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Idaho Disapproves Lake-Level Raise

BONNERS FERRY, Idaho, June 20—The proposal of the West Kootenay Power and Light company to double the capacity of its two plants at Bonnington Falls, B.C., by construction of a dam at Granite to raise the waters of Kootenay lake approximately six feet has brought out opposition in at least two quarters. The Kootenai Valley Commercial club recently passed a resolution protesting against the erection of such a dam on the grounds that it will interfere with the drainage of the river bottom lands in Boundary county; while the Creston board of trade passed a resolution some time ago to the provincial government asking that a full investigation be made before a franchise was issued to the power company.

A. J. Kent, secretary of the Kootenay Flats reclamation project, and international organization favoring the reclamation of the Kootenay Valley, and to whom the resolution of the local club was addressed, has taken the matter up with United States Senator William E. Borah, who in turn has referred it to Secretary of State Chas. E. Hughes, on account of the international questions involved.

The proposed dam would make the West Kootenay company one of the largest power corporations in Canada, giving to their plant a total of 110,000 horse power. The dam itself, as proposed, would be about 1200 feet long. From the standpoint of developing industry in British Columbia the proposed improvement is highly commendable and, it is said, therein lies the danger to the agricultural interests of the Kootenai Valley, for a dam built at the proposed site would raise Kootenay lake six feet above the present low water level.

Just what this would mean is clearly expressed in a letter received by Mr. Kent from S. H. McCrory, chief engineer of the division of agricultural engineering, of Washington, D.C., who, a number of years ago, visited the Kootenai Valley in the interests of his department. The letter follows:

"Dear Mr. Kent, I am in receipt of your letter of May 15 enclosing resolutions passed by the Board of Trade at Creston, B.C., and the Kootenai Valley Commercial club relating to the application of the West Kootenay Power and Light company for permission to erect a dam across Kootenay Lake below Nelson which will raise the low water level of Kootenay Lake about six feet.

"From the information we have available it is not believed that the erection of the proposed dam will materially affect the maximum flood stages in Idaho. However, it is possible that the increase in the low water stage will make it impossible to obtain good drainage for the bottom lands in Idaho. The low water stage at Bonners Ferry is practically the same as that of the lake. Under present conditions the difference in elevation between much of the bottom lands and the low water stage is no more than is required to drain the land, especially after the muck lands have subsided as they undoubtedly will when drained. If the low water level should be raised there is some question whether the bottom land could be reclaimed without pumping."

It is believed that if it can be conclusively shown that the power company's program will effect local drainage to the extent advanced by Mr. McCrory that the dam can be held up through official channels in Washington under existing treaties between the United States and Canada, to say nothing of the pressure being brought against the project from within the dominion itself.

GRAND THEATRE
Saturday, JUNE 28

William Russell
in
"Alias the Night Wind"

Love and Justice were weighed on Doctored Scales

COMEDY
When Wise Ducks Get Together
Fox News

Wynndel

A little informal party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ken. Dewar on Thursday last, and a most enjoyable time is reported by all in attendance.

Miss King of Ainsworth is a visitor here at present, the guest of Miss Agnes Walsh.

The deck of Duck Creek bridge has been renewed, and some needed new planks have been put in the schoolhouse bridge.

Saturday's dance was quite a success in every way. Unfortunately the hall is small and the crowds large, but at that everyone seemed to enjoy themselves. There will be a dance this Saturday night, with an admission of 75 cents to gents, and ladies not bringing refreshments will be charged 25 cents.

Mr. Fletcher, inspector, and Mr. Taylor of the Dominion Express Company, are occupying a small shack that has been erected for their accommodation on the Paul Hagen ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ogilvie and son were Harrop visitors last week.

Miss Phyllis Foxall, who has been attending high school at Nelson, is home for the holidays.

Wynndel has two pupils at Creston this week writing on the Entrance exams. They are Adelaide Rosindale and Howard Slingsby.

The feature to the polling here on Friday was the substantial vote rolled up for John Norcross, who led the voting, with Mrs. Foster standing second. Wynndel voted in favor of beer by 58 to 33.

Alice Siding

School is due to close today for the summer vacation. Due to the demand for berry pickers the attendance this week has been down to seven.

An additional auto truck has been sent in from Nelson and is being used when required on the rock haul for the hard surface road, which is now built almost as far as the Sherwood ranch.

Victor Carr has just completed the erection of a new packing shed on his ranch here.

Albert Davies, who has been working at Fernie for the past few months, is home on a holiday with his parents at present.

Most all the voters from the Alice Siding section were at Creston on Friday, most of them taking a half day at it, remaining in town for the English Church ladies tea and doing shopping.

Scotty Todd is expected here from Grand Forks next week to take a look over his property interests. The Social Club will give a royal welcome as they certainly do appreciate his kindness in letting them have his house for their dances.

The strawberry shipping is at its peak this week and will be practically at an end before the tenth of July. Due to the excessively dry May the yields have not been up to early-season expectations. The first raspberries will likely be moving before the week is out.

Friday night dances at the Todd ranch have featured the berry season and another is scheduled for this evening which will include a weinie feed.

Lister is Elected; Beer Not Favored

Col. Lister will be Creston's representative in the provincial legislature for the next four years, and at this writing it looks as if the Liberals will continue to hold the reins of government, though until the absentee votes in all the ridings are counted on July 11th no positive statement can be made as to which party will govern.

For the whole riding unofficial returns show Col. Lister to have polled 794 votes, John Norcross 441, and Mrs. Foster 362, whilst in the province the standing of the parties is Liberals and independent Liberals 22; Conservatives 17; Provincial Party 1; Labor 3; Independent 1, and Fort George still in doubt. Premier Oliver was defeated in Victoria, and W. J. Bowser, Conservative leader, suffered defeat in Vancouver whilst the small majority General McRae of the Provincial Party has is likely to be wiped out when absentee votes are counted, he, being replaced with Mrs. Ralph Smith, Liberal.

In Creston Valley the election of Col. Lister does not come as a surprise, but the majority he rolled up, particularly at the Creston village poll, was totally unexpected by both Liberals and Provincials. On the whole Mrs. Foster polled a larger vote than was expected. Following is the vote at Valley polling places:

	Lister.	Norcross.	Foster
Kitchener	30	16	6
Erickson	50	23	10
Canyon City	29	9	34
Lister	69	8	4
Creston	226	97	63
Reclmn Farm	5	5	
Wynndel	25	39	28
Sirdar	15	7	11
Boswell	22	12	18

For the whole Creston riding the unofficial figures show a total vote of 804 for beer, with 718 against, with Creston Valley voting against beer by a show of 395 to 358. The local vote stood.

	For Beer.	Against Beer.
Kitchener	36	11
Erickson	27	38
Canyon City	23	52
Lister	27	38
Creston	157	215
Rec Farm	7	3
Wynndel	58	33
Sirdar	23	5
Boswell	27	22

Lister

Five pupils from the Lister school are at Creston this week writing on the usual midsummer Entrance examinations. They are Frances Malthouse, Jane Huscroft, Dorothy Niblow, Jack Jory and Alex. Mitchell. This is more than double the number of candidates sent up in any previous year.

Quite a number of former residents of Lister were here at the end of the week in order to mark their ballots on election day. Those from Klockmann included Mr. and Mrs. O. Charleson, Mr. and Mrs. Head, R. T. Milner, James Duncan and W. Mitchell.

George Chudley, who arrived back for election day from Klockmann, is remaining for a couple of weeks, and will not be returning until about the middle of July.

Col. Lister left on Sunday for Vancouver, where he is attending a provincial Conservative conference.

Word reached here at the end of the week of the death of Harry Vernon at Thermopolis, Wyoming, about the middle of May, and from the information available it seems that arrangements had been made for the burial of the body at that place. This makes the third death amongst the original Lister settlers, the two others being Mr. Brain and Mrs. Evans. The late Mr. Vernon was a very popular resident of Lister and his death will be heard of with deep regret by a host of friends.

Miss B. Dimmock of Walla Walla, Wash., is a visitor here at present with her aunt, Mrs. Finlay.

Mrs. Ross of Nova Scotia is a Lister visitor at present, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Baker.

The Lister ladies are having a meeting at the schoolhouse on Friday to devise ways and means to make the purchase of an organ for use in church worship and Sunday school. An instrument has been offered them at Grand Forks at a very attractive price and it is hoped that arrangements can be made to secure it for use here.

Election day was very quietly observed at Lister, but the vote polled was fully as heavy as at any other point, the count of the ballots showing Lister 69, Norcross 8 and Mrs. Foster 4. John Finlay had charge of the ballot box, with E. Langston assisting as clerk.

Mrs. F. N. Thompson was a visitor with Nelson friends a few days last week.

Erickson

M. McDougall was a visitor at Kitchener a few days this week trying out the trout fishing at that point.

Mrs. Frank Staples arrived home at the end of the week from a month's visit with friends at Cranbrook and Edmonton, Alberta.

Charlie Botterill, who is working in Spokane, was a weekend visitor with his parents here, making the trip by motor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Clark, who have been living on the E. Fanson place for almost the past year, moved this week to their new home at Canyon.

The cherry shipping season opened here on Thursday last, the first crate of the sour variety coming in from the W. G. Littlejohn ranch.

Mrs. E. Haskins, who has been a visitor with friends at Strathmore, Alberta, for the past month, arrived home on Saturday.

The plasterers are expected to arrive this week to complete the interior of the house Mr. Stocks is building on the former Conway ranch, and which they are hoping to move into early in July.

School closes for the midsummer vacation today, and the term will be brought to a close with a picnic for all the pupils.

Raspberry shipping has already commenced, S. Fraser, Geo. Leadbeater and Ed. Martin each having the first crates, which went east on Tuesday. The strawberry season will wind up in about a week from present appearances.

Seven of the pupils of Erickson school are trying thier luck on the Entrance examination tests at Creston this week, as follows: Floyd Celli, Jeanne Hall, Richard Hall, Joan Kemp, Robert Long, Molly Kemp, Beth Putnam.

The Girls Guild of Christ Church, Creston, are giving a tea and sale of work at the W. H. Kemp home on Tuesday afternoon, and in the evening there will be dancing.

H. S. Pupils Graduate

The following High School pupils have been promoted without departmental examinations, names in order of merit:

Grade IX to Grade X.—Donald Young, Helen Moore, Annaretta McDonald, John Murrell, Edith Crawford, Jim Cherrington, Ivan Staples, Arvilla Cleave, Ivin Compton, Herbert Manuel, Ben Crawford, Marion Learmonth, Jean Craigie, Effie Littlejohn, Glen Messenger, Evelyn Bevan, Charlie Holmes, Nancy Downs, Ruby Lister, Olaf Payne.

Grade X. to Grade XI.—Ernest Stephens, Gladys Webster, Nissie McRobb, Kathleen Littlejohn, Evelyn Hurry, Edith Davies, Robert Moore, John Hall.

Entrance and H.S. Pupils Writing

Eight of the nine schools in the Creston Valley have candidates writing on the Entrance examination tests, which opened at Creston on Wednesday morning, with Miss Laxton supervising the pupils from the outside schools and Miss Wade in charge of the town pupils. A total of 37 scholars are writing, of whom sixteen come from Creston. This is the final day of the examinations, the papers being sent on to Victoria for consideration by the departmental examiners, and it will be at least a month before the list of successfu students will be issued. Those writing are:

Lister—Jane Huscroft, Jack Jory, Frances Malthouse, Thomas Mitchell, Dorothy Niblow.

Canyon City—Lillian Cook, Jeanette Messenger, Stella Speaker, Minnie Strong.

Erickson—Floyd Celli, Jeanne Hall, Richard Hall, Joan Kemp, Molly Kemp, Robert Long, Beth Putnam.

Huscroft—Elmer Huscroft.

Kitchener—Alice Molander.

Sirdar—Will Touhey.

Wynndel—AdelaideRosindale, Howard Slingsby.

Creston—Marguerite Denney, Edward Bush, Will Bush, Charles Cotterill, Edith Couling, Lloyd Couling, Eileen Hendy, Lillian Lewis, Keith Lidgate, Joyce Moore, Allister Ross, Albert Sherwood, Annie Smith, Clarence Staples, Henry Webster, Mabel West.

In the High School section there are fourteen pupils writing in the four distinct classes, as follows:

Preliminary, Grade IX.—Ollie Christie, Jeff Knott, Mary Murrell, Winnie Palfreyman.

Advanced, Grade X.—Edith Palfreyman.

Matriculation and Normal Entrance—Louise Bevan, Marguerite Crawford, Robert Crawford, Hazel Hobden, Eva Holmes, Vera Lister, Eva Webster.

Matriculation—Albert Nickel, Wilfred Hetherington.

Sirdar

Mrs. McKinley and Mr. and Mrs. Perine of Palo Alta., Calif., who have been on an extended trip to Europe, and have just spent a week with their cousin, Mrs. Jones at Kuskanook, left for home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cam spent the week-end with friends in Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of Cranbrook were weekend visitors here to meet the latters's mother and sister, Mrs. Cleland and daughter Joe, of Sunshine Bay, who spent the latter part of the week here.

Betty Walther, who has been a patient in the hospital at Cranbrook for a tonsolitis operation, is doing nicely and will be home in a few days. Mrs. Walther is remaining in Cranbrook with the patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews left last Monday for Beavermouth, to which point he has been transferred. Will Goodman is expected to arrive any day to take the position of permanent night operator.

Will Touhey has been at Creston a few days this week, writing on his Entrance examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennes were election day visitors at Creston, Mrs. Dennes going to the metropolis to consult Dr. Henderson, due to eye trouble.

The body of D. Campbell, who was drowned off the barge at Kootenay Landing on June 14th, was recovered just one week later, and the remains were taken to Nelson in which city the funeral took place on Tuesday.

Mrs. Whiteside was a visitor with Cranbrook friends this week, leaving for the divisional city on Wednesday.

Election day passed off most harmoniously with the electors dividing their votes up amongst the three candidates about as expected. Miss Knott officiated as poll clerk.

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Her rippling laugh at his retort indicated that she appreciated the humor of his allusion. "No," she said, "while we are really horse thieves, and have been discovered by the police with stolen horses in our possession, we trust to the paroled honor of our prisoner, and the sureness of our aim, to hold our captive in subjection."

In this way they travelled three deep during several miles of their journey. They kept up a spirited conversation that covered in its range many topics of interest. College educated himself, Ronald found that his companions' range of reading had covered the works of all well-known authors, which they were both able to discuss with an understanding and intellectual grasp that surprised him. Expressing surprise at their unusual accomplishments in that respect, he asked them how it was. In reply Mr. Fraser told him that, feeling the disadvantages under which they were placed, by being so far removed from schools and other advantages for their daughter, they occupied the long hours of the winter nights in reading in turns to each other, and in discussing the works they read. He said they found this mode of pastime very interesting, and thus the loneliness of their home life in the lack of neighbors and social advantages were largely overcome.

This interesting information heightened his admiration for his companions. Being of a studious and literary turn of mind himself, their conversation proved to be of intense interest to him, as his also seemed to be entertaining to them. In this way the otherwise tedious hours of the long trip passed most pleasantly.

Gradually, as they advanced, the deep blue haze of the Moose Mountains looming in the distance, and blending more and more with the green of the vegetation, indicated the progress they were making. Though the sun was hot, a light western breeze sweeping over the prairies added not a little to the comforts of the trip. By Ronald the weariness of his two days exertions was forgotten in the pleasure he experienced in the society of the young woman riding by his side. Her sprightly bearing under the strain through which she had passed, and through which she was still passing, indicated a vitality that seemed to surpass human endurance. Showing no sign of weariness, she kept up her part of the conversation with a vivacity and cheerfulness that was most surprising to him.

Toward the late hours of the afternoon they reached the foothills of the mountains. Here, in order to relieve her mother's distress, she decided to gallop ahead, and be the first bearer of the good news. Accordingly setting spurs to her horse, she was soon out of sight over the brow of the first ridge of hills. Within an hour of her departure, they reached the house and soon had their horses coralled. They were assisted in this task by a couple of young men from the settlement, who, on learning of the kidnapping, had come to the ranch to offer their assistance.

Through feelings of delicacy, Ronald remained behind chatting with the men, while Mr. Fraser went into the house to rejoin the family. Both men, Ronald learned, were on transport service during the rebellion. What interested them chiefly was, however, the particulars regarding the abduction. They evidently had learned something of the events from Miss Fraser herself before Ronald arrived, but wishing to hear more of the details, they endeavoured to make him their informant. He accordingly related the facts to them.

Mr. Fraser, in due time appeared at the door and invited them into the house. As Ronald entered the large room, Mrs. Fraser, still showing the signs of distress and anguish she had suffered during their absence, arose to greet him. Taking his extended hand into both her own, she held it clasped, while for a few moments, unable to find words to express herself, she scanned his face with eyes dimmed with tears of joy and happiness. Composing herself, at last she said: "Oh, Mr. MacRae, it was God's Providence that sent you our way when he did to save our child! I cannot find words to express our deep gratitude to you for what you have done for us. But, I am sure, God will reward you."

"Mrs. Fraser, it is sufficient reward for me to have earned your gratitude. I was fortunate to have been in a position to give what help I could at a time when I was needed. We were fortunate in being able to save your daughter in time before harm had overtaken her, and to have her brought home safe to you again. In that itself I feel that I am well rewarded. What I have done, with the assistance of Mr. Fraser, was only doing a duty that any other man would have done in the same position. At the same time, Mrs. Fraser, I thank you for your most kind words."

"Mary has told me what she has gone through, and she feels more than grateful to you for what you have done. It was a sore trial for us while it lasted, but God has been good to us in restoring our daughter to us without harm. While we feel that we shall never be able to repay you for what you have done for us, our gratitude and blessings shall follow you in the years to come wherever you may be."

Deeply interested, the only words Ronald could find to express himself were: "It is kind of you to say that, Mrs. Fraser, and I shall ever bear that fact in mind."

As the two strangers intimated their intention to starting on their return home, Mrs. Fraser persuaded upon them to remain for dinner. She then proceeded to set the table and make perparations for the evening meal. The men, in the meantime, sat around and engaged in conversation till the dinner was prepared. They had not long to wait, for the table set to accommodate six, was soon ready and laden with everything to tempt the appetite. After inviting them to sit in, she went to the stairway and called her daughter, who was dressing for the dinner.

The few moments that preceded the daughter's appearance were exciting minutes for Ronald, who had not yet seen her decked out in female garb. He awaited her appearance with a rapidly pulsating heart. As she entered the room, he immediately arose from his chair at the table and, stepping back, he drew out the chair reserved for her on his left. As she sat down she acknowledged his courtesy with a nod and, smiling, thanked him. Too mentally confused to take note of her appearance, he sat down beside her and carried out his part with sufficient composure to conceal his mental agitation. Trained in the art of table manners, and conscious of common usages, he did his part with a natural ease of manner that attracted no attention from those around him. She, "to the manner born," responded with equal grace.

Mrs. Fraser, presiding at the head of the table and generous to a fault, passed the good things with which her table was supplied, and urged her guests to partake generously. This the appetising food tempted them to do without urging. The two strangers had a long ride of twenty-five miles ahead of them before reaching their homes for the night, there was, accordingly, no pressing on them to prolong their stay. Before leaving, however, they intimated to Mrs. Fraser that, judging from the interest the people of their settlement were taking in the disappearance of her daughter, she need not be surprised if she should have several guests for the following evening. She told them that she would be pleased to see as many of them as felt like coming. "We have lots of room," she said, "we shall be pleased to entertain them the best we can."

After a refreshing bath in the cool waters of the lake, Ronald was strolling along the beach in the direction of the house when Mr. Fraser called him to come and join the family circle on the verandah. Here he had the first opportunity of getting a good look at the young lady as she graced the family life—the young lady around whom his chief interest at the present time centred. As she sat in front of him, now daintily attired in a muslin frock, her nimble fingers deftly working on an intricate piece of embroidery, and at the same time keeping up an animated conversation, this young soldier, so long removed from the social advantages to which he had been accustomed, became deeper and deeper enmeshed in her attractive charms.

Her thick mass of wavy brown hair was neatly arranged with slight waves covering the upper corners of her forehead; thence it was drawn with a wavy sweep along the sides of her head, covering the ears, and gathered in a neat broad roll at the back of her head and neck. Her full blue-gray eyes, encircled by long curved dark lashes, were overhung by dark slightly arching brows and a full intellectual forehead. Her regular features showed strength and refinement, lending a cast to her countenance that would attract attention among many—a face that would be noticed for distinction rather than for beauty. Her skin, while showing evidences of weather tan, still retained its natural unruffled smoothness of surface. In appearance she was the picture of health and perfect physical development. She had that strength of carriage and poise that is characteristic of an athletic and active life in the open.

Ronald took in these details of her personal appearance while engaged in conversation on general topics and matters of local and home interest. This was kept till the dusk of the evening, when Mrs. Fraser suggested retiring and taking a long rest in the morning. This suggestion was readily agreed to by all three weary travellers. They were all commencing to show signs of weariness, especially Mr. Fraser, who, as he sat in his chair, was yielding to nature's demand for sleep.

"Mr. MacRae," said Mrs. Fraser, "your room is the one on the northwest corner at the head of the stairs. I shall leave a light in it for you when you feel like retiring. I hope that you will enjoy a good rest, for I am sure you will need it after all that you have gone through the past two days. Goodnight all."

"Goodnight, mother dear," added Mary, as she hugged and kissed her mother affectionately on retiring.

Ronald was shown to his room a short time after this by Mr. Fraser. It was one of four bedrooms into which the upper floor of the house was divided. While the room, whose rustic walls were whitewashed, was chiefly furnished with rustic handmade furnishings, evidently the handy work of Mr. Fraser himself, it was neat, tidy and clean, and as suggestive of homeyness as the lower apartments of the house. What particularly took his fancy was the white immaculately clean linen sheets between which he was to sleep—a luxury he had not enjoyed since he had enlisted with the Queen's Own Rifles at Toronto four years before, and with which regiment he had served until selected, on account of his skill in horsemanship, to act as scout in advance of the troops. It was a pleasing denouement to an unexpected and exciting two days' adventure. His last thoughts as he yielded to the fatigue that was by now commencing to overpower his vital energies, were of the young woman—thoughts which within the past two days, had become an obsession with him.

(To be continued)

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Wants Separate Irish Currency

Darrell Figgis, a leading independent member of the Dail Eireann, raised the question of a separate Irish Free State currency, the Free State having the right to abandon the British currency and establish one of its own. There seems to be no general public support for this view at present.

"Canada's Oldest Newsie" Dies

Thomas Flaherty, reputed to be Canada's oldest "Newsie," and who for 30 odd years has been one of Fort William's most picturesque characters, is dead at the age of 83. He was a veteran of 21 years' continuous active service in the Imperial Army.

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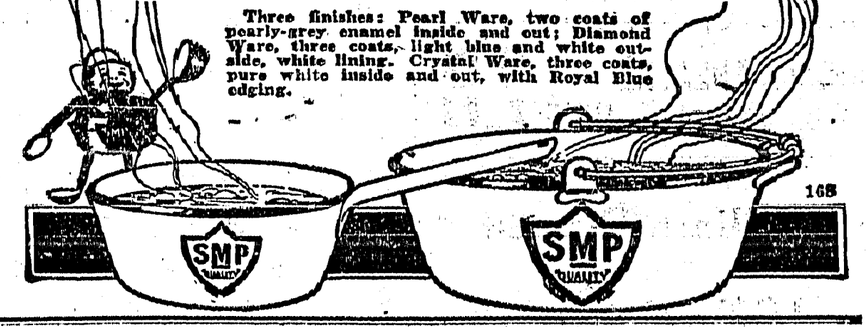

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Production Of Natural Gas

Alberta Second Only to Ontario In Production of Natural Gas

The total production of natural gas in the province of Alberta during the year 1923, according to returns made by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, was 6,135,260,000 cubic feet, in comparison with 5,868,439,000 cubic feet in 1922. The province in this regard is second only to Ontario, which produced in 1923 a total of 7,900,000,000 cubic feet.

The total production of crude petroleum in Alberta in 1923 was 6,559 barrels compared with 4,525 barrels in 1922. Natural gas is now in use in four cities in Alberta.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A committee was appointed in the House of Commons to inquire into the subject of old age pensions.

Abolition of British duties on dried fruits will have a stimulating effect on the fruit industry of British Columbia, states H. S. Simpson, manager of the British Columbia Berry Growers' Association.

The Western Canadian hard courts tennis championship will be decided at Regina, Sask., this year, it was decided at a meeting of the Manitoba Tennis Association here. Play will start on August 18.

General Armando Diaz has resigned his post as Minister of War for reasons of health. He will be succeeded by General Antonio Di Giorgi. Gen. Diaz was commander-in-chief of the Italian armies in the Great War.

J. S. Woodsworth, M.P. for Winnipeg Centre, E. W. Guppy and C. Brown, were selected to represent Manitoba labor organizations at the British Commonwealth Labor conference in London, commencing August 18.

The Kingdom of the Netherlands, whose bankers at one time were lenders to the world, recently concluded negotiations with an American banking syndicate for a $40,000,000 loan—its first external borrowing on a dollar basis.

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Edmonton and Calgary Register Strong Interest in "Lightnin's" Coming

With mail orders pouring in and other early indications of heavy attendance, the engagements of "Lightnin'" in Edmonton the week of May 12 and in Calgary the week of May 19, are expected to contribute interesting chapters to theatrical history in the Canadian northwest.

When John Golden first planned to send Thomas Jefferson, Bessie Bacon, Charles E. Evans and a real all-star cast on a tour of the principal Canadian cities, several of his colleagues predicted dire results. The expense of sending such an organization for long jumps through a rather sparsely settled section of the country was regarded by older producers as precluding any chance for profit. But the tour has been a brilliant success, financially as well as artisticaly. An enormous gross was registered during the company's two weeks' engagement in Winnipeg and packed theatres have been the rule in the cities since visited.

During the Edmonton and Calgary engagements the usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be played. The Empire Theatre in Edmonton is now conducting its regular box office sale for the week of the 12th and the Grand Theatre, Calgary, is filling mail order for the week of the 19th.

There are 600 varieties of seaweed in Japan, most of which are used for food or in the manufacture of commercial articles, such as glass, isinglass and iodine.

Corns cripple the feet and make walking a torture, yet sure relief in the shape of Holloway's Corn Remover is within reach of all.

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Famous "Toby M.P.," of Punch Remembers Friends in Will

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Sir Henry left many bequests to hospital and charities in memory of various relatives. The estate is valued at £250,000, on which the state tax amounts to £55,000.

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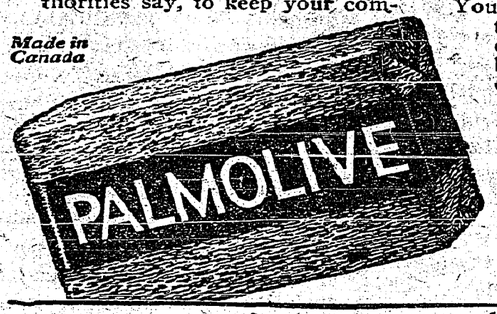

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What Mothers Should Do as Their Daughters Approach Womanhood

If growing girls are to become well-developed, healthy women, their health must be carefully guarded. Mothers should not ignore their unsettled moods or the various troubles that tell of approaching womanhood. It is an important time of life. Where pallor, headache, backache or other signs of anaemia are evident you must provide the sufferer with the surest means of making new blood.

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Drones and Decadence

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Only by overcoming obstacles does one acquire vigor, adeptness and self-reliance. A youth misspent is a life misspent. Luxury is the shoal on which the Persian and Roman civilizations foundered; and it was because generations were born that knew not the urge of necessity. We must remember that one who dies on a mattress of silken floss is as dead as one who perishes on straw. The future is to the workers. When great fortunes begin to breed idlers they become a menace alike to the individual and the nation.—Los Angeles Times.

Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying a reliable remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Industrial Payroll

The approximate industrial payroll of the province of Alberta for the year 1923, including the mining industry, was $62,000,000, according to figures obtainable from the Compensation Board of the Provincial Government.

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Canadian Timber Industry

Important timber development will follow the proposed extension of the Canadian National Railways on Vancouver Island this year. The main line of the National Railways on the Island will be extended to tap important forests, and a branch will be installed to facilitate the shipment of raw timber from the important Cowichan Lake logging areas, one of the largest timber-producing areas in Canada.

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Sidelights of the Campaign

Now that the old order of every day affairs has been restored the opinion is pretty general that the campaign that has just closed was conducted along lines that were quite fair. The two old parties, at any rate, can doubtless enumerate acts and remarks that may seem harsh when viewed through their particular pair of partizan spectacles, but with the rank and file of the electorate the opinion will prevail that, taken all round, all three parties fought a good fight and have no alibis to offer where failure was encountered. The Liberals could very readily set out some things, at least, which seem to indicate that the Conservative workers did not play the game square, and no doubt the Tory campaign managers could just as easily make out the same kind of a case against the Liberals—and no doubt the same thing will apply for and against the Provincial Party—but now the thing is over with no good purpose will be served in fostering any ill will that may have been engendered. If these things cannot be forgotten they should at least be overlooked for the present.

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Now that we are to have another four years of Liberal rule—and with Bowser eliminated as Tory leader—it is to be hoped that the successful candidate—both in and out of the house—will take his position as representative of the Creston riding a little more seriously than he has the past four years. As a representative of all the people less concern for the party and more for the constituents will be appreciated. Excuses for failure to give the people all round service such as were submitted at the closing Tory rally are quite alright for the partizans who received them with such gusto, but the partizans aforementioned do not constitute the majority of the people who are paying the $2000 indemnity, and who are entitled to better service than has been given them in the past four years.

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Much criticism has been levelled at the Review for the prominent part this paper took on behalf of Liberalism. In this connection there are no apologies forthcoming. Any observations we had to make had to do with the Tory candidate as a public servant and our contention is that we have as much right through the columns of this paper to point out the shortcomings of paid officials as our opponents have to criticize Government members and their actions from the public platform or on the street corner.

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After the experience of the Liberals and Provincials in this campaign it is very doubtful if the old-time custom of throwing meetings wide open for question asking will be continued. It has always been somewhat difficult to keep this feature within due bounds, but in the present fight the courtesy was so flagrantly abused that even the theatre management had to have announcement made that unless the thing were done decently and in order force would have to be resorted to to remove the nuisance creators. At meetings of this sort it is quite alright to have questions courteously asked answered in like manner, but when the questioner endeavors to make party capital out of an answer by attempting an argument or making uncomplimentary comment then a fine old British custom is being abused in a manner not appreciated by any others than those who seek to misuse a favor conferred.

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At the outlying points a feature to the campaign was the friendly reception all the candidates received. So far as we can learn attendances at Kitchener, Canyon, Wynndel and Sirdar were almost identical for all three candidates and certainly the oratorical effort was much superior to that ever experienced in any previous election. Creston was particularly fortunate in hearing Alex. Fisher, K.C., of Fernie, at the final Liberal rally In the time at his disposal he gave a well reasoned and as eloquently stated review of provincial affairs as it has ever been the good fortune of a Creston audience to listen to. With the exception of the wind up meeting of the fight when W. K. Esling of Rossland, spoke here, the Conservative candidate had to depend on local speaking talent exclusively and after listening to it and making comparison with the average speaker sent in from elsewhere it makes one wonder why there has been a seeming prejudice against local talent. Our opinion is that the forensic ability of the homsters is even above the standard of the imported spellbinder, and should have greater encouragement.

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In the matter of public meetings Creston is particularly fortunate in having an auditorium of the excellent appointments of the Grand Theatre. Well lighted throughout, comfortable, commodious, pleasing in all its interior arrangement and decoration, and modern in every detail the satisfaction the Grand gives is still further enhanced in the personal service Mr. Rodgers gives at all public gatherings in seeing to it that those attending are given the best seating accommodation available.

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Now that the residents within the village area have got the provincial election off their chest it is hoped immediate and serious consideration will be given the next great question which is that of selecting the three commissioners who will govern Creston village until January, 1926, and who will be elected at polling which is fixed for the end of July. Due to the fact that the commissioners to be chosen next month will have to lay the foundation for local self-government and management of our affairs not only should the village ratepayer be giving good heed to sorting over the citizens generally with a view to having good material to elect from, but should also be doing what can be done by personal encouragement to make sure that at least three of the likely looking ones offer themselves for election. In these times when most people are doing their best to escape community work if the best men for the post of commissioners are to be induced to offer for election these gentlemen are not likely to be forthcoming unless some individual effort in this behalf is made by those who have the best interests of the new village at heart.

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The forest industries of British Columbia rank easily first as providers of revenue to the general business community of the Province.

If any typical line of commercial activity is taken, striking illustrations can be immediately furnished to prove this fact.

For instance, how would the insurance companies in British Columbia fare without the business they derive from the lumbering industries?

The products of the forest are often insured as many as five times between the stump and the retailer:

1. IN THE WOODS—Insurance of logging camps and cut timber.
2. IN THE BOOM—On the way to the mill by water.
3. MANUFACTURED—Insurance of saw mills, shingle mills, box factories, pulp and paper plants.
4. REMANUFACTURED—Insurance of planing mills—sash and door and furniture factories.
5. (a) MARINE — Insurance on lumber exports.
   (b) FREIGHT—Insurance on rail shipments to inland points.
6. IN THE PILE—In retailers' yards.

The timber industries of British Columbia represent an investment of about $190,000,000. The premiums covering the different types of insurance on the property involved would amount to a huge sum.

Again, at a conservative estimate, one-fourth of the population of British Columbia is directly dependent on the timber industries for a livelihood.

The insurance on the lives and properties of the personnel of the "lumbering group" must obviously furnish the companies with the main proportion of their revenue.

Anglican Church Services

SUNDAY, JUNE 29

CRESTON

8.00 and 11 a.m.

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Local and Personal

Any person shall be qualified to be a Commissioner for Creston Village whose name appears on the voters list, and who is the owner of real property within the municipality having an assessed value of at least $500 over and above the amount of all charges and judgments registered against the same.

E. C. Hunt of Nelson, the Kootenay horticulturist, was here on an official visit on Thursday last, and after a look over the valley reports prospects good for an average crop of apples. Wagners are not as heavy as usual, but any shortage in these will be made up by other varieties, notably the Northern Spy, which are setting much heavier than a year ago.

All the available seating space at the Grand was taken on Wednesday night last for the final Liberal rally which was addressed by Alex. Fisher, K.C., of Fernie and John Norcross, the candidate, with O. F. Hayes occupying the chair. The address of Mr. Fisher is generally conceded to be the ablest effort of the sort ever heard in a provincial election campaign in Creston.

The voters list to be used at the first election in Creston Village shall consist of the names of those, being British subjects, male or female, and of the age of twenty one years and upwards, who have during the preceding year paid taxes in respect of property situated within the boundaries of the municipality to the amount of two dollars or more, and those only whose names are on the voters list shall be entitled to vote.

Due to Magistrate Mallandaine being absent from town police magistrate John Leask of Cranbrook had to be called to Creston to try the charges against two Senescal brothers of Kitchener who were in the police court on Tuesday morning for selling liquor illegally. Both were found guilty and were sent down for six months to Nelson jail, police officer Walker of Yahk accompanying them to that city the same afternoon. The charges were laid by provincial police McLaren, who was assisted in the case by the officer from Yahk.

Principal Jones of the public school, who is leaving today to spend the midsummer vacation at the coast, was guest at a surprise party given at the Methodist parsonage on Monday, with a turnout of about thirty-five young people who made merry throughout the evening with oldtime games and other amusements, with strawberries and cream, ice cream, and other refreshments served before the adjournment came. During his six months residence here Mr. Jones has been a great help in the musical line as well as in young people's work, and speeches during the evening gave expression of the appreciation, coupled with the wish that the holiday will be a pleasant one and assurance of a royal welcome back if he decides to return to Creston for another school term.

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.

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Canyon City

Canyon people are reminded of the annual community picnic which will be held this year on Dominion Day, Tuesday, July 1st, at last year's location near the Gowan ranch. Everybody come.

The alfalfa crop at Canyon is well up to the average of other years growing four feet in many places without irrigation. Vetch on irrigated land shows an equally satisfactory growth.

The Canyon poll furnished one of the surprises of last Friday's election? Mrs. Foster, the Provincial Party candidate, having a majority here. Four years ago Canyon went Liberal.

Strawberries are holding up well and are sure to show a yield well up to early season expectations, but they will all be shipped within the next ten days.

Residents in the New Sweden area are hoping to have a return visit from road boss Harris who spent a day or two in that section prior to election. What is wanted is a cutoff or a decided lessening of the grade on the hill at the Johnson ranch.

Tom Hickey has located at Bull River for the present, at which point he and his son, Ernest, have a logging contract with the C.P.R.

Mr. Bentley is getting ready to locate a portable sawmill in the timber on the Whimster place at the Canyon, and will be running shortly on a cut of ties.

Canyon has four public school pupils at Creston this week writing on the Entrance examinations this midsummer. They are: Lillian Cook, Jeanette Messenger, Stella Speaker and Minnie Strong.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

After-the-Battle Observations

The latest gramaphone record reads: Black spots and green spots so confuse the eyes, 'tis hard to spot the white spots amongst so many lies. The lady orator making her speech from the political platform says: I am not in favor of women becoming active in politics or seeking political honors. Women are the power behind the throne, etc. But (echo) O wad some power the giftie gie us, to see oursel's as others see us.

Mary had a little lamb on which some wool did grow; in some spots white, in others black—real piebald spots, you know.

Mary had a little corn all on her little toe, and every time a Grit did talk that corn would ache, you know.

Mary had a white (?) little lamb; she named it Billy Browser; it went on a spree with Miss P.G.E., which turned him inside out, sir.

Bowser's let out, and Oliver's (not) in should surely satisfy the Provincial whim; but the Grits are still at it, sawing wood, and the old brindle cow still chews her cud; while others marvel at the flood, lost amid the political mire and mud. MEGAPHONE.

Before and After—Political

The glib tongues of false prophets in our midst
Oft times have to take a fatal twist;
When father time brings on the test,
Their forcast fades—a mere idle jest.

With guff and bluff they spout and say.
We'll be sure winners on election day.
Behold our slogan, painted on the moon,
Garlands for Mrs. Foster on the 20th of June.

But when that fateful day arrives,
And the final count hands a surprise;
The bubble bursts and the ballots toll,
Lands Mrs. Go-get-em right in the hole.

And so when they offer us more hash
We'll judge its true worth—mere verbose trash;
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Sheet Metal Work. A good stock of Pipe and Pipe Fittings on hand.

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RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

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

Salvage Work Difficult

Gold Bars Still Being Taken From Wreck of Laurentic

There are now only 154 bars of gold worth $1,200,000 on the wreck of the Laurentic, which was sunk during the war, and the salvage ship Racer will shortly endeavor to recover this, said Commander G. C. C. Damant in the course of a lecture at the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, London.

Four boxes of gold weighing 140 pounds each were recovered in such short time when the work started that it seemed as if operations would be finished in a week. A fierce gale sprang up, however, and the wreck collapsed, making salvage work very difficult. Of the 3,211 bars which went down with the ship, 3,057 have been recovered during operations extending over six summers at a cost of two and one-half per cent.

Pine Air is Good For Catarrh, Colds

Dwellers in pine forests never have colds, never know the meaning of Catarrh. Upon this fact is based "CATARRHOZONE," which sends into the lungs and nostrils the healing balsams and soothing antiseptic of the pine forest.

The health-laden vapor of "CATARRHOZONE" subdues the worst of coughs, colds and catarrh. The tiniest corners of the lungs are treated, the uttermost parts of the bronchial tubes are reached, every cell in the nose and throat is bathed in the antiseptic balsam of CATARRHOZONE. Simply invaluable is CATARRHOZONE because so safe, so effective, so sure to stop huskiness, whooping cough, catarrh, nose colds or bronchitis—try it yourself.

Complete two months' treatment guaranteed, price $1.00; small (trial) size 50c. At all druggists. Refuse a substitute for CATARRHOZONE. By mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Are Women to Rule Britain?

Proposed Law in Britain Would Give Women Excess of Votes Over Men

After an extraordinary discussion in the British Parliament, in which the women members took an active part, a bill to extend the parliamentary and local government franchise to women on the same terms as men passed its second reading on a vote of 288 to 77, and was sent on to a grand committee for further consideration.

This measure was a private members' bill moved by W. M. Adamson and seconded by Miss Jewson, of the Labor party. If this bill should become law, every Tory of the old school will feel that a revolution has indeed occurred of which none can foretell the outcome.

If the franchise is extended to women on the same terms as to men, it will mean the addition of four and a half million new women voters to the eight millions on the register. This would mean that the women voters would outnumber the male electors by 1,894,048.—Toronto Star.

New Fox Farm

Making the third organization of its kind in British Columbia, the Canadian Blue Fox Farms Limited, has been incorporated with provincial charter and a capital of $125,000. The headquarters of the new organization will be in Vancouver.

Home Not Complete Without Nerviline

When your stomach is badly upset, when you are belching gas and suffering from nausea, the quickest relief will come from 20 drops of Nerviline. Take it in sweetened water and you get an immediate result. Nerviline has been used for nearly half a century and is considered a necessity in most houses, because of its usefulness in preventing many small ills that constantly arise. Sold everywhere in 35 cent bottles.

Supplied New Word

"Buncombe" Said to Have Originated In House Debate

Buncomber, meaning inflated or bombastic speechmaking, simply for effect, is said to have originated in the following way: In the debate on the Missouri Compromise, in the Sixteenth Congress, Felix Walker, an old mountaineer of North Carolina, who represented Buncombe county, a part of his district, rose to speak, says the Detroit News.

The House, however, was clamoring for the question, and several members gathered about the Carolinian, begging him to desist, while others left the hall. The old man, however, persisted, saying that the people of his district expected him to speak, and that he was in consequence bound to make a speech for Buncombe. Hence the meaning of the word: to speak for mere show or popularity.

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.

Other Way 'Round

"Was your landlady indignant when you asked her for another month's rent?"

"On the contrary, old man, it was I who was put out."

A Lead Towards Moderation

Some World Power Must Vindicate Its Faith In Disarmament

Without utterly disarming oneself in an armed world, someone or other has got to give a lead towards moderation. Somewhere or other a power must vindicate its good faith about all-round disarmament by keeping its own armament notably low. Otherwise the general will-to-disarm will never begin. Of course there is some measure of risk in this setting of the generous example. But there is risk about almost everything that is worth doing, and most of Europe's recent miseries have arisen from the chimercal ambition of one power or another to secure an absolute physical security which is, in truth, utterly unattainable. The sane policy for nations, as for individual men, is neither to court the most obvious and gravest perils nor to dream of eliminating peril completely from their lives.—The Manchester Guardian.

Strike Big Gusher

Says Alberta Gas Well is Greatest in the Dominion

Measurement of the gas in the Rogers-Imperial well on the Alberta-Montana border, was taken by experts of the Imperial Oil Company, and the Dominion geological survey. The gauge measured up to 23,000,000 feet open flow, but was too small to record the total. C. W. Dingman, of the geological survey, declared the gusher was the greatest well in the Dominion at the present time.

Samples of the gas were taken and a test is being made to learn whether it is wet gas. The well will be controlled and the drill driven deeper.

Women Can Dye Any Garment, Drapery

Dye or Tint Worn, Faded Things New for 15 Cents

Diamond Dyes

Don't wonder whether you can dye or tint successfully, because perfect home dyeing is guaranteed with "Diamond Dyes" even if you have never dyed before. Druggists have all colors. Directions in each package.

How the English Make Toffee

Old-Fashioned Candies Are Best For the Young Folk

Speaking of children, was there ever a child who didn't like toffee? If more of these old-fashioned candies were made at home there would be fewer cases of spoilt stomachs in our households and fewer young men and women who take tablets for "indigestion."

The best toffee is made in this manner: Mix four cups of brown sugar and half a cup of corn syrup with half a cup of water, and put on the fire, stirring carefully until all the sugar is dissolved. Let this come to a boil and then take off the fire and add four tablespoons of butter. Put the mixture back on the stove once more and boil until the butter has penetrated throughout the candy. Pour onto a greased enameled ware tray of any kind and, as the candy cools, mark it into squares. When it has hardened break these apart and wrap each piece separately in wax paper. Incidentally, you will find the labor of "cleaning up" is a great deal less if you have used an enameled ware saucepan for the cooking, since even the stickiest mixtures do not adhere long to its porcelain-like surface.

Plan Floating Fair

A German floating fair will sail in July to make a tour of the ports of South America. The fair will be installed on the steamer Hermalta Theresia. Representatives of the firms which are participating will accompany the ship and endeavor to restore business relations severed by the war. Czechoslovakian, German, Austrian and Hungarian firms will be included among the exhibitors.

While being driven along the road four horses belonging to a farmer in New Zealand were attacked by a swarm of bees and stung to death.

Minard's Liniment for Distemper

OGDEN'S CUT PLUG

NOW PACKED IN Vacuumized Tins

ALWAYS THE SAME — 80¢ ½ lb. TIN — OGDEN'S LIVERPOOL

Tokio Building Memorial

City Planning to Preserve Memory of Earthquake Victims

To preserve the memory of 34,000 persons who perished by burning and suffocation in the former military clothing depot in Honjo ward the afternoon of the September catastrophe, the city of Tokio plans to erect a memorial hall to cost 1,000,000 yen.

The holocaust of the Honjo military depot was the most appalling incident of Tokio's day of disaster. Thousands took refuge in the pen space of several acres, thinking to escape the flames. A sudden change of the high wind brought down on the multitude a heavy curtain of flame, smoke and gases, killing practically every one of the huddled throng.

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."

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

Big Increase In Revenue

Customs and excise revenue for Canada in the fiscal year ending March 31st last, showed an increase of $20,267,846 over the revenue of the previous year. There was an increase in every branch of revenue. Customs duties netted $133,493,484; excise taxes, $121,815,067; excise duties $38,289,161; sundry collection, $1,325,772 a total of $294,923,586.

Dangerous

Aunt Dinah.—"Heah you, chile, take dat key outen yo' mouf, you want to get de lockjaw?"

BABY'S OWN TABLETS ALWAYS KEPT ON HAND

Mrs. David Gagne, St. Godfroy, Que., writes:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my three little ones and have found them such an excellent medicine that I always keep them on hand and would strongly advise all other mothers to do the same thing." The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which quickly relieve constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and promote that healthful refreshing sleep that makes the baby thrive. They are sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Malaria Continues In Russia

The spread of malaria in Russia, noted seriously for the first time a year ago and seemingly an aftermath of the great famine, continues. According to the federal department of health cases registered during the first ten months of 1923 numbered 1,887,000 and it seemed certain that the annual total would exceed 5,000,000.

A Real Asthma Relief. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has never been advertised by extravagant statements. Its claims are conservative indeed, when judged by the benefits which it performs. Expect real relief and permanent benefits when you buy this remedy and you will not have cause for disappointment. It gives permanent relief in many cases where other so-called remedies have utterly failed.

Pretty Phrase

The Swedes have a pretty word for the phrase "honeymooning." They call it smekmonad, or the caressing month.

Minard's Liniment, the Athlete's Remedy

Within a radius of eight miles from Sulgrave Manor, in Northamptonshire, lie the ancestors of George Washington, William Penn, John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Henry W. Longfellow and Warren Harding.

"Was Freed of Gall Stones And Persistent Backache"

Mr. Alexander Bradley, R.R. No. 1, Carp, Ont., writes:

"I suffered from gall stones, and commenced taking Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I feel safe in saying that these pills completely overcame the trouble, as it is some years since I was afflicted in this way, and I have not suffered from gall stones or even backache since. I have also found Dr. Chase's Nerve Food excellent for heart trouble and shortness of breath."

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills

35 cts. a box of 35 pills, Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto

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. This kind you have always bought bears signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher.

Northern Alberta Pioneers Have Unshaken Faith In Its Agricultural Possibilities

"If some of the pluck that carried us up to the armistice was used in meeting post-war conditions, our difficulties would look less serious," is the opinion of a number of the old settlers in the Beaverlodge district of the Peace River country of Northern Alberta.

A number of these men, who have spent from ten to sixteen years in the north, and are more than satisfied with their prospects, are now working with a view to getting settlers on the vacated quarters that every homestead region sooner or later has available, and contemplate a community-building organization to welcome newcomers and assist them in getting established.

While keenly alert to the transportation handicap under which they labor, they have, to offset this, for the time being, new, clean, fertile and cheap soil, relatively low taxes, abundant fuel and building material and water, and are pleased to make the best of things instead of the worst.

"Having," they say, "in common with settlers all over the west, committed the error of reckless borrowing at rates of interest that farming in normal times cannot reasonably be expected to earn, and having, through inexperience of the country and its novel problems, made mistakes in cropping and farm practice generally, we have certainly no stones to throw at others who have done these things. But when we find the worst discouragement along the present railroad; when we find men aplenty going "broke" at straight grain farming on the choicest of quarter and half sections, with elevators at the farm gates, while twenty, thirty, forty and even eighty miles back from steel are other settlers milking a few cows, raising some hogs and poultry and gradually paying up debts in spite of the severe added handicap of their long haul, we can only conclude that a good deal is being charged to transportation that is really due to quite other causes, among which might be enumerated:

(1) Inflation of land values, due to an expectation of the continuance of war prices;

(2) Too much borrowing at impossible rates of interest;

(3) The hazard of straight grain growing, with its alternate fat and lean streaks, the fat being too often promptly consumed, leaving starvation rations for the lean;

(4) The general bad effects of repeating one class of crop, burning straw and returning nothing to the soil;

(5) The excessive labor costs entailed upon a region by a system of farming that involves an acute seasonal rush of work.

"While believing that many parts of the Peace River country will for a long time to come produce a considerable volume of wheat for export, we are satisfied that the soil of this region will not stand exclusive grain farmnig as long, even, as the Red River valley of Dakota, where the plight of the wheat grower has become a subject of paternalistic concern by the United States Government. We believe mixed farming to be the only system for the Peace River country and after a farming experience, running up in some cases as high as fifteen years, are convinced that for the man of small means the north country offers unexampled opportunities.

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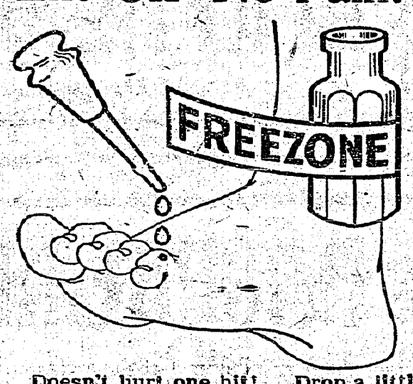
Lift Off—No Pain!



Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers.

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.

Control Of Grasshoppers

The Most Successful Means to Combat This Menace

Locusts or grasshoppers lay their eggs in the late summer and autumn of one year and the young appear about May in the following year. Every kind of field crop suffers from their presence. A leaflet issued by the Dominion Entomological Branch states that in Eastern Canada the following mixture broadcasted over infested fields has proved effective in control: Bran 20 pounds, Paris green or white arsenic half a pound, molasses 2 quarts, juice of oranges or lemons 3 fruits with peel chopped fine, to 2½ gallons of water. The bran and Paris green or white arsenic should be mixed while dry. Another bait that has answered well is: Sawdust 20 pounds, Paris green ½ pound, salt 1 pound, water 3 gallons. Twenty pounds of either of these baits is sufficient to treat five acres of growing crops. The morning is the best time for broadcasting.

In the prairie provinces what is known as the Criddle mixture has proved effective. This is made by adding 1 pound of Paris green, or white arsenic, and 1 pound of salt, to 15 gallons, by measure, of fresh horse droppings, sufficient water only to make the mixture moist being added.

Old pastures should be ploughed to a depth of at least six inches and immediately followed by harrowing.

Still Working at 97

John R. Booth, head of one of the largest lumber and pulp and paper making plants in Canada, celebrated his 97th birthday on April 7th by going to his large mills on the Ottawa River and carrying on his daily work of supervision. Mr. Booth began his career as a working lumberman and by his own industry and foresight built up the huge business of which he is now the head.

CORNS

For sure relief apply Minard's daily. Excellent for bunions.

MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

The entire special issue of Japanese postage stamps which was to commemorate the Crown Prince's wedding was destroyed in the great earthquake.

CUTICURA HEALS BABY'S BLISTERS

Head Covered With Eruptions. Hair All Fell Out. Got Little Sleep.

"When baby was a week old a fine rash broke out on his forehead and scalp, which later formed small blisters. The blisters soon spread and when he was three months old his head was covered with sore eruptions. He cried and rubbed his head and his hair all fell out. He got but very little sleep.

"A friend recommended Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After using he got relief and in two months he was healed." (Signed) Mrs. Allan R. Caldwell, R. F. D. 2, Auburn, Me., Jan. 12, 1922.

Daily use of Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum helps to prevent skin troubles.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: "Cuticura, Dept. 22, Malden, Mass." Sold everywhere. Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

On a Visit to Canada

SIR CAMPBELL STUART, Managing editor of the London Times, who is a recent visitor to Canada.

To Assist Wheat Pool

Saskatchewan Government to Render Financial Help to Project

The Saskatchewan Government has decided to render financial assistance to the wheat pool organization in the province, Premier Dunning announced. In announcing a favorable decision in regard to the application, Premier Dunning stated that the assistance would be given in the form of a loan, the details of which were now being worked out.

Admitting inability to give exact figures, compilation being neglected in the stress of organization, A. E. Wilson, president of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Wheat Producers, Limited, the pool organization, placed what he declared was a conservative estimate of the acreage now under contract at 5,000,000. He added the information that the organization had 1,500,000 acres in old contracts which were not covered by waivers. By concentrating on securing waivers for these contracts he believed he was quite safe in saying the required six million acres would be under contract by the middle of June.

Slightly Less Employment

Maritime Provinces and British Columbia Only Provinces Showing Increases

Employment at the beginning of April showed a contraction of over one per cent. The curtailment of operations reported by employers was somewhat similar to that indicated at the same period of 1923, although the shrinkage af last year affected a much larger percentage of the reported payroll.

Employers in the Maritime Provinces and British Columbia reported increases in their payrolls, but in the remaining provinces there was a downward tendency.

London has 421 newspapers of all kinds.

MRS. SARAH WILSHAW

HAVE YOU A DAUGHTER? IF YOU HAVE, THIS ARTICLE WILL INTEREST YOU!

Hamilton, Ont.—"Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the best medicine I have ever known for the building up of girls and women who are run-down in health. It has been taken by different members of my family with great success. My daughters have been wonderfully helped during motherhood by taking Favorite Prescription; it is the best medicine the expectant mother can take for health and strength. And after having the influenza my granddaughter was left in a very bad way and nothing in the way of medicine gave her any help until she began taking Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and thru the use of this medicine her health was completely restored, and she is as well as ever."—Mrs. Sarah Wilshaw, 405 Cannon St., E.

Go to your neighborhood drug store at once and obtain this Prescription of Dr. Pierce's, in tablets or liquid, or send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont., for trial package.

Premier MacDonald Regards The Experts' Reports As A God-Given Opportunity

Prime Minster MacDonald, in a recent speech given in Wales to the electors who sent him to parliament, declared he was not going to lose a single chance of putting the report of the reparation experts into operation.

"And I want France to be with me, let there be no doubt about it," he said.

"I regard the experts report," continued Mr. MacDonald, "as an opportunity for a peace settlement and agreement which, if not taken advantage of by European statesmen, will be one of the most God-sent opportunities ever neglected and lost."

The Prime Minister declared he was glad President Coolidge had referred to disarmament the other day.

"When disarmament comes to be discussed," he said, "the President will find no stronger support in the world for it than from us."

Mr. MacDonald appealed to France to work with him and the other allies "in offering Germany a real chance to fulfill its word—a real chance to make a pledge and keep it."

The Prime Minister said he was going to do his best to carry out that policy, "steadily and patiently, but without any humbug or cheating at all."

Mr. MacDonald began his discussion of foreign affairs with an expression of his hopes of helping put Europe on its feet.

"If I can only do anything before I leave this office," he said, "to remove some of the difficulties that have been in the way of European settlement, if I can do anything to bring my country and France into closer friendship, if I can do anything to enable Central Europe to find its legs, not with hate and revenge in its heart, but with a new revelation of international co-operation, then I shall have felt that I have done my day's work, and regard it as a pretty satisfactory one at that.

"Some of our papers are talking about France being isolated. That is the very last thing I want. I want to stand side by side with France. I want M. Poincare to know that France, so far as her security is concerned, has no better friend than this country.

"I am profoundly convinced that these experts' reports, joined together with the experience of the last four years, ought to make both France and ourselves see that by our common friendship, and by that alone, working with Italy, working with Belgium, working with the small nationalities, and offering Germany a real chance to make a pledge and keep it—in that way, in that friendly way, in that allied way, we can open anew the door to peace, happiness and international co-operation."

In Tibet one man in every four is a monk.

No More Pains In His Back

That's Why Manitoba Man Recommends Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Stephen Kozak found relief and tells other sufferers to use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Okno, Man.—(Special).—"After I had used six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills I felt no more pain in my back, and no unpleasant taste in my mouth in the mornings. This relief is due to Dodd's Kidney Pills."

This statement is made by Mr. Stephen Kozak, who lives in this place. He sends this as a guidance to other sufferers. There are two things certain in this world: one is that everybody is liable at some time or other to an attack of Kidney Trouble, the other is that Dodd's Kidney Pills relieve all forms of Kidney disease, such as Diabetes, Dropsy, Rheumatism, Bladder Troubles, Gravel and Urinary Disorders, even when other remedies have failed.

Every sufferer who tries Dodd's Kidney Pills is delighted with the comforting relief that they so quickly create. Thousands are buying and using them solely through the recommendation of their friends who first discovered their relieving and healing properties.

Dodd's Kidney Pills can be obtained from all druggists.

Better Prices For Lambs

Buck Lambs Will Bring Lower Price Is Warning to Sheep Raiser

The sheep raiser has it in his own hands to decide whether he will take the top price for his male lambs next fall, or sell them at a discount of two dollars or more per head. The decree has gone forth that a cut of $2 per hundredweight will be made on all buck lambs purchased after the middle of July. It may not be generally understood that wether lambs make thicker and better carcasses than do rams, and that the meat is of finer flavor. The operation of emasculation is not only as necessary with lambs as with calves and pigs, but it is just as simple and subject to as little loss. A pamphlet entitled "The Great Neglect in Sheep Husbandry," describes the operation and shows how to take off the tails as well. Unless a flock owner can afford to take a low price for his lamb crop he had better make sure of the highest return by trimming his lambs this spring.

Survey of Coal Deposits

Edmonton Board of Trade Recommends Geological Surveys in Alberta

Geological surveys of all the coal deposits in the province was asked for by the Edmonton Board of Trade. It was decided, also, to recommend that no railway extension to aid in the exploitation of coal deposits would be justified unless the quality of the coal in that particular district was of outstanding superiority.

Regarding the Hudson's Bay Railway it was decided that no recommendations could be made for further expenditure at present.

Record Handling of Immigrants

Creating a record of handling one settler per minute, the Canadian National Railways colonization department, in conjunction with the Dominion Immigration officials, last week ticketed out ninety immigrants from the S.S. Cedric in 92 minutes to farm positions throughout the west.

Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN

Say "Bayer"—Insist!

For Pain Headache
Neuralgia Rheumatism
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Safe — Accept only a Bayer package which contains proven directions

Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets
Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists

Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid

A Fresh Powerful Battery at the Right Price

NOTE—We guarantee these Batteries Eighteen Months. If dissatisfied in 90 days, return Freight Collect and we will refund money.

No. 11 Battery, 6 Volt, 11 Plate. For Ford, Chevrolet 490 Superior, Grey-Dort, Overland 4, McLaughlin D-6, D-6, D-7, E-4, E-5, E-6, E-7. Price $14.75

No. 13 Battery, 6 Volt, 13 Plate. For Chalmers, Chevrolet FA and FB, Maxwell 1921-22-23, Studebaker 1916 to 1923, McLaughlin 1919-1923. Price $19.25

No. 7A 12-Volt Batteries for Maxwell 2 and 4 Lead 18-19, early 20 ..... $23.25

No. 9 12-Volt Batteries, all Dodge Models $25.00

Be sure to state model and year of car.

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Local and Personal

Rubber Stamps, any description. W. Truscott, Creston.

BIRTH—On June 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Finlayson, a son.

FOR SALE—Lawn mower, in good shape, $5. P. W. Foot, Fairview Ranch, Creston.

FOR SALE—Several head of Jersey heifers and cows. For full particulars apply Review Office.

FOR SALE—Saddle pony for sale cheap; quiet, suit lady or children. P. G. Ebbutt, Creston.

FOR SALE—Light buggy, one democrat, one light dray. Sinister & McKay, blacksmiths, Creston.

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

Mrs. Argue of Cranbrook was a weekend visitor here with her son, G M., of Beattie-Oatway, Ltd.

FOR SALE—Baby's pram, English make, in good shape. Also a refrigerator, cheap, Apply Mrs. Varley.

The quarters vacated by the telephone central is now occupied for post office purposes, the extra space being utilized as a mail make-up room.

OGILVIE Goods are dependable

We have a small quantity of

No. 1 Alfalfa Common Red and Alsike Clover Seed

Now is the time to plant that vacant patch.

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SATURDAY & MONDAY SPECIAL

English Gingham

at

25c. yd.

in a well assorted lot of colors and patterns.

MAWSON BROTHERS

Better Service — Lower Prices

$375 cash buys McLaughlin Four, recently overhauled, new battery. Apply W. B. Martin, C.P.R. depot.

WANTED—Married couple wants work on ranch, or cooking in camp, experienced. Apply S. Boon, general delivery, Creston.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, six years old, freshened June 15th, first class milk and butter cow. Price $100. Mrs. O. Davidge, Wynndel.

Principal Brousson of the Creston High School is a business visitor in Victoria this week, leaving on Saturday.

Dr. Lillie is remaining in Toronto for the Dominion Dental Convention and will not be able to visit Creston until his August dates.

FOR SALE—Team, wagon and harness, weight about 3000lbs., 7 years old, black Percherons, price complete $350. Enquire Review Office.

Announcement is made that the usual morning session of Christ Church Sunday school is suspended for the next two months.

Miss Brett and Mrs. R. Stephens were visitors with friends at Cranbrook and Kimberley a couple of days the latter part of the week, returning on Sunday.

Tuesday is Dominion Day, a statutory holiday and all places of business in town will be closed, with the general delivery wicket at the postoffice open from 5 to 6 p.m. only.

Major Mallandaine left on Sunday for Vancouver, where he is attending a provincial Conservative conference in that city the fore part of the week. Col. Lister is also in Vancouver with him.

FOR SALE—Fatalism and indisputable proof of a living God. Read this book, a divine solution of this life's mysteries. Postpaid for 75c. Address Matthews, 57½ San Juan Ave., Victoria, B.C.

The showery and cool weather that prevailed for most of last week has given place to the real warm and sunny article and the berry crop shows the benefits of the needed sun and heat.

The Girls' Guild of Christ Church are giving a lawn social on Tuesday, July 1st, at Erickson, at W. H. Kemp's. There will be a tea and sale of work from 3 to 6 p.m., and dancing from 8 p.m.

The ladies are reminded of the Women's Institute flower show which is on this afternoon at the Parish Hall, and in connection with which tea will be served and there will also be a sale of home cooking.

J. D. Siddons, vice-principal of Creston High School got away on Friday to join Mrs. Siddons at her home at Cloverdale. He has turned in his resignation as teacher here and will not be returning.

Chas. Armstrong arrived from Kingsgate on Wednesday to take on the work of second assistant at the C.P.R. depot, Mr. Sinclair, who held the job down for just two days, returning to Cranbrook.

Christ Church Ladies' Guild had fairly good patronage at their tea and sale of refreshments at the home of Mrs. Stanley Watson on election afternoon, the cash intake being in the neighborhood of $20.

The 1924 Entrance examination tests commenced on Wednesday morning at Creston with Misses Wade and Laxton in charge. About forty pupils are writing this year, fifteen of whom are from the local school.

Mrs. Glaspell of Grand Forks, who addressed the members of the local Presbyterian W.M.S. in the church on the society's work on Thursday night last, was the guest of Mrs. James during her stay in Creston.

Mrs. Fleetwood of Wardener was a Creston visitor a couple of days the fore part of the week. She finds the altitude at Wardner too high for her good health, and will probably be moving here to reside by early fall.

Mr. Bance arrived from the Okanagan on Sunday and has assumed the management of the Creston sub-central of the Associated Growers and will also handle the affairs of the Creston Co Operative Fruit Exchange.

As a windup for the high school term Creston orchestra is giving a dance in the Parish Hall this (Friday) evening, commencing at nine o'clock, with an admission of $1 to gentlemen and 50 cents to ladies, this price including supper.

Gravelling of a number of the roads in the vicinity of town is receiving special attention this month, another motor truck having been shipped in from Nelson a couple of weeks ago, and will be kept busy for at least another couple of months.

Copeland baseball team was here for a game with the Creston nine at Exhibition Park on Sunday afternoon, but due to the rainy weather play did not go the full nine innings, the score when play had to be called standing 4 to 3 in Copeland's favor.

The strawberry shipping is at the peak this week and by the end of the first week in July the season will be practically over. Raspberries will be moving next week it is expected and at present the outlook is excellent for better than an average yield.

The Conservatives had the biggest turnout of the campaign for their closing rally in the Grand on Thursday night last, at which the speakers were C. B. Garland, Mrs. Mallandaine, Col. Lister and W. K. Esling of Rossland, with Major Mallandaine occupying the chair.

Election day passed off without incident, the town taking on a holiday aspect with many of the voters from outside town remaining to spend the afternoon in the village. In proportion to the number of names on the list the voting at Creston was about the heaviest in the whole province.

The seating capacity of the Methodist Church was overtaxed on Sunday when a congregation of over one hundred was in evidence for the song service in which the features were solos by Principal Jones and Miss Muriel Knott, and duetts by Mr. and Mrs. Kolthammer and Miss Frances and Jeff. Knott, all of Canyon City.

The guarantors of the 1924 Chautauqua had a meeting on Wednesday night to wind up the affairs of the big six days of entertainment. The deficit on the undertaking this year is a little over $4, as compared with a $9 per head shortage in 1923. In the four years Chautauqua has played Creston this year's deficit is the lowest of them

THE CORPORATION OF THE

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Election of Commissioners

TO THE ELECTORS:

Notice is hereby given that the nomination of three Commissioners will be held at the Court House at Creston, B.C., on Saturday, the 26th day of July, 1924, between the hours of ten and eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Pacific standard time.

And notice is hereby given that the election of three Commissioners will be held on Monday, the 28th day of July, 1924, at the said Court House, and that the Returning Officer thereat will be the undersigned.

W. O. TAYLOR,
Clerk of the Corporation of the Village of Creston, B.C.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The voters list for the first election of Commissioners has been made up on Monday, the 23rd of June, 1924, and was posted by the Clerk of the above corporation at his office in the Court House at Creston, B.C., on the said date.

A Court of Revision will be held for the revision of the said list on Monday, the 30th of June, 1924, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Court House.

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