memory of Woodrow Wilson", was adopted at a meeting at the American Federation of Labor of 100 trade union officials and representatives as well as of spokesmen for the Pan American Federation of Labor.

Minard's Liniment Heals Cuts

Grading Of Bacon

Time Not Opportune to Set Up Canadian Standards

Improvement of Canadian swine stock, by selection in the Dominion, rather than by importation of animals from abroad and the securing of greater uniformity in exhibition judging, was advocated by the directors at the annual meeting of the Canadian Swine Breeders' Association held in Toronto. J. E. Brethour, president, in his annual address, said that the past year had been unprofitable for swine breeders owing to poor marketing conditions in Europe, but there were indications that price would advance in the very near future.

The question of the Dominion Government establishing a standard for the grading of bacon was strongly defended by the delegates from Alberta and Saskatchewan. Action was deferred pending a report by the Federal Department of Agriculture. H. S. Arkell, livestock commissioner for Canada, stated that the department has been studying the question and had ascertained from the Old Country facts with respect to the sale of Canadian bacon overseas. He did not believe the time was opportune to attempt to introduce in Canada a definite system for the grading of bacon.

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Gets Egyptian Treasures

Pennsylvania Museum Receives Shipload From Its Expedition

The steamer Crisfield docked recently at Philadelphia laden with eighty-five tons of ancient relics from Egypt and Palestine unearthed by expeditions of the University of Pennsylvania.

Some of the articles in the consignment weighed five tons each, notably the doorway and columns from the Palace of Pharaoh Meneptah, at Memphis, Egypt. A number of complete mosaic floors are part of the Egyptian collection.

From ruins in Palestine numerous historical monuments are in the consignment together with notable examples of sculpture of the period.

STORMY WEATHER HARD ON BABY

The stormy, blustery weather which we have during February and March is extremely hard on children. Conditions make it necessary for the mother to keep them in the house. They are often confined to overheated, badly ventilated rooms and catch colds which rack their whole system. To guard again this a box of Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in the house and an occasional dose given the baby to keep its stomach and bowels working regularly. This will not fail to break up colds and keep the health of the baby in good condition till the brighter days come along. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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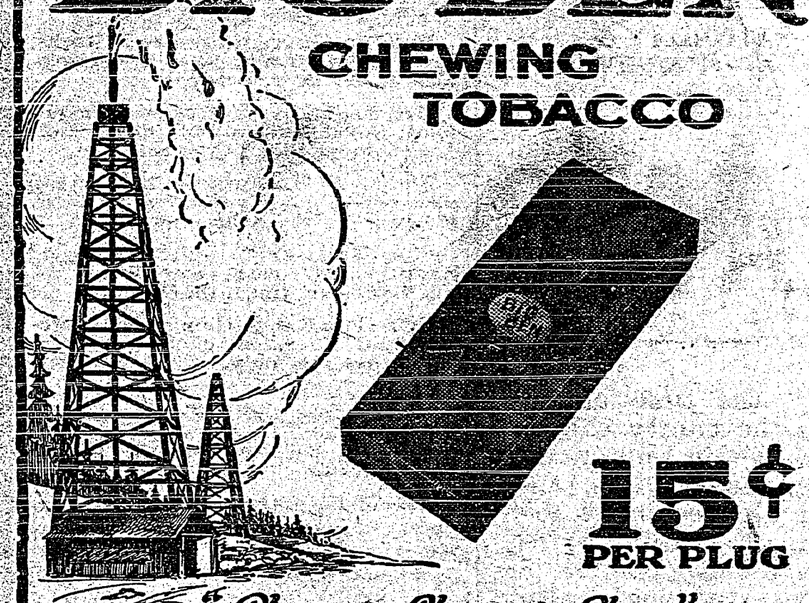

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Movement Across Border

Expect Big Influx of U.S. Farmers in Spring

Handling of thousands of United States farmer settlers expected to move to Canadian prairie lands this spring was the principal subject discussed at a conference of land and colonization officials of the Canadian National Railways, from Winnipeg west to the Pacific coast.

Indications are, it was declared, that the movement across the border into Canada this year will be greater than it has been in some time.

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Edison Feels Young

Declaring that he felt no older than 40, "though a little more awkward perhaps," Thomas A. Edison, the famous inventor, told members of the Edison Pioneer Association, veterans of his service, that he hoped to live until he was 100. Recently he celebrated his 78th birthday, and attended a dinner given by the association. "Work which one loves is the best form of amusement and diversion," Mr. Edison told his hosts.

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The British Empire Exhibition

Canadian Pacific Railway Can Supply Full Information Re Booking Passages

The coming sumemr will see an unprecedented travel to the British Isles from the Overseas Dominions, for the British Empire Exhibition which opens in Wembley Park, April next, and those intending to make the trip should make early arrangements with the nearest agent of the Canadian Pacific Railway for their passages, in order to secure the desired accommodation.

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Minard's Liniment for Dandruff

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Premier MacDonald has decided to take a single salary of only £5,000, although filling the dual offices of first lord of the treasury and foreign secretary, which carry a salary of £5,000 each.

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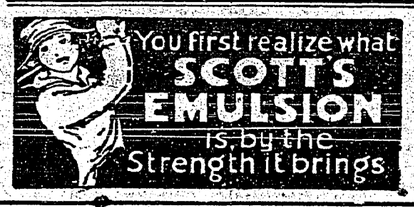
Spectacle Styles

"Spectacle Styles for Women!" is the slogan of a new association formed, its object being the education of women to suiting the spectacles to the occasion. "Rubber-tired glasses with an evening toilet!" they cry. "Perish the thought!"



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FOR SALE—Table Victrola, good condition, $47, cash, short terms. E. W. Ryckman, tinsmith, Creston.

AUTO FOR SALE—Going cheap, McLaughlin Four, in good condition, used privately only. C. G. Bennett, Creston.

POTATOES—Good for seed or cooking, Gold Coin, 2 cents a pound delivered in town. R. Sinclair Smith, West Creston.

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FOR SALE—Parson's Beauty, Magoon, Senator Dunlap, and VanSan strawberry plants, $6 per 1000. Monrad Wigen, Wynndel.

Next Friday is Good Friday, a statutory holiday, when all business places will be closed, and the postoffice wicket open from 5 to 6 o'clock only.

MILCH COWS FOR SALE—4 milch cows, three freshened in February; other will freshen early in April, will sell reasonable. Boffey Bros., Creston.

Fred Ryckman of Cranbrook, Indian constable, was here on an official visit over the week-end, and was the guest of his mother at the ranch.

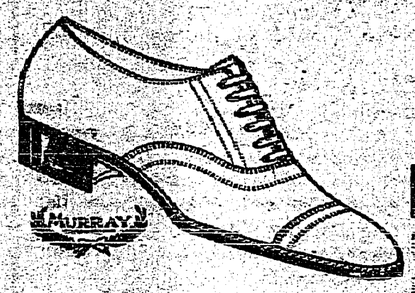
LOST—On April 1st, between Lidgate garage and Erickson, yellow watch with double steel guard. Reward to party returning to Review Office.

Tom Brannelson the Nelson plasterer, is here this week doing the lathing and plastering of the new Bob Stephens residence, next to Christ Church rectory.

The silver tea for Christ Church Ladies' Guild benefit at the home of Mrs. Garland on Saturday afternoon was responsible for a cash intake in the neighborhood of $5.

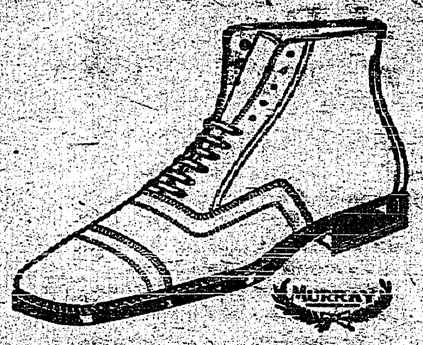
Emphasizing Spring Hats and Shoes

Every section of the store is brimming over with the new Spring Merchandise of the most desirable kinds—dependable in quality and moderate in price. During the last few days quantities of new goods have been opened up and placed in the various departments revealing values that have hitherto never been equalled.



Tan Oxfords at $7.75

Men's Tan Shoes at $8.75



These remarkable values are made possible by a special purchase secured on advantageous terms. Complete range of sizes and widths.

MEN'S HATS—They are the season's newest styles and shades with the prices running all the way from $3.50 to $8.50

Dry Goods Groceries **S. A. SPEERS** Furniture Hardware

Mrs. A. A. McKinnon of Cranbrook, who gave a timely address on W.M.S. work in the Presbyterian church on Sunday morning, was a guest of Mrs. James during her stay in Creston.

Sunday was the hottest day experienced so far this year, the official thermometer showing 79 in the shade that afternoon. Since then, however, semi cloudy and cool weather still prevails.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Prize settings of White Leghorn eggs from a pen consisting of pedigreed cockerel and trap nested hens averaging over 200 eggs in pullet year, $2 for 15 eggs. C. Brousson, Box 2, Creston.

An improvement is made in the appearance of Victoria Avenue due to the Coulter cottage, now owned by Miss Vickers, being moved back further on the lot and placed upon a new foundation.

The sunny weather of Sunday started a rise in Goat River, and the spring freshet was sufficient to float down a raft of logs and permit the Putnam, Palmer & Staples mill to resume sawing on Wednesday.

Variety in Sunday services appears to be appreciated fully as such mixtures in all lines of entertainment judging by the large crowd out for the song service in the Methodist church on Sunday night. The pastor answered about two dozen "whys" in very practical fashion.

FOR SALE—Good ranch horse, about 8 years old, weighs 1300 lbs., sound in wind and limb, drive single or double. Also light delivery wagon with brake. Apply Postmaster, Wynndel.

J. F. Robinson, who recently acquired five acres of the Barrieau place, returned at the end of the week from Edmonton, Alta., accompanied by Mrs. Robinson. For the present they are occupying the former John Joy home. Stumping operations are under way and they expect to have the site of their permanent home ready for building operations very soon.

ATTENTION, FRUIT GROWERS!

Commencing with the operations of Staples Fruit Company, Ltd., five years ago, and last season through Creston Growers, Limited, a selling connection has been established and developed that has been of very great value to the growers of the Erickson and Creston districts. In fact it is not going too far to say that marketing results would have been just as disastrous to the growers in the Creston valley as they have been in other fruit growing districts of the Northwest had it not been for the selling policies adopted and followed by the above mentioned Companies.

In view of this fact, and also due to the uncertain condition existing in connection with marketing prospects for the coming season, the Directors of Creston Growers, Limited, have decided that they would be betraying the best interests of the valley if they failed to retain the selling connections now existing or did not offer to handle the valley's crop through these channels.

The growing season is now commencing and, doubtless, many of the ranchers will be looking for credit accommodation. Merchants and bankers will insist upon knowing what the prospects are for liquidating advances as soon as the crop is harvested. We therefore feel that the time is ripe for us to make a definite statement that we are now in a position to handle our porportion or, if necessary, all of the 1924 crop under the plan outlined below:

FINANCE

We estimate $5,000.00 as the least sum under which it is possible to operate and make prompt returns to the growers. We are now in a position to secure ample funds for all our ordinary requirements.

MARKETING

Marketing arrangements will be entirely in the hands of Mr. R. B. Staples and the same policies will be followed as have been in the past under his management. This means that our produce will be placed where we are guaranteed prompt returns and no losses due to bad debts.

CONTRACTS

Our experience has been that dishonest people have just as little respect for their written guarantees as they have for verbal promises and that it is not feasible to force growers to do business through any given channel. No contracts will be signed unless at the request of the growers. It is necessary, however, for us to know in advance what quantities of any particular commodity we will have to market and we have no intention of working for growers who come to us as a last resort. We reserve the right to refuse to market any crop, estimates of which have not been turned in time in in time to be included in our marketing programme, or which fails to come up to a definite standard of quality.

COMMODITY POOLS

If the Associated Growers operate this year and we can be of assistance to them in securing the required per centage of control we know of no reason why an arrangement similar of last year should not be made. Under no circumstances will we consent to pool our products with those of other districts without first securing the consent of growers selling through us.

Each grower will be held responsible for the quality of his product and a definite standard will be insisted upon. Pooling will be resorted to only to an extent where it would be unfair to handle commodities otherwise than by establishing a pool.

CHARGES

Our charges will be 10% of the f.o.b. price. When fruit prices were much higher than they are now it was possible, with this charge, to show fair net profit; under present conditions the most careful economy must be followed in order to break even, but on the other hand the grower at the present time is unable to pay more.

PROFITS

Last season under favorable operating conditions as regards expense our profit and loss account on December 31st showed a gain of less than one per cent of our sales or, in other words, had we charged nine per cent. last year instead of ten per cent. our profit and loss account would have shown a loss.

This profit, amounting to around $1,400.00, is still intact and will be used for the benefit of the growers in conducting this year's business. Should prices remain as they have been our profits this season are certain to be negligible; should prices materially increase profits under a ten per cent. charge would increase accordingly.

Should the growers wish to participate in any profit that may be earned and incidentally wish to bear part of the burden the Directors are prepared to place a block of stock on the market.

Possibly this might be a logical means of securing for the growers buildings and equipment now in the valley. Our idea is that each grower should buy an equal number of shares in the Company and that enough growers should purchase stock to create an amount of capital that would be worth while. Whether or not the growers see fit to take advantage of this offer will make little or no difference to this season operations, but would guarantee permanency of operation from year to year.

Prospective subscribers will be given the fullest opportunity to investigate the present standing of the Company and also the efficiency of last years operations.

CRESTON GROWERS, LIMITED

R. B. STAPLES, Managing Director