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Institute Doubles Fall Eair Grant

The large turnout at the May meeting of Creston Valley Womens' Institute on Friday afternoon were disappointed in the non-appearance of Mrs. Kidman of Crawford Bay, who was due to give a demonstration on making baskets from pine needles, but was unable to come due to illness. Her place was quite well taken by the president, Mrs. H. Lyne, who on short notice gave an interesting talk on the work of the delinquent girls home at Vancouver, which she inspected whilst at the coast earlier in the year.

The matter of finally deciding whether to continue setting aside money for the building of a community hall on the Institute lot on Barton Avenue—and seeing to it that money when allocated for the hall is not at any time diverted to their uses—stands over until June. The matter of donating $10 to help with the upkeep of the tennis court at the high school also is given a month for consideration of the members. It was decided not to lay out an institute court on the lots behind the Grand theatre this season, at least.

For 1924 the Institute doubles its grant to the Creston fall fair, this year's gift being $20 instead of the usual $10, and the Institute will have a lecture, to which everyone is invited, on Friday evening, June 11th, in the Parish Hall, the speaker on that occasion being Norman Moore of Cranbrook, who will deliver his well known address on "Mountains of Gold."

The musical features on Friday were the "Girl and Duck" duets by Evelyn Bevan and Ruby Lister, and a couple of piano solos by Mrs. Garland. The tea hostesses were Mrs. Jas. Cook and Mrs. Garland, and the collection of almost $3 goes as usual to the crippled children fund.

Sirdar

Geo. Cam is back from Detroit, Mich., where he has been a visitor for the past few weeks.

Harold Cam, who has been seriously ill for the past week with pneumonia, is now on the highway to recovery.

Mrs. Loasby was a visitor with Cranbrook friends a few days last week, returning on Friday.

The Church of England service this Sunday will be in the evening, at 7.30.

B. F. Whiteside has the builders at work on another store building and is going to put a carload of flour and feed into stock for Sirdar customers.

Mrs. Martin was a visitor with Creston friends between trains on Friday.

The end of the week will see finish of fill haul from Canyon. The steam shovel will then be shifted to Kinert to get the rock to rip rap to complete the fill, and this feature will take at least another three weeks.

B & B foreman George Brown of Cranbrook and his crew have been here the past two weeks, having just put in a new pipe line from the reservoir to the coach tank and water tank.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor passed through here on Saturday for Cranbrook after spending their honeymoon at coast points.

B & B superintendent Robertson of Cranbrook was here Sunday and Monday superintending work at Kootenay Landing slip, with the McCabe and Brown crews both being employed at this work these two days.

Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Neil of Kuskanook were visitors here on Saturday.

Mayor Daly says this is the hottest he has ever seen it in Sirdar in May, and that if this sort of weather continues much longer the theory that 'millions now living will never die' will have little show of proving correct.

Canyon City

Mrs. George Strong left at the first of the week for Vancouver, where she will be for the next ten days attending the annual sessions of the B.C Methodist conference in that city.

Messrs. Knott, Kolthammer and Young are handling the sale of Chautauqua tickets in the Canyon district this year, and the pasteboards will be on sale in a few days now.

In the absence of Rev. G. Knox the Sunday afternoon Methodist service was very creditably taken by James Adlard of Creston. He will also be in charge for at least one more Sunday.

Chas. Robinson of Calgary, who is the holder of an improved ten-acre place up near the mill, is calling for tenders for the erection of a commodious fully modern house that will probably cost $4000.

The Chas. O. Rodgers portable mill at the Helme ranch is shut down for the present, the tie contract having been filled.

Andy Wickholm left a few days ago for Nakusp, where he has taken a position as planerman in a sawmill in that town.

The C.P.R. steam shovel is expected to complete operations at the Canyon in a few days, and will be shifted to Kinert, where the rip rap for the fill completion will be dug out.

Mrs. H. and Miss Frances Lyne of Creston were Sunday visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. Knott.

Messrs. Hewitt and Cook are busy with the erection of the new VanAckeran residence which, we hear, will be a ten room two-story modern home.

On or about May 5th the Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange issued a statement, signed by their Secretary, J. E. VanAckeran, which makes the assertion, without any qualification whatever, that "EIGHTY-FIVE PER CENT. of the Creston Valley tonnage is signed by the growers under contract with the Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange."

We claim that this statement is untrue, and challenge the Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchanfie to prove what the tonnage they have signed actually was on the above date.

Furthermore, if this proven tonnage exceeds FIFTY PER CENT. of the total tonnage of Creston Valley we will donate $50.00 to the Creston Fall Fair.

CRESTON GROWERS, LIMITED.

1924 Chautauqua Better Than Ever

The largest attended and most enthusiastic Chautauqua organization meeting ever held in Creston was that of Thursday night last, when preliminary arrangements were made for the handling of the 1924 six days of entertainment and education which opens at Creston on Monday, June 2nd.

Jas. Adlard was chosen chairman of the organization, with J. S. Siddons secretary. C. M. Brousson and A. B. Norris have charge of the ticket selling; F. H. Jackson is again chairman of the grounds committee, and C. F. Hayes will handle the publicity work.

Programmes outlining the eleven offerings that will be spread over the six joyous days indicate that the 1924 Chautauqua will be considerably better than any of its predecessors. The lectures to be presented are of every day interest and will be given by men of unquestioned platform ability.

As usual there will be a music day which will certainly be the biggest attraction of the kind seen here, with the Metropolitan Sympho Band assisted by two vocalists, one of them being Fenwick Newell, who made such a decided hit in 1922.

This year there will be a play, "Six Cylinder Love," a comedy whose popularity has not been equalled in years. Chautauqua opens with another big attraction, Pamahasia's Pets, a trained bird, monkey and dog show, whilst on the fifth day the youngster's will have a real treat in the performance by Will Lea, the world-famed clown, who will also head the hard times parade the children are to have that afternoon.

Season tickets will be on sale about May 26th at the usual popular price of $3 to adults; $1.50 to students, and $1 to children, admitting to the whole eleven programmes.

Erickson

Mrs. Ira Beam left at the end of the week for Bartlett, Oregon, where she will make quite a prolonged visit with her son, Norman.

Miss Stella McKelvey was a Spokane visitor a couple of days at the end of the week, returning on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Staples has gone to Edmonton, Alberta, where she will probably spend a month with her sister, Mrs. Peck.

Frank Palmer, who has been taking specialist treatment in Spokane for some time past, is home again, and back on the job at the Putnam, Palmer & Staples mill.

Complaint is made that dogs in this section are worrying the deer along Goat mountain, and unless the canines are brought home by their owners there will be two or three dog deaths to talk about before the month is out.

A. Lindley, the well-known Lethbridge fruit wholesaler, was in here on a business visit a couple of days at the end of the week.

Alf. Palmer went to work at the first of the month on the forestry patrol service and we, hear, will be permanently located in the West Creston area, the new lookout at Moyie having a good view of the Kitchener section to Thompson creek.

Erickson friends of Earl Birney will hear of his successfully passing near the top of the list of those writing on the second year arts examinations at the B.C. University last month. Earl also won the Terminal City Club memorial of $110 for examination standing in two second year subjects. Mr. and Mrs. Birney are now residents of Vancouver, Earl being in the class of 1926.

Melt Beam was at Corn Creek over the weekend helping with the placing of 15,000 trout fry in that stream by Dominion fishery officials.

There was a very large turnout of friends to pay their last tribute of respect to the late Mrs. James Fraser, whose funeral took place on Thursday evening last to Creston cemetery, Rev. J. A. James conducting the last sad rites, and Messrs. H. Campbell, M. McDougall, Geo. Cartwright, E. J. C. Richardson, M. R. Palmer and E. Cartwright officiating as pallbearers. Many floral tributes also spoke eloquently of the high esteem in which deceased was held, and in their heavy bereavement the husband and family have the very sincere sympathy of the community.

Alice Siding

Public school inspector Manning and Dr. Henderson made official visits of inspection to the Alice Siding school on Monday. The attendance at present is the largest ever recorded.

Mrs. King of Porthill, Idaho, is a visitor here at present with her sister, Mrs. Dick Smith.

Reed & Mather still have faith in the strawberry business. They are at present busy planting out about four acres of new plants.

Miss Teresa Churchhill was a visitor with Cranbrook friends a few days last week.

Mrs. Fred Taylor of Nelson was a visitor here last week with her mother, Mrs. Stace Smith.

J. C. Martin left last week on a business trip to the coast, and Mrs. Martin is leaving for a visit on the prairie. In their absence Mr. and Mrs. McGregor are occupying the house on the Bartholomew ranch.

The four-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Rhodes had to have one of the toes of her left foot amputated one day last week, the member being badly cut when hit by an axe that an elder member of the family was playing with.

The season's doings of the Social Club were fittingly concluded on Friday night with a surprise party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart, the feature of which was the presentation of a camera and films to Hector Stewart who has been largely responsible for the music supplied for the dances the past season. The presentation was made by Mr. Vaness and came as a genuine but much appreciated surprise to Hector.

Conservatives Re-Elect Officers

The annual general meeting of the Liberal-Conservative Association of Creston Valley was held in the Grand Theatre on Wednesday night last. The meeting, which was splendidly attended, was marked by the enthusiasm of those present. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Hon. President—Hon. Arthur Meighen, Hon. W. J. Bowser, Col. Fred Lister.
President—Major Mallandaine.
Vice-President—Major Garland.
Secy.-Treas.—J. W. Hamilton.

Members of the executive were elected from all the polling places in the Valley, as follows:

Creston—J. Cherrington, J. Compton, F. H. Jackson, Geo. Johnson, R. J. Long, C. Moore, H. S. McCreath, V. Mawson, C. O. Rodgers, S. Watson, Mrs. C. B. Garland, Mrs. R. J. Long, Mrs. F. H. Jackson, Mrs. F. Lister.
Camp Lister—H. P. Vernon, C. H. Phillips, Mrs. A. Noble.
Erickson—W. W. Hall, W. Leveque, W. G. Littlejohn.
Canyon City—Hilton Young, Campbell Blair.
Kitchener—Geo. Hunt, B. Johnson.
Sirdar—C. M. Loasby.
Wynndel—W. Cooper, S. Moon.
Boswell—Capt. Ellis, J. Coupland.
West Creston—R. Sinclair Smith, Angus Currie.

The delegates were also elected to attend the nominating convention to be held in Nelson on the 15th, as follows: C. O. Rodgers, Major Garland, F. H. Jackson, J. Cherrington, Geo. Johnson, R. J. Long, C. Moore.

Col. Fred Lister addressed the meeting, and his remarks were followed with close attention, and frequently punctuated with applause.—Com.

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CHAPTER II.

Mary Rraser, as she galloped away over the rolling hills carried away with her a vivid impression of the personality of the young man she had so unexpectedly met on the trail. The faded, worn and slouchy scout's uniform he wore, and other details of his accoutrements were taken in at a glance. His fair, open and handsome countenance and his self-reliant bearing appealed to her fancy. Though she had abruptly dismissed him, refusing his offered assistance, she still felt assured that she would meet him on her return home and would then make amends for her seeming rudeness. She was aware that it was not customary for strangers to pass their home, after a long day's journey, without being offered the hospitality of a night's lodging. Those transient travellers on many occasions, were welcomed at her home. They proved pleasing diversions from the general routine and monotony of the lonely lives those early pioneers have had to pass in a district remote from the more congenial advantages of more settled communities. Instead of those visits proving an inconvenience they were often the source of considerable social pleasure to them. As youth appeals to youth, she anticipated with pleasure the prospects of again meeting him on her return home. Her disposition craved the society of people of her own age, an advantage that she did not, only to a limited extent, enjoy in her lonely surroundings.

While she loved the freedom of the life she led among the hills, the valleys and the lakes, and the surrounding landscapes appealed to her aesthetic tastes, yet there was the yearning for companionship and the society of people of her own age and kind. In her day dreams she pictured to herself the pleasures of the life she missed—a life of more congenial human surroundings. A longing for that life—a life that seemed to be beyond her reach—at times became an obsession with her.

The prospects accordingly of a pleasant social evening with a young stranger from the "outside" added buoyancy to her elated feelings, and, in her abstraction, she spurred her horse to greater speed as she proceeded in her quest for the horses.

It was this feeling of elation that was partly responsible for her failure to examine more closely her surroundings as she cantered in the direction of two horses that she noticed grazing close in to the edge of a bluff some distance away. Confident that they were the horses she was in search of, she headed in that direction with an air of abstraction that made her practically oblivious of any danger that might be lurking in the vicinity.

As she rounded the edge of the bluff she was startled from her reverie by a hoarse command of, "Stop! Put up your hands." The suddenness of this order roused her at once to action. Her quick wits at a glance took in the situation, and convinced her of the futility of an attempt to escape or to offer resistance. All at once she seemed to be surrounded by a band of five men. Their forbidding aspects and pointing guns striking terror to her heart admitted of no temporizing action. She was approached by a dark complexioned, heavy built man, who seized her bridle rein and relieved her of her revolver. After a cursory examination of her horse and a close scrutiny of her face, he said, "Jump down young fellow, this is my horse you are riding."

Goaded to desperation by the hold-up and resenting the insolence of his looks and order, she answered, "No, sir; this is not your horse. You have no right to stop me in this way, nor interefere with me in any manner. The Mounted Police shall be notified of this insolent hold-up of me."

"The Mounted Police be d——d. We have a line on them gents, and they won't help you this time. Jump down or I'll pull you off."

Realizing that protest or resistance would be useless, and following the promptings of her feminine intuition, she passively yielded to inevitable necessity and dismounted as requested by him. After again looking into her face, he snatched off her hat. Then with an insolent leering grin on his face, he said, "I thought so." Quickly replacing it on her head, he said, loud enough for all to hear: "Young fella, so that you will not put the d——d Red Coats on our track, you will come along with us to-night."

After his close scruitiny of her face she was conscious of the fact that he was aware of her sex. It was also clear to her that he desired to conceal his discovery from the rest of his companions. This added to her fear of the man, but still she decided, in the meantime, to submit to his orders. Her feminine intuition warned her that discreet silence would be her safest plan for the present. She had nothing to expect nor hope for from the other members of the gang, who seemed to be acting under his orders.

Taking a lariat from one of the saddles close at hand, he led her into the shelter of the bluff. First he searched her for any weapon she might have in her possession. He then fastened the loop end of the lariat round her waist and bound her securely to a birch tree. He, however, left both her hands and feet free with sufficient slack to her bonds to enable her to stand up or sit down as she desired. He warned her, however, that if she attempted to escape he would, shoot her in her tracks, a threat she was fully convinced he would carry into effect. He himself holding the other end of the lariat, joined his companions, who were by now lounging on the ground a few feet away.

Securely fastened as she was she stood for some time leaning against the tree, and after a while sat down. As the twilight deepened she endeavored to evolve in her mind a plan of escape, but the more she thought of her situation the more hopeless her chances seemed to be. The only avenue of escape that presented itself to her was the hope that her father would organize a search party for her rescue, but as this would take some time to accomplish, it offered her small consolation. By the time assistance could be called by her father these bandits would have taken her many miles away from the scene of the hold-up. She also feared the dangers that would attend an attempt at rescue. She realized that she was in the hands of desperadoes—men who would not hesitate to commit murder to escape capture. In her desperation she faced the tree to which she was tied, and leaning against it, offered up a fervent silent prayer to God for help, courage and inspiration in her dangerous plight. As she thus prayed, her hand came in contact with an overhanging piece of loose birch bark. This she absently stripped off the tree, and, later, slipped it into the pocket of her jacket. Then turning around she sat down with her back against the tree for support.

A few feet away the men were engaged in conversation carried on in low voices. Listening intently to their conversation, she overheard them discussing their plans of escape to the south.

She learned that it was their intention to start on their trip as soon as it was dark. She further overheard that their objective for the first stage of their journey was a secret camping ground in the valley of the Souris. There they intended to remain in hiding during the next day and till shortly before daylight the next morning. At that hour they would make a dash across the United States boundary, when in the darkness of early morning, they were confident of escaping the vigilance of the Mounted Police, who, during the troublesome times of that year, kept a strict patrol along the boundary.

Inspired by the information overheard and deciding to make use of the shadow of the increasing darkness, she pulled out of her pocket the roll of birch bark. Then, with the stub of a pencil that she had in her pocket, she scribbled on its smooth surface a note, giving the gist of the plans of the outlaws. Replacing it into her pocket she decided to await an opportunity to drop it where it would be easily noticed by a rescue party.

Sitting there as the darkness deepened, her thoughts wandered back to her home. She thought that at that hour her mother, always solicitous of her safety, would be anxiously looking for her return. Slowly the tears crept down her cheeks as, more and more, she realized the anguish of her mother's heart at the unknown fate of her only child. Those were not tears of self-pity nor of fear, but of sorrow and sympathy for the father and mother, who were soon fated to realize the dangers that encompassed her. Bound and held captive as she was in the hands of the merciless bandits, she had not yet, however, abandoned hopes of escape or rescue. Her intuition and the buoyancy of youth kept up her spirits, and the dangers that threatened her only tended to sharpen her wits. With all her faculties alert to all that passed around her, she bravely faced the situation in which she found herself placed. Helpless as she semed to be, she was still hopeful that an opening for escape would present itself to her. Thus she sat as the twilight of evening deepened into the darkness of night, and awaited the next move of her captors, whom she knew would soon be making a move for a start to the south.

When darknes shad descended preparations were commenced for the start. She could not discern their actions in the darkness but, when the word was given, "All set," the leader approached her and loosened her bonds. He then ordered her to mount her horse. The fact that she was to have her own horse to ride gave her new hope, for, having confidence in his speed and training, she decided that if the slightest chance presented itself she would make a dash for liberty. All such hopes were, however, soon dispelled by the deliberate actions of her captor. No sooner was she in the saddle than he proceeded to fasten her feet to the saddle girth with one end of the lariat. He then put a centre hitch on it and tied it around the horse's neck, and, passing the lose end of it through the bit rings, he fastened it to the horn of his own saddle. He then mounted his own horse and followed in the rear of the band, leading her horse beside his own.

Silently the band emerged from their hiding place, and struck over the hills in the direction of the plains to the south. Not a sound broke the stillness of the night, other than the muffled tramp of the horses on the prairie turf, as they gathered speed and settled down to the characteristic lope of the western broncho. They had not proceeded far, however, when she heard another sound that thrilled her with new hope. Some distance in the rear the stillness of the night was broken by the voice of her father calling her name. No sooner had the re-echoing voice of her father died in the distance than she was cheered by an answering hail. But, before she had time to collect herself, her escort was close beside her. Seizing her around the waist with his right arm, he clapped his left hand over her mouth, and, in a hoarse voice, warned her that if she made an outcry he would shoot to kill. Then, releasing his hold, he pulled his revolver and held it pressed against her side, while they covered the distance to the face hills.

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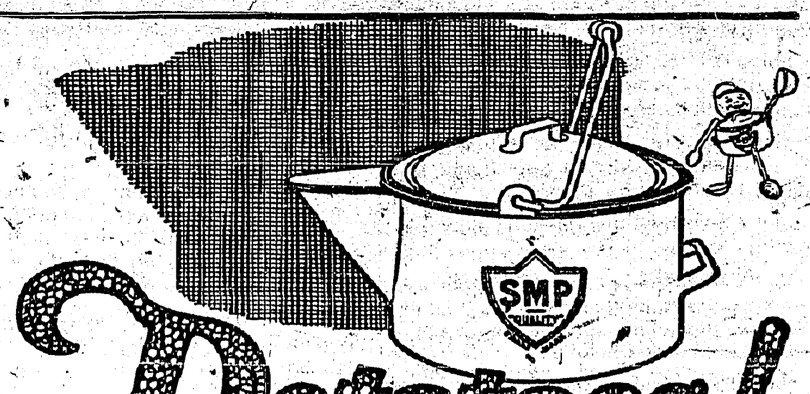

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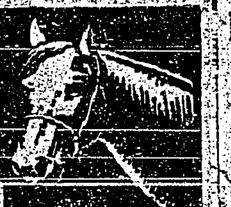

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This medal is awarded each year to the person whose work has brought about the greatest advance in horticulture during the year. This is the second, the first going to W. T. Macown, Dominion horticulturist.

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Schooner Taken North On Sleigh

Five-Ton Vessel Arrives at Reindeer Lake in Saskatchewan

After an overland haul on sleighs of over 580 miles, the H.B.C. schooner, Lac du Brochet, arrived safely at the southern end of Reindeer Lake in Northern Saskatchewan. This vessel was built here by the Alberta Motor Boat Company and was shipped from Edmonton on December 1st to Prince Albert. Here the boat—which weighs five tons—was loaded on a sleigh and with eight teams of horses attached started on her long journey north over the rough trails to the big lake, where she arrived without a scratch.—Edmonton Bulletin.

TEETHING TROUBLES

Baby's teething time is a time of worry and anxiety to most mothers. The little ones become cross; peevish; their little stomach becomes deranged and constipation and colic set in. To make the teething period easy on baby the stomach and bowels must be kept sweet and regular. This can be done by the use of Baby's Own Tablets—the ideal laxative for little ones. The Tablets are a sure relief for all the minor ailments of childhood such as constipation, colic, indigestion, colds and simple fevers. They always do good—never harm. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Duke of York, though left-handed, is considered the best billiard player in the Royal family.

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

Narrowly Escaped Death

When the closed automobile in which they were riding was struck by a train at Walkerville recently, J. Burke escaped through a hole torn in the roof of the car, while the automobile was being dragged 75 feet, and Frank O'Brien jumped to safety through the door of the car, which was thrown open by the crash.

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

Hungarians For Alberta

It is understood that four thousand Hungarians and two thousand Czecho-Slovians will in the near future come to Calgary, from where they will be distributed throughout the west.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Colds

Constipated Dyspeptic, Bilious

Strong purgatives have killed many a good man. Costiveness is bad—violent cathartics are worse. If bothered with stomach trouble or biliousness, use Dr. Hamilton's Pills. They are so mild you can scarcely feel their action, yet so effective that the entire system is cleansed of wastes.

Dr. Hamilton's Pills

Dr. Hamilton's Pills move the bowels gently, they tone the kidneys, assist digestion, clear the skin. For those subject to colds, biliousness, languor, there is no better medicine. Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25c per box, 5 for $1.00, all dealers, or The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Discovered By Doctor

Was Pioneer in Introducing Tobacco in Europe

Every man who smokes owes a debt of gratitude to Francisco Fernandes. The commencement of the use of tobacco by civilized people has been traced back to its introduction in Europe by that celebrated physician. Fernandes was sent by King Philip Second of Spain to investigate the products of Mexico. As a result of his explorations Francisco Fernandes took the tobacco plant to Europe in 1558, for the first time on record. The use of tobacco in England dates from 1586 and the name of Sir Walter Raleigh is associated with its introduction there.

At first the plant was supposed to possess almost miraculous healing powers, and the poet Spencer called it "divine tobacco." Millions of people since those days have realized that tobacco is "a sweetener" of their lot in life and a great equalizer of the temper.

A Divorce Granted

After many years of patient suffering, you can be divorced from corns, you can get rid of them completely by applying Putnam's Corn Extractor. This wonderful old remedy acts in 24 hours and never fails. Refuse a substitute and remember "Putnam's" is the only Painless remedy. 25c everywhere.

Mutton and Macaroni

Preparing An Appetizing Dish From Cold Mutton Scraps

When the cold mutton has lasted so long that the housewife dreads putting it again before her family, let her try it under this guise. Cut the cold meat into cubes. To two cups of meat have one cup of cooked macaroni, two cups of tomato sauce, one cup of cracker crumbs, two tablespoonsful of butter, salt and pepper. In a well buttered enameled ware dish put a layer of macaroni, bread crumbs and tomato sauce, then a layer of mutton with bits of butter, pepper and salt. Alternate until the pan is filled. Sprinkle bread crumbs on top with enough extr butter to brown them. Serve in the dish in which it is cooked. This is one of the many advantages of enameled ware bake dishes—they are always presentable at table as well as useful in the kitchen.

Approximately 1,300,000 persons die each year in the United States, government statisticians figure.

FACE A SIGHT WITH PIMPLES

Large and Red. Itched and Burned. Cuticura Heals.

"My face was itchy and broke out with large, red pimples. They were scattered all over my face and itched and burned so that I scratched which caused them to grow larger. I could hardly sleep at night. They were a real torture and my face was a sight.

"The trouble lasted about three months. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and the first treatment stopped the itching and after using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment I was healed." (Signed) Miss Ora Goulette, R. F. D. 4, Box 86, Barre, Vt., March 24, 1922.

Use Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum exclusively for every-day toilet purposes.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Lymans, Limited, 344 St. Paul St., W., Montreal." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c, Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

Ireland As It Is

Improvement in General Tone of the People Is Noted

No picture of Irish life at the present time would be true were the improvement in the general tone of the people not noted. There is a cheerfulness which did not exist three months ago. People have begun to talk again about the ordinary affairs of life. The gloom has largely gone. Laughter is more frequent. You can see the change in the street, in the theatre, in the home.

Another great improvement is that even the stanchest patriot is now not perfectly certain that the Irish are the greatest race in the world. There are doubts even in the densest minds as to whether liberty is all that it was supposed to be. We even stop sometimes to wonder what is liberty. In other words, our political education has begun.—From the Round Table.

NOSE COLDS QUICKLY STOPPED

A neglected cold is the open gateway to Consumption.

To quickly stop a cold, the best way is to clear the air passages of the nose and throat; free them of germs, and let the healing vapor of CATARRHOZONE do the rest.

One breath of CATARRHOZONE brings instant relief. Your suffering stops. Hoarseness is relieved, throat and nose are cleared, inflamed bronchial tubes are healed, all danger of Catarrh is prevented.

Carry CATARRHOZONE Inhaler in your purse, in your vest pocket, and use it when the first shiver or sneeze comes. Complete outfit, One Dollar, small size 50c. At all druggists. Refuse a substitute. By mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Peat Bogs In Canada

The peat bogs of Canada, as mapped by the mines department, have a total area of 22,000 acres, seven bogs within shipping distance of Toronto being estimated to contain 26,500,000 tons of peat. The number of bogs included in the map is 46 in Ontario, 27 in Quebec, 7 in Manitoba, and 27 in the Maritime Provinces.

She Found Them A Marvellous Remedy

What Mrs. Morneau Says of Dodd's Kidney Pills

Quebec woman suffered from a complication of kidney troubles and found relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Ste. Perpetue, P.Q.—(Special).—The value of Dodd's Kidney Pills as a household remedy is shown by the following statement of Mrs. E. Morneau, a well-known resident here.

"I have suffered for several months from rheumatism, backache, pains in the head and cramps." Mrs. Morneau says. "I took eight boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and they have greatly benefitted me. I recommend them to all those who suffer from kidney complaints, for I have found them marvellous. You can tell others who suffer from bad kidneys that they are very good."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have become a family remedy all over the world, because people have tried them and found them good. They are purely and simply a kidney remedy. They help backache, rheumatism, lumbago, diabetes, heart disease and urinary troubles.

Altaswede Clover

It is expected that about 3,000 lbs. of Altaswede clover will be produced in Alberta this season. This valuable clover was introduced into the province a few years ago by the University of Alberta. Only a very small quantity of seed was at first available.

To Make Delicious Sandwiches

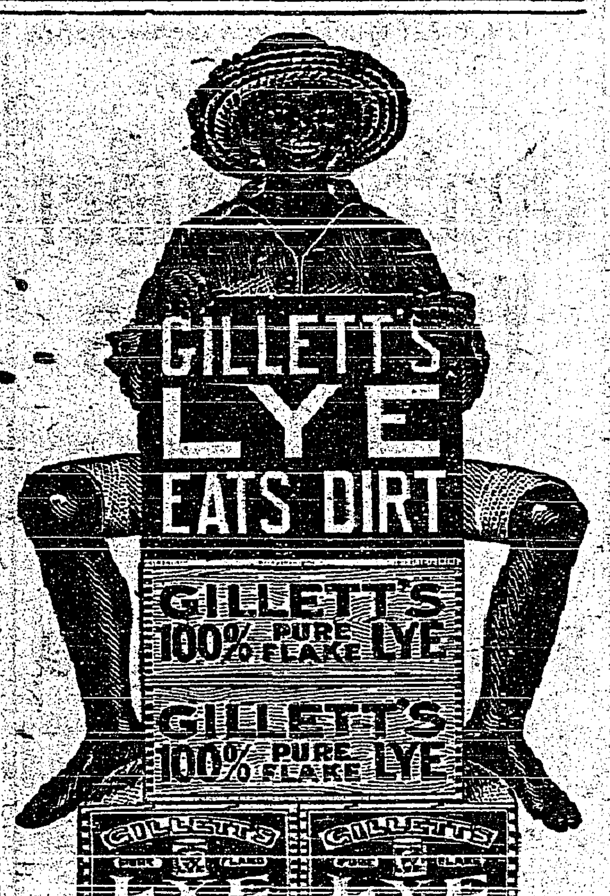
A supply of Clark's Potted Meats gives you delicious sandwiches at a moment's notice. Suitable for luncheons, teas, late suppers, picnics. Give them to the kiddies between meals.

"Let the Clark Kitchens help you."

C.P.R. Demonstration Train

In conjunction with the extension service of the provincial department of agriculture, the Canadian Pacific Railway will operate special cars over its Manitoba lines to demonstrate field and fodder crops. A carload of all varieties of seed will be carried for distribution at the points visited. Forty districts will be visited.

Minard's Liniment for Sprains



Eclipse of the Sun

About One Total Eclipse Occurs In Every Two Years

About one total eclipse of the sun occurs in every two years, but the phase of totality is so short—usually two or three minutes and never as much as eight minutes—that the aggregate time it can be visible over the small sections of the earth shadowed is only eight days in a century. The beautiful and significant phenomena presented are studied at a greater cost in effort and money than anything else so fleeting. Prof. S. A. Mitchell mentions that he has travelled more than 40,000 miles to witness four of these eclipses, and the total time for scientific observations was less than eleven minutes.

Robbed Of Sunshine

It has just been discovered that a sunshine recording instrument installed at Margate, Eng., in 1892 was defective and has failed by an hour a day to record the actual sunshine.

After Grippe SCOTT'S EMULSION should be taken every day for a month

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"Fifteen to thirty drops of Extract of Root, commonly called Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, may be taken in water with meals and at bedtime, for indigestion, constipation and bad blood. Persistence in this treatment will give permanent relief in nearly every case." Get the genuine at druggists.

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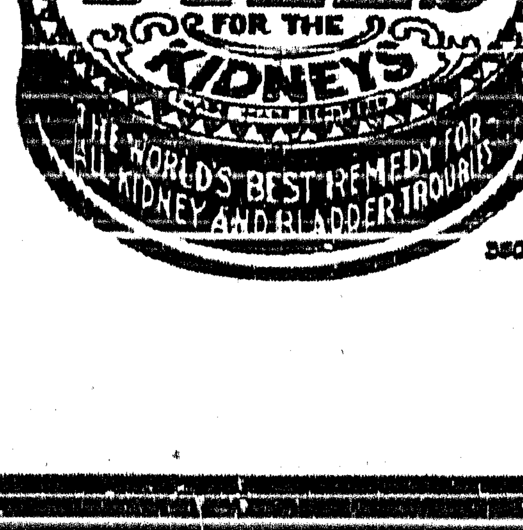

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ERIC OLSON, W.M.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS' ACT

Creston Electoral District

Notice is hereby given that I shall, on Monday, the 19th day of May, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House, Nelson, hold a sitting of the Court of Revision for the purpose of revising the list of voters for the said Electoral District, and of hearing and determining any and all objections to the retention of any name on the said list, or to the registration as a voter of any applicant for registration, and for the other purposes set forth in the Provincial Elections Act.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 11th day of April, 1924.

J. CARTMEL,
Registrar of Voters,
Creston Electoral District.

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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, MAY 16

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Would Like 100% Signed

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—Just a few lines to those growers who have not joined up with the Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange. The writer, through the B.C. Fruit Company of Lethbridge, Alberta, being in sole charge of your selling organization, has promised the board of the Exchange to render services that will get for the growers 100 per cent. consumption and highest possible results. Therefore, we request that you join up 100 per cent. strong. Yours on behalf of the B.C. Fruit Company, Lethbridge.

A. LINDLEY.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stephens are this week moving from the Faas cottage on Victoria Avenue into their fine new home next the English Church rectory. Mr. Bentley and family are moving into the house vacated by the Stephens.

The Kootenay orchestra, which made its first public appearance a couple of weeks ago at the Conservative at home are having weekly practices and will be available for all such functions as well as dances from now on. It is in charge of W. Hendy, with Miss Evelyn Bevan as the other violinist; Geo. Young, piano; Len Mawson, clarionet; Fred Smith, cornet; Geo. Mawson, saxaphone; and Fred Hale, drums.

At the Liberal nominating convention at Nelson on Monday night, John Norcross, a farmer on the Granite Road, near Nelson, was selected as candidate for the Creston riding at a well attended meeting. Mr. Norcross was a prominent speaker in the Farmer-Labor platform along with L. W. Humphrey, M.P., in 1921. Mr. Norcross is at present on a trip to Victoria in connection with some matters affecting his constituency, but will start a tour of the riding early next week, it is expected.

The one act girls boarding school comedy, "The Trouble at Satterlee's," was presented in the Parish Hall on Friday night by the girls' bible class, with Mrs. F. H. Jackson playing the title role, and supported by quite a talented cast including Misses Winnie and Edith Palfreyman, Joyce Moore, Lily Wilson, Nora Payne, and Phyllis Hamilton. In addition to the play there were a couple of choruses by the class and solos by John Hall, jr., and Winnie Palfreyman, the accompanists being Misses Jan Hall and Edith Palfreyman. There was quite a good turnout of Christ Church parishoners and the collection taken goes to the nickel fund.

Annual Payroll $50,000,000.00

LUMBERMEN PAY HUGE PROPORTION OF WAGES IN B.C.

Sum Exceeds Provincial Revenue for Last Three Years.

This estimate is not a rough and ready one, but is carefully calculated from the latest statistics made available by the Workmen's Compensation Board, the Department of Labor, Victoria, and the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

There are over 3,600 firms exclusively engaged in the production, manufacture and handling of B.C. wood products. They may be divided into three classes:

Class 1 (Raw material)—2,653 firms, includes logging operations, pole, post and tie-camps, timber cruisers and forest engineers, scalers, inspectors and timber brokers.

Class 2 (Manufacture) — 555 firms, includes sawmills, planing, lath and shingle mills, veneer plants, sash and door factories and concerns manufacturing B.C. woods into furniture.

Class 3 (Distribution) — 413 firms, includes lumber exporters, wholesalers, lumber dealers, accountants, inspectors and woolyards.

There is also a fourth class, which might comprise the tug-boat owners solely engaged in boom and raft towing and the firms exclusively manufacturing logging and sawmill equipment. (This class is not included in the present estimate).

Fifty million dollars is a huge sum. It represents at least one-third of the total industrial payroll of the Province of British Columbia and at a conservative estimate proves the means of support for at least a quarter of its total population.

Anglican Church Services

SUNDAY, MAY 18

CRESTON 9 and 11 a.m. — SIRDAR 7.30 p.m.

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H. B. Somerville's glowing romance of France in the Sixteenth Century—an age-old feud—a searing hatred—a noble in bondage to his enemy through a debt of honor—the challenge of a woman's scorn—and out of the bondage, an all consuming love.

Grand Theatre : SATURDAY, MAY 24

Spring is on the Way

Therefore a few of your requirements will be

= SEEDS! =

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Grimm's ALFALFA, No. 1 — — — 75c. lb.
Medium Red CLOVER, No. 1 — — 50c. lb.
Dwarf Essex RAPE — — — — — 20c. lb.
Giant SUNFLOWER — — — — — 20c. lb.

See our windows for other Seeds, etc.

CRESTON MERCANTILE COMPANY

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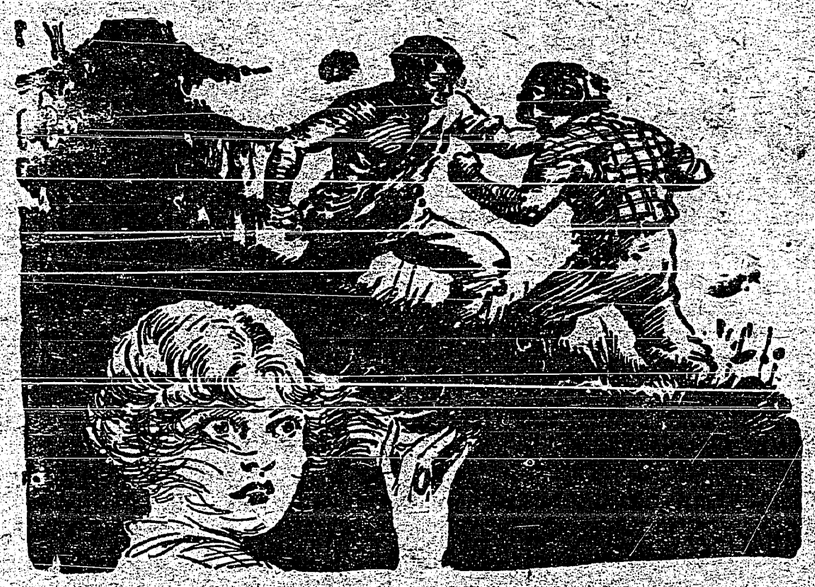
GRAIN RATION for Cows, $1.65.

Burns standard Fertilizer. Nitrogen 6%, Phosphoric Acid 10%, Potash 4 per cent. For Strawberries Phosphoric Acid is very necessary. Nitorgen is available for immediate use in the form of Nitrate of Soda and the balance from organic source.

In a dry time plant food that is available early is essential. Use Standard Fertilizer and increase the yield.

CHAS. MRRRELL

Grand Theatre : SAT., May 17



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'The Spoilers'

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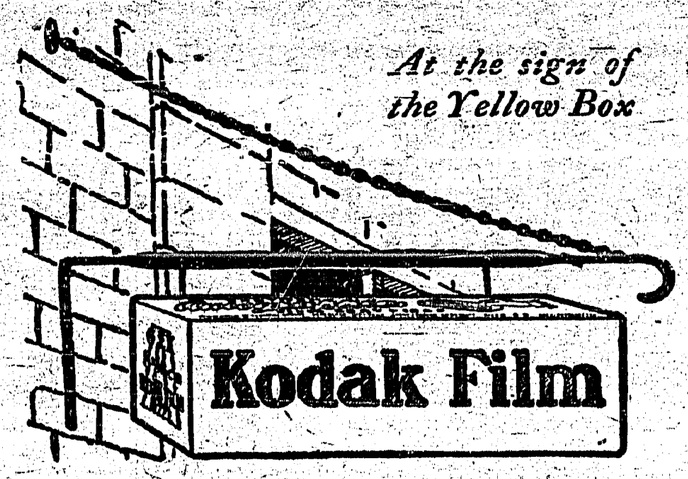
Milton Sills, Anita Q. Nilsson, Barbara Bedford, Robert Edeson, Mitchell Lewis, Noah Beery, Wallace McDonald, Ford Sterling, Rockliffe Fellowes, Louise Fazenda, Sam de Grasse and others.



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Local and Personal

Customers of the P. Burns butcher shop are now being supplied with fresh killed grain fed beef from Alberta. A carload of these cattle were unloaded at the end of the week, and this class of meat will continue to come in until a local supply of equal quality is available.

From present appearances there will be quite a good turnout of Creston people at the community picnic at Porthill on Sunday, May 18th, which is billed for 12 o'clock noon. There will be speechmaking and the Creston baseball club will meet the Porthill nine in the first game of the season.

Messrs. G. J. Bayles, M. J. Boyd, C. F. Hayes and Alex. Lidgate were the delegates from town to the Liberal nominating convention at Nelson on Monday night. The number of delegates from the other polling places in Creston Valley was the largest ever ever seen at a Liberal nominating convention.

8 The last chance to get on the voters list will be provided on Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning next at Creston. An evening sitting of the court of revision will be held at Kitchener on Tuesday, and a noon and short afternoon session at Wynndel on Wednesday. See official announcements elsewhere.

Lorne A. Campbell, manager of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Rossland, was a business visitor here on Friday and Saturday, in company with W. J. E. Biker of Nelson, the water rights branch engineer, and spent most of their time on an observation tour of the flood situation on Kootenay Flats.

Bob Stephens had quite a close call from a serious mishap on Thursday night last when the horse he was riding shied at an automobile whilst crossing the Goat River bridge. Swerving suddenly in front of the car the horse had its front legs broken and had to be shot, whilst Mr. Stephens was severely shaken up.

J. F. Robinson, who recently moved here from Edmonton, Alta., will have charge of the Methodist Church services in Creston for the next two Sundays, and for evening worship on the 18th it is announced that a real song service will be held. Jas. Adlard is taking the services at Canyon and Lister in the absence of Mr. Knox.

The ladies are reminded of the May-Day Fair the Ladies' Guild of Christ Church are holding in the Parish Hall, Saturday afternoon, May 17th, from 2.30 to 6 o'clock. There will be a sale of plain sewing, produce, home cooking, candy and ice cream, while the afternoon tea will be served in the popular cafeteria style. Everybody is invited.

15,000 eastern brook trout were shipped in from Nelson hatchery on Saturday last in charge of one of the hatchery officials who, with the assistance of Fred Smith and Milt Beam immediately transported them to Corn Creek, where they were turned loose. 25,000 of the same species went through the same day to be put in Meadow Creek at Kitchener.

Cranbrook Roman Catholics are planning to erect a new church.

J. ADLARD

Auto and House PAINTER

Estimates given. : *CRESTON*

WATER NOTICE

USE AND STORAGE

Take notice that the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Limited, whose address is Rossland, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use 678,500 acre feet and to store 678,500 acre feet of water in low water period out of Kootenay Lake, which flows westerly and drains into Columbia River at Castlegar.

The storage dam will be located at Granite, B.C.

The capacity of the reservoir to be created is about 678,500 feet and it will flood no privately-owned land. The water will be diverted from the stream at the dam site at Granite and used at the works of the Company on Kootenay River, and will be used for power purposes appurtenant to the works and undertakings of the Company.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 8th day of May, 1924.

A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto, and to the Water Act, 1914, will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder, at Nelson, B.C.

Will be used in connection with and under the powers granted under Special Act now held by the Company.

The petition for the approval of the undertaking as per Section 73 of the Act will be heard in the office of the Board of Investigation at a date to be fixed by the Comptroller, and any interested person may file an objection thereto in the office of the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., or the said Water Recorder, within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

The date of the first publication of this notice May 10, 1924.

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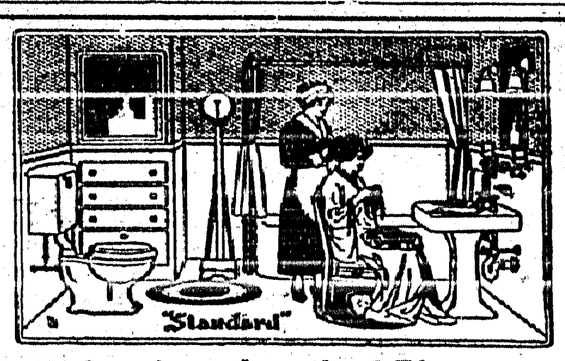

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The Time To Get Busy

With the month of March drawing to a close Western Canada makes ready for that annual renewal of activities characteristic of the country. While all Canada is, broadly speaking, a country of seasonal occupations, this is especially true of the Western prairie provinces. In the East manufacturing proceeds throughout the year, but the greatest period of activity is in the summer. The men who labor in the lumber mills in the summer, disappear in the woods during the winter, felling the trees to make summer operations in the mills possible. But even in the East the coming of Spring means the beginning of real activity.

Here in the West, with the exception of coal mining in Alberta, the coming of Spring is the signal not only for the commencement of farm operations, but for renewed building operations, the carrying forward of municipal works of all kinds, road building, railway construction—in a word, all those activities to which a stop is put during winter weather.

It means the opening of navigation on Canada's lakes and rivers, the inauguration of the immigration rush, a veritable Rip Van Winkle awakening from the slumber of winter.

And with this great awakening at hand it behooves the people of Canada to resolve as individuals and as a nation to make the most of 1924. New Year's Day may fall on January 1, but Canada's real New Year's comes with the passing of winter and its more or less enforced idleness, and the advent of Spring with all its opportunities and possibilities.

The year presents itself as one full of promise. Business conditions throughout the Dominion have been steadily improving. Betterments have been recorded from month to month for some time past in Canadian trade returns, in Bank Clearings, in railway earnings, in the declining number of commercial failures, in all those things whereby we measure the material progress and welfare of a country. And the business barometer is raising; it indicates fair weather ahead.

Coupled with these favorable signs is a grim determination in evidence in all directions to "go easy" in the matter of immediately unnecessary expenditures and the accumulation of debt. The watchword in Canada today is "strict economy" consistent with efficiency and service. The popular demand is not for further large public expenditures, which means more debt, but retrenchment and debt reduction leading to lessened taxation.

These are all favorable symptoms in the body politic. But something more is required to provide that added impetus so essential to a real revival of productive activity throughout the whole Dominion. With the commencement of building operations each year, there crops up the question of wage schedule, hours and conditions of labor, etc., etc. After a winter of idleness, artizans and laborers under the direction of their Union leaders, make demands for the maintenance of wages at the old war-time peak. The miners ask for it, so do the lumbermen, and the transportation workers, and finally the artizan and laborer. The net result is that building costs are so high that construction works of all kinds are discouraged and abandoned because it becomes unprofitable for the man with money to invest to proceed.

Instead of the wheels of industry beginning to revolve and gather momentum as they should, they are clogged at outset; instead of employment becoming general, another period of almost winter stagnation ensues. Valuable time is lost and a month or more of our all too short building season is gone before anything worth while can be accomplished.

The workers are thus standing in their own light and sacrificing their own best interests. Acceptance of a somewhat lower and more reasonable wage in view of existing conditions would soon develop a situation where there would be steady employment for all; work would be available earlier in the year and with the volume of work started would continue later in the Fall. In the long run each man would earn more in the season through the additional length of time employed, while the number to be employed would be vastly increased.

As a result of the greater activity, larger sums of money would be placed in active circulation, all business would benefit, and, because of larger turnovers by merchants, prices of necessities to the consumer would be lowered, thereby giving a greater purchasing power to the worker's day's pay and more than compensate for the fact that such pay was somewhat smaller than he was inclined to demand.

The best interests of our people, and of Canada as a country demands that, with the opening of our annual season of activity, every person get to work just as quickly as possible and work with diligence and unremitting vigor until winter again steps in and crys a halt. What Canadians should aim at this year is not a minimum of working hours, but the full maximum of which they are capable consistent with proper protection of health and the unimpairment of their mental faculties and physical strength.

Spring Shows and Sales

The annual spring livestock show and sale at Calgary is scheduled for March 26 to 28, Edmonton, March 31 and April 1, while the annual bull sale at Lacombe will take place on June 3 and 4.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Remover, which is entirely safe to use, and certain and satisfactory in its action.

Self-made men are yet in an imperfect state. They haven't eliminated the noise.

CHILDREN CRY FOR "CASTORIA"

Especially Prepared for Infants and Children of All Ages

Mother! Fletcher's Castoria has been in use for over 30 years as a pleasant, harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Teething Drops and Soothing Syrups. Contains no narcotics. Proven directions are on each package. Physicians everywhere recommend it. The kind you have always bought bears signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Belgian coal output for January was 2,000,000 tons, the greatest since the armistice.

King George will not race his big yacht, Britannia, this year, in consequence of lack of competitors in her class.

The British Government does not feel it can intervene officially with the Russian Soviet Government to obtain release of Catholic Church dignitaries imprisoned in Russia.

The first list of aJpanese army officers dismissed as a part of the army limitation policy adopted by the government in 1922 has been published. It includes 13 lieutenant-generals, 40 major-generals and 180 colonels.

Page boys in London hotels are learning to speak French. The managers say it will be helpful both to boys and guests when the crowds begin arriving in April for the great British Empire Exhibition at Wembley.

The ground floor of a magnificent wing of one of the most imposing imperial palaces of Vienna soon is to be opened to the public as a fashionable restaurant, cake shop and wine room. In the last named will be dispensed the choicest vintages of the former imperial cellars.

HOME TREATMENT SAFE AND EFFICENT

Ailing People Made Strong By Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do one thing, and do it well. They build up the blood, increasing the number of red corpuscles. As this is done the blood becomes a richer red and is able to carry more oxygen, the great supporter of human life. As the blood improves in quality the tissues of the body are better nourished and the functions of the body are better performed. This is the reason Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been so successful in the treatment of diseases due to poor, thin blood, and it is also the reason why they are so successful in building up strength after fevers and acute diseases. Among those who have used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with great advantage is Mrs. Helena B. Taylor, Hanover, Ont., who says: "Not long ago I was critically ill. The trouble started with anaemia and a run-down system, and ended with pleurisy. I was confined to my bed for three months and three doctors were in attendance at different times. My life was despaired of, and I was practically living on doctors' medicine, because I could not eat. My friends did not expect me to recover. During my girlhood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had brought me through a severe attack of anaemia, and my mother urged that I should try them again. The doctor could not understand why we wanted to try these pills, but we decided to do so. After taking six boxes a decided change was taking place. I was actually getting hungry and anxious to live. After using twelve boxes a miracle was worked. I could walk and felt my strength coming back, and people on all sides were asking what was helping me, and we were not slow in telling them it was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. With my health fully restored through the use of these pills I am a striking example of what this wonderful medicine can do, and now I never see a pale or sickly-looking girl or woman that I do not feel like going up to her and asking why she does not take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

You can get these pils through any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Alberta Coal Production

Total coal production in Alberta for 1923 was 6,866,923 tons, compared with 5,976,432 tons in 1922, according to the annual report of the provincial department of mines. Of the 1923 production, a total of 1,382,788 tons was for consumption in the province, 1,937,753 went to other provinces, 83,557 to the United States, and the balance was absorbed by the railways.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to drive out the parasites.

B.C. Seed Potatoes

As a result of a meeting held in Victoria recently of representative potato growers from various parts of the province, the British Columbia Certified Seed Potato Growers' Association will act for educational purposes and the seed will be marketed through the various locals.

Minard's Liniment for Headache

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Ogden's CUT PLUG
Now in Vacuumized Tins

80¢ the ½ lb
always fresh
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The record for the greatest distance ever walked in one day—127 miles, 1,219 yards—is held by Hawes of England.

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

Yeoman Warders Threaten to Strike

The "beefeaters" who guard the Tower of London have threatened to go on strike unless His Majesty's officials see fit to reduce their hours of work. The "yeomen warders," as they are officially termed, and who are all old army sergeants with spotless records, claim they were promised an additional five members to their corps, which would reduce the individual working hours from ten to eight daily. The five have never been appointed.

Should Be Encouraged

Women's attitude towards tobacco nowadays—so far as concerns the men of her household—is one of encouragement rather than opposition, because she realizes that men are better tempered when they smoke.

Miller's Worm Powders act so thoroughly that stomachic and intestinal worms pass from the child without being noticed and without inconvenience to the sufferer. They are painless and perfect in action, and at all times will be found a healthy medicine, strengthening the infantile stomach and maintaining it in vigorous operation, so that, besides being an effective vermifuge, they are tonical and health-giving in their effects.

The plough is generally regarded as the most important tool used by civilized man.

Britain's War Debt to Canada

Adjustment Has Been Reached and Payment Will Be Made Soon

The Canadian Press learns that an adjustment of accounts between Canada and Great Britain with regard to war liabilities has been made, and the amount that Canada is to receive has been settled.

The Dominion will receive from Great Britain certain Canadian bonds and a sum in cash. The whole payment will amount to between $8,000,000 and $10,000,000. The payment will become operative on April 1.

Pains In Back Subdued Sore Chest Relieved

A Nova Scotian Tells How She Overcame Her Troubles With

NERVILINE

"I consider Nerviline the best remedy for a cold, sore throat or tightness across the chest," writes Miss Lucy Mosher, from Windsor, N.S. "For years our home has never been without Nerviline. I had a cold on my chest that fourteen remedies couldn't break up. I rubbed on Nerviline three times a day, used Nerviline as a gargle and was completely restored." It's because Nerviline is so powerful, so penetrating, so sure to relieve congestion, that it is used in most homes, for the prevention and relief of a hundred minor ills. Get a 35c bottle today.

Would End Leprosy

A campaign to raise funds for the treatment of 300,000 lepers in the British Empire has been launched in London. If sufficient funds can be raised it is hoped that Great Britain will be purged of the disease within a generation.

Minard's Liniment for Corns

Near Fresno, Calif., is a fig orchard of 12,000 acres in extent, the largest orchard of its kind in the world.

A Health Secret

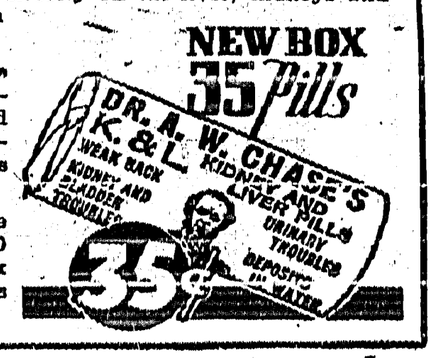
It is frequently claimed by physicians that nine-tenths of all human ills may be traced to neglect to keep the bowels regular and the liver and kidneys active.

The result is an accumulation of poisons in the system which cause pains and aches and give rise to such dreaded diseases as appendicitis, Bright's disease, diabetes, high blood pressure, etc.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the ideal regulators of these vital organs because they act directly on the liver, kidneys and bowels, and ensure a thorough cleansing of the system.

You will notice that while the price of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills has been increased to 35 cents, the box now contains 35 pills instead of 25 as formerly.

Likewise Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is 60 cents a box of 60 pills, instead of 50 cents a box of 50 pills. Edmanson, Bates & Co. Ltd., Toronto.



The Prairie Flower Garden Will Prove Source Of Delight If Proper Methods Are Used

(By G. A. B. Krock, Horticulturist, Canadian Pacific Railway Company)

At one time there was a general impression that wheat and other grains were the only crops that would grow on the prairie, but we know now that in spite of many drawbacks such as short growing seasons, drought and at times severe winter weather, many vegetables can be grown and many varieties of flowers.

No doubt a great many of the readers of this have grown flowers around their homes with considerable success, but to those who are still doubtful I would suggest a visit to the many public gardens in our cities and to our government stations, not to mention the numerous private gardens which are being constructed in larger numbers every year.

Having decided to make a flower garden you will have to choose the style of garden you want and where you will have it. I would recommend what is known as the "mixed border" rather than formal flower beds, it being less trouble and cost to maintain and more in keeping with the general surroundings. Place the border to the side or back of the lawn and do not make it too prominent a feature in the front yard.

Of course you will have to look to the soil, you don't want it too light and sandy, as it will not hold moisture, neither do you want a heavy clay which is too hard to work, but you should aim to get a soil between these two extremes, one that will be rich and hold the moisture and easy to work. A heavy clay soil can be improved by adding plenty of manure.

The next consideration is the preparation of the soil. This should have been attended to last Fall, but we will assume that you had not then decided on making a garden, so that you will not feel that you neglected an opportunity. However, as soon as the frost is out of the ground sufficiently this spring, I would advise you to have it dug deeply with a fork or spade, and if the soil be poor see that some well rotted manure is worked in during the digging process.

As it is too early to start work on the land, I would suggest that you secure a seed catalogue from some reliable seedsman. Now you will have an interesting time choosing among the many different kinds of plants, and possibly some worry, if you do not know what plants you want to grow.

Let us first consider the hardy annuals as they are the easiest to grow. They require no artificial aid, such as hotbed or greenhouse, but grow and bloom freely in the open air. The seed should be sown outdoors as soon as the ground can be worked freely. The following kinds are best for the prairie country: Sunflower, Sweet Peas, Centaurea or Cornflower, Marigold, Poppies, Calliopsis, Dwarf and Climbing Nasturtiums, Phlox, Drummondi, Mignonette, Candytuft, California Poppy, Portulaca, Calendula and Sweet Alyssum.

If you wish to obtain extra early bloom, you should sow seed of Marigold, Centaurea, Nasturtium and Phlox indoors in shallow boxes about the middle of March. Put two or three inches of sandy loam in the box, sow your seed and cover twice the thickness of the seed, pressing the soil down with a board or the palm of your hand.

When they are well out of the seed-leaf they should be planted in other boxes, in rows about three inches apart to allow them room to grow and make strong plants. They should be planted in their permanent places about the middle of May.

Of the half-hardy annuals there are several that you can use to advantage such as Aster, Flowering Tobacco Plant, Zinnia, Stock, Verbena, Petunia, Pyrethrum (Golden Feather) and Lobelia. All of these can be raised indoors from seeds as outlined for the hardy annuals but would advise planting them outdoors a little later, say about the first week in June, or when danger of frost is over.

As there are few biennials worth the trouble to plant, we will not stop to consider them.

Passing on to the perennials, we find many old favorites such as Golden Glow, Canterbury Bell, Columbine, Bleeding Heart, Larkspur, Iris, Perennial Phlox, Paeony, Cypsophilla, Oriental and Iceland Poppy, Sweet William, Pinks and Pyrethrum Roseum.

I would not advise to raise all of these from seed, but rather buy the roots or plants. There are a number, however, that would not be difficult to raise from seed, but you would not get much bloom the first year. Perennials can be left in the ground over winter, but should be covered with strawy manure or other litter.

Of the less hardy varieties, I might mention the Dahlia, roots of which may be planted in the spring, will give a good show of bloom during the late summer, but the roots must be dug up after the first few frosts and stored in cellar over winter. The Foxglove and Hollyhock are very desirable plants but are not hardy enough to stand a severe winter.

We will assume now that planting has arrived and that you are going to start on your mixed flower border. I would advise you to start in a small way and gradually increase as you become familiar with plants and their requirements. For a start you could have a border from 5 to 10 feet wide and from 20 to 30 feet long, or even less, it depends on the time and money you wish to spend on it.

Frogs, toads and serpents never take food except that which they are certain is alive.

The history of mirror making in England dates from 1670.

NO MORE WEAK and DIZZY SPELLS Since She Used MILBURN'S Heart and Nerve Pills

Miss Bertha Charrette, Regina, Sask., writes:—"I have had a lot of trouble lately, with what I thought was heart trouble, and after any unusual exertion I always felt sick.

My doctor advised a complete rest and change, but this I was unable to take.

I became interested in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, so started taking them. I have now taken three boxes and am so much improved I can go about my daily work without feeling any after ill effects, and have not had any weak or dizzy spells for some time. Your medicine has done me more good than anything I have ever taken, and I will gladly recommend Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills to any woman who is weak and run down."

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Toronto, Ont.—"From the time of my earliest girlhood I had always heard my mother speak in highest praise of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription for women's ailments; so it is not at all strange that after I married and had backaches, nervous spells and other distresses that I should remember what my mother had always said of this Prescription, and I found it relieved me of my aches, pains and nervousness. It gave me renewed health and strength and so greatly benefited me that I have no hesitancy in saying that Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription is absolutely perfect as a tonic and nervine for women who are ailing or nervous."—Mrs. Rose Craig, 257 Sackville St.

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

Radio In Canada

Mystic and Cheering Bond Linking Town and City Together

Revived interest in radio in Canada is revealed in figures issued recently by the Federal Government Department of Marine. Since December last 11 licenses for broadcasting stations have been issued by the department, making a total of 45 broadcasting stations in Canada. The new stations are, by provinces, located as follows: Ontario, 5; Nova Scotia, 1; Quebec, 1; British Columbia 2 and Alberta 2.

Montreal leads in the number of receiving licenses issued to amateurs with 6,600, while in Toronto 3,400 have paid, and the work of collecting the license fees is not nearly completed. Approximately 29,039 radio licenses have been issued to amateurs in Canada up to January 31st, according to the records of the Department of Marine.

Radio is playing an important part in the colonization of Canada. What were regarded before the advent of radio as isolated farmsteads in parts of the country, some distance from railways and settlements, are now linked with half the continent by the mystic and cheering bond of radio-telephony so that isolation and distance appear to be, in many respects, only meaningless terms.

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An Old Coat

My coat and I live comfortably together. It has assumed all my wrinkles, does not hurt me anywhere, has moulded itself on my deformities, and is complacent to all my movements, and I only feel its presence because it keeps me warm. Old coats and old friends are the same thing.—Hugo.

Will Use Gigantic Flashlight In An Attempt To Be Made To Send A Message To Mars

Shall we at last get a message to Mars? It has been known to astronomers that next August the red planet will be nearer to us than ever in the past fifteen years. During this time science has been busily perfecting instruments for communicating with Mars, and from time to time announcements have been made of intended attempts.

The greatest of all attempts to reach Mars will be made by a series of light flashes from the summit of the Jungfrau, in the Swiss Alps.

A gigantic electro-heliographing apparatus is already being installed, which will concentrate the rays from the dazzling snowfields and hurl them in a super-searchlight beam millions of miles through interstellar space.

It is the same idea as the headlight of a motor car. This consists of a glass lens concentrating the beams, an electric bulb and a concave mirror to serve as a reflector.

The idea of light communication with Mars has often been suggested. It was considered possible to get the necessary amount of light and to concentrate it, but the problem has always been how to make a gigantic mirror miles square, sufficiently powerful to reflect the rays millions of miles through the air.

On the Jungfrau the question is solved. A neighboring mountain presents an enormous concave slope of shining snow. Innumerable great calcium flares will take the place of the electric bulb in the motor headlight, and a huge double lens capable of being pointed like a cannon will be set on the topmost peak to throw the rays against the snow-reflector, and so up through space to Mars. Ten thousand giant calcium flares, and a reflector more than three miles in diameter, will develop a light roughly estimated at two million billion candlepower!

It is with this light that science hopes to traverse the 35,000,000 miles that will separate us from Mars in August next. Will the Martians (assuming intelligent life exists on that planet) receive and understand our signals? Then will they flash us back a reply?

Some years ago watching astronomers detected what seemed to be a series of light flashes on the planet Mars.

Since then astronomers have watched with even greater care the geometric lines that are by some thought to be canals, and by others lines of vegetation. These change in color as the seasons pass, from red to yellow, and to brown, in the same way as our own landscape changes. If these changes indicate the existence of vegetable life on Mars, human life is only one step further.

Mars is older than the earth, and its inhabitants, if there be any, have had some millions of years longer to develop.

This is the system that will probably be used from the Alps. Two light flashes a few seconds apart, then another two; then, after a pause, four flashes. If there are Martians to catch the signal, they will realize that reason is behind them. Perhaps they will answer in the same way. If their answer is sent back immediately the whole thing would take less than seven minutes, for light travels 186,000 miles per second.

No less important than the sending of the message is the catching of a possible reply.

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Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn or corn between the toes, and the foot callouses, without soreness or irritation.

Saskatchewan Creamery Butter

The actual output of creamery butter in Saskatchewan last year was 10,867,010 pounds, according to the dairy commissioners' report. This was an increase of 1,965,865 lbs. over the production of 1922, indicating the rapid development now taking place in the dairying industry in the province.

The Liver Is the Road to Health

If the liver is right the whole system is better off. Carter's Little Liver Pills awaken your sluggish, clogged-up liver and relieve constipation, stomach trouble, inactive bowels, loss of appetite, sick headache and dizziness. Purely vegetable. You need them.

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WANTED—Berry pickers and packers. J. W. Vaness, Alice Siding.

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Banjo, complete with case and instruction book, $10. Mawson Brothers.

COWS FOR SALE—Two fresh milch cows for sale. Apply Paul Ofner, Wynndel.

FOR SALE—Bees and supplies. For further particulars apply to Geo. Hood, Creston.

FOR SALE—Early Jersey Wakefield cabbage plants, 75 cents per 100. R. Stewart, Creston.

FOR SALE—Coleman table lamp, used slightly, in first-class shape, $10. Mawson Brothers.

Tomatoes, cabbage, cauliflower, and variety of bedding plants for sale. Jas. Cook, Creston.

WAGON FOR SALE—Steel skein Adams wagon, in first-class shape. S. A. Speers, Creston.

WANTED—Double bed, and bureau. For sale, ladies' bicycle, in good shape, $20. F. Knott, Canyon.

Mrs. Jessie Lewis, teacher of piano, forte, Royal Academy of Music, London, Lamont Bldg., Creston.

FOR SALE—Cedar and canvas rowboat and oars, in good shape. Capt. J. A. P. Crompton, Creston.

FOR SALE—Two choice dairy cows, in full milk, one Jersey and one Ayrshire. Thos. Goodwin, Creston.

Capt. and Mrs. Crompton and son, Frank, are having a short holiday visit with friends in Proctor at present.

H. Clark of the Greenwood branch is relieving F. Wallace, teller at the Bank of Commerce, who is away on vacation.

Reap the harvest of the air. Complete radio sets $48 up. We also supply parts and install sets. J. W. Vaness, Creston.

FOR SALE—Three milch cows, one just freshened; also one heifer due to freshen this month. H. Parkinson, West Creston.

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

FOR SALE—Thorough good mare, weight about 1500 lbs., splendid worker. For full particulars apply Jess Filmer, Canyon City.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church have their May meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the manse, at 3.30 o'clock.

There will be no services in the Presbyterian Church for the next two Sundays. Sunday school will be held, however, at the usual hour.

Public school inspector Manning is paying an official visit to the Creston school this week, and is accompanied by Mrs. Manning and young son.

FOR SALE—Two mares, 6 years old, in fine condition, broke to drive or ride and good for general farm work, going cheap. John Davis, Camp Lister.

WANTED—Competent general manager for the Co-Operative Fruit Growers' Association of Wynndel, B.C. Apply at once to O. J. Wigen, Wynndel.

Rev. G. Knox left at the first of the week for Vancouver, where he is attending the annual session of the B.C. Methodist Conference. He will be absent for at least two Sundays.

Vic Mawson left on Monday for Nelson and expects to be away for possibly a month, taking specialist treatment for his eyes, which have been troubling him seriously of late.

Sheriff Doyle of Nelson was a between-trains visitor here on Wednesday and chaperoned the Creston delegates to the Conservative convention on their trip to that city the same afternoon.

The examination results of the University of B.C. were announced at the end of the week, and show that Miss Frances Lyne is the only student in second year nursing to make a complete pass.

At the annual meeting of the Creston Valley Conservative Association on Wednesday night last Major Mallandaine was re-elected president, with J. W. Hamilton the unanimous choice for secretary.

RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY FOR SALE—Five-room house with cellar; screened-in porch on two sides, splendid location, on two lots, set out to fruit trees, shrubs, etc. Apply Mrs. Jas. Stocks, Creston.

Members of Creston Masonic Lodge are reminded that W. Bro. W. F. Attridge, D.D.G.M., will pay Creston Lodge an official visit on Monday evening, May 19th, and a full turnout of members and sojourning brethern is desired.

SIX GREAT DAYS of Entertainment and Education

Chautauqua
Creston, June 2,3,4,5,6,7

Parties who have rhubarb for sale will be interested in this week's announcement of Creston Valley Produce Company, Manager Nelson stating that he is in the market for all the rhubarb offering.

T. Menzies of Comox was a visitor here on Tuesday when he had a conference with the members of the Native Sons of Canada with a view to getting the organization into more active operation.

At the May meeting of Creston Valley Women's Institute practical interest in Creston's Fall fair was shown by a vote of $20 for special prizes. This amount is double that given any previous year by the ladies.

Justice MacDonald of the Supreme Court of B.C., Vancouver, was a week-end visitor with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Garland. He was en route from Nelson to Fernie, at which latter place the assizes opened on Tuesday.

A wonderful improvement has been worked in the exterior appearance of the Mawson Bros. store and the Pacific restaurant building, which have just received a new dress of cream and green at the hands of Painter Bush.

The date of the B.C. provincial election has been definitely fixed for Friday, June 20th, with the nomination of candidates to take place three weeks earlier. It is expected that Russell Leamy will be the returning officer.

It is announced that the Bishop of Kootenay will be here for the 1924 confirmation service in Christ Church on the evening of Thursday, May 29th. A reception will be tendered his lordship in the Parish Hall after service.

The abundance of milch cows in Creston Valley has had the effect of bringing the price of dairy butter down to 35 cents, after a prolonged stay at 45 cents. This is the lowest price dairy butter has touched for several years.

Parties who have cattle pasturing on the flats are hereby notified to remove the same before midnight on Saturday, May 17th, as after that time it is the intention to close up all gates and fences.—Creston Valley Stockbreeders' Association.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Speers and Mrs. Henderson were visitors with Spokane friends a few days this week, making the trip by motor and returning yesterday. They found the weather just as hot and dry and the roads as dusty across the line as here.

Many friends here will hear with regret of the death at Fort Steele, on Tuesday morning of R. L. T. Galbraith, who up till about two years ago was Indian agent for the Kootenay, and a frequent visitor at Creston. He was 83 years of age.

The lots next Christ Church on which the residence of good roads foreman Davies stood before the fire of about a year ago, have just been purchased by Mrs. W. K. Brown who will likely erect a bungalow on them a litttle later in the season.

Postmaster Gibbs has rendered the public an appreciated service by installing quite a large clock in the lobby of the postoffice from which all interested can get the correct time each day, as the timepiece is set to C.P.R. time every twenty four hours.

Matthew Wilson, of Kelowna, liquidator of the O.U.G., was here on Wednesday in conference with officials of the Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange, who have taken over the Union buildings, the sign of the new firm making its appearance on Wednesday.

Miss Cline, an advance lady of the Chautauqua, was here on Tuesday and Wednesday, making preliminary arrangements for the big six-day show which opens at Creston on June 2nd. Jas. Adlard is the 1924 Chautauqua chairman, with J. D. Siddons, secretary.

"The World and His Wife," which will be presented by the Players Club of the University of B.C., at the Grand Theatre on Wednesday night, is a comedy of a different sort and at the popular price of 75 cents, should draw well. The story deals with the evils of gossip, with a tension that never relaxes and culminates in a most dramatic climax. Curtain is at 8.15 prompt.

The necessary charter for the erection of Creston into a village is expected from Victoria almost any day now and all preparations are completed for completing all the other details incidental to the holding of an election of three permanent commissioners. Residents within the village area are asked to hold up payment of their provincial taxes as the village is sure to be fully incorporated reasonably next month.

Card of Thanks

Jas. W. Fraser and family take this means of expressing their appreciation of the kindnesses and sympathy shown them in their recent bereavement.

PROVINCIAL ELECTIONS ACT

Creston Electoral District

Notice is hereby given that I shall, on the dates and at the places and times hereunder mentioned, hold adjourned sittings of the regular Court of Revision under the above Act, to be held at Nelson on the 19th day of May, 1924, in accordance with notices published in the British Columbia Gazette and certain local newspapers and posted up in various public places in said electoral district, as follows, viz:—

May 20, 1924, from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Police Office, Creston,
May 20, from 7 to 9.30 o'clock in the evening, at the Kitchener Hotel, Kitchener.
May 21st, 1924, from 9 to 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Police Office, Creston.
May 21, from 11.30 a.m. to 3 o'clock in the afternoon, at Wynndel Mercantile Store, Wynndel.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 13th day of May, 1924.

J. CARTMEL,
Registrar of Voters,
Creston Electoral District.

HORSE ASTRAY

Came to the premises of the undersigned about April 20th bay ball faced mare, branded SU on left shoulder and EO on left hip. Owner can have same on paying for this notice and immediately removing her, otherwise pasture will be charged at the rate of $15 a month. C. C. FRENCH, West Creston.

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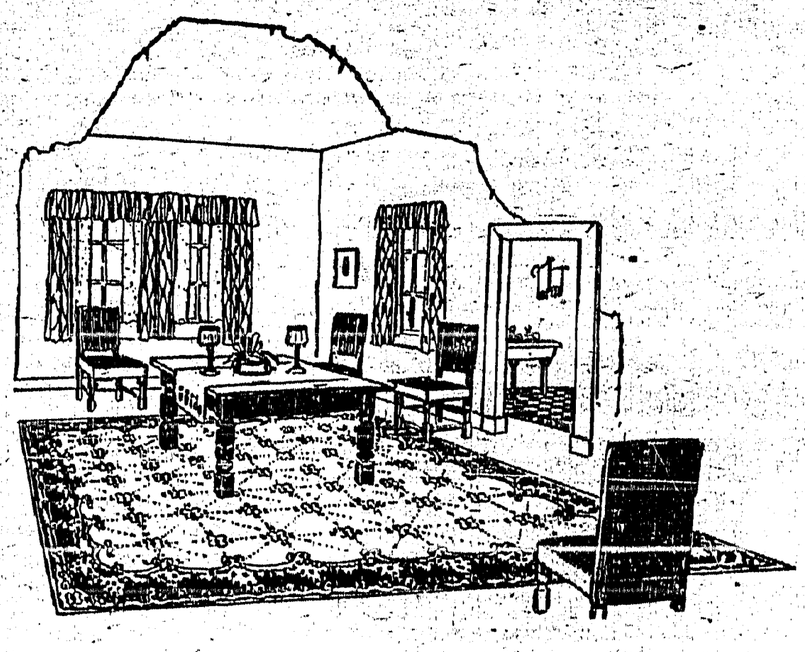

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