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Alice Siding

Robert Miller, who has been at Staveley, Alberta, since early in August, helping with harvest operations, arrived home at the end of the week.

T. Crawford of the Creston telephone company, has been at work in this section this week putting in a pole line from the Beazer corner to the Hester ranch.

With local thermometers standing at about 18 above zero on Wednesday morning duck hunters have visions of better hunting, as the cold wave is sure to hustle the birds down from the north.

T. Dickson arrived home from the Cranbrook hospital at the first of the month, but it will be a few days before he will be able to be back at work as usual.

Frank Martin, who has been working at coast points for the past six months, got back on Saturday and will probably spend the winter with his parents here.

Residents in the Lizard Creek section are hoping for at least three weeks of fall weather in order to allow of the completion of the new road into that area, on which Ollie Harris is employing a crew of five men.

Alice Siding is sure to be crowded with visitors on the 22nd when Mr. Churchill is having an auction sale of his livestock and some of his implements. The sale is at 2 o'clock, and three months credit is given.

Mr. Paul left at the end of the week for Vancouver on a visit to Mrs. Paul, who is making a very satisfactory recovery after her recent critical operation in the hospital in that city.

Ron. Smith is quite the most popular resident of Alice Siding just at present. On Friday night he was host to a large crowd of young folks and grownups at a dance at the Mrs. Smith residence just vacated by Mr. Davies. The music was by Hector Stewart on the accordeon and the host officiating on the violin. A splendid supper was served and certainly everybody had a good time.

Erickson

The stork appears to be paying special attention to Erickson just at present, another call being made on Monday, when a daughter was left at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melt Beam.

E. S. Cuming, who has been living at Oregon and California points for almost the past two years, returned at the first of the week, and intends to remain for the winter.

Mrs. E. W. Klingensmith left at the first of the month for a visit with Seattle and Portland friends, and will return via Vancouver.

Quite a few of the youngsters from Creston were here on Monday for a birthday party at the Thurston home, Master Richard celebrating his twelfth birthday with fitting festivities.

The Exchange closed down packing operations on Thursday last and on Friday night the employees of both the Exchange and Growers, Limited, wound up the season with a dance in the Growers warehouse, which was quite largely attended. An excellent lunch was provided by the girls, and the five-piece orchestra from Canyon supplied the music. An enjoyable time was had by all.

Mrs. G. P. Smith was here on a business visit at the first of the week, en route to Alberta to join her husband, who is teaching there this year. Whilst here she leased the ranch for this year to Lung Kee, who operated the McLeod ranch here up till a year ago.

The many friends of Mrs. Chas. Kelsey will be glad to hear that latest word from Cranbrook is to the effect that she is doing as well as expected after a rather serious operation she underwent in the hospital in that town on Tuesday. Mr. Kelsey, who accompanied her, returned on Wednesday.

What is said to be the most complete radio outfit as yet installed in the Valley was put in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brownrigg at the end of the week. It is an Atwater-Kent set from Lidgate Bros. and has a receiving capacity of 2000 miles with the loud speaker a fine concert programme broadcasted at Pittsburg, Pa., being listened in on Friday night. With Chautauqua in summer and the radio for fall and winter Henry will be royally supplied with entertainment.

Kitchener

L. N. Leamy of Creston, who is engaged at logging operations near Goatfell, was taken through here by auto to his home on Tuesday, he having sustained a broken leg while at work that morning. Dr. Henderson was immediately in attendance and Mr. Leamy is reported as doing as well as could be expected.

Kitchener had a call on Thursday from the coroner, provincial police and undertaker Hendren, all of Creston, in connection with the suicide of Mike McAuliffe, who poisoned himself with strychnine in his room at the Chinese restaurant on Wednesday evening. The remains were interred at the cemetery at Goat River Crossing on Thursday.

J. D. Moore of Kaslo, general road superintendent, was here on an official visit on Monday. Work on the Meadow Creek bridge was suspended most of last week due to the rain and snowy weather that prevailed. Work was resumed on Monday and if about ten days of average weather prevails job will be completed by then.

Miss McGregor, principal of the Kitchener school, issues the following report for October, during which month the average attendance was 95.0.

Highest standing, Grade 1b—Marie Arb, Billy Faystan, Mary Androsow. Grade 1a—Hazel McGonegal, Nettie Androsow, Celina Langlois, Myrtle Anderson, Frank Abar, Ruth Dunn. Grade 2—Clara Faystan, Margaret Hamilton, Grace Strong, Mildred Hamilton, Wilbert Dery, Tommy Faystan. Grade 3—Vivianne Langlois, Margeory Strong, Selmer Anderson, Vera McGonegal, Alice Cameron, Clifford Dery, Willard Blair, Elmer Lindbloam. Grade 4—Dorothy Dunn, Clarence Anderson, Richard Molander, Wesley Blair, Myrtle Strong. Grade 5—Beatrice Molander, Dennes Bush. Grade 7—Mildred Andeen, Clara Hunt, Ludwig Anderson. Grade 8—Alice Molander, Ellen Andeen.

Perfect attendance—Mildred Andeen Nettie Androsow, Mary Androsow, Clarence Anderson, Ludwig Anderson, Selmer Anderson, Marie Arb, Wesley Blair, Dennes Bush, Alice Cameron, Clifford Dery, Wilbert Dery, Clara Hunt, Vivianne Langlois, Beatrice Molander, Richard Molander, Grace Strong.

Mike McAuliffe Ends Life; Poison

Coroner Dr. Henderson and provincial police H. McLaren received an early morning call to Kitchener on Tuesday last in connection with the suicide of Mike McAuliffe, aged 62, who took his own life by poisoning at his room at the Chinese restaurant in that town, the night previous.

The unfortunate man arrived at Kitchener in quest of work on Tuesday, coming in from Creston, where he had been loafing around for a few days previous. He retired that night apparently in his usual humor and the first intimation the Chinaman had that anything was wrong was when he went to McAuliffe's room to investigate sounds coming from that quarter as if made by a man walking about in heavy boots. On reaching him the Chinaman found the unfortunate on the bed in his death struggle the noises being caused by the tremendous pressure on the muscles McAuliffe having taken two drachms of strychine—a dose big enough to kill two or three dozen men, according to the medical records. The Chinaman immediately summoned assistance but when he returned to the room McAuliffe was dead.

That the deed was premediatated is evidenced in the fact that the dead man left a note on the chair beside the bed informing the provincial police that he had taken his own life and that no blame was attached to anyone for the rash act.

McAuliffe was quite a well known woodsman having been employen at Wynndel, Kitchener and other Kootenay points during the past few years. He was a native of Ontario but as no trace could be got of any relatives the remains were interred in the cemetery at Goat River Crossing on Thursday afternoon.

Wynndel

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bathie, sr., who have been at the prairie for the past two months, returned to their home here on Monday.

Miss Florence Bathie, who has been assisting with apple packing at Willow Point, returned to her home here on Friday.

Clem Payette and Jack Penson, who have been working at the Bentley mill at Canyon, are laying off for a week, while roads, etc., are being made to facilitate winter operations.

Hunters so far this season have had very poor luck, very few deer having been brought in yet. Geese are getting more plentiful on the sloughs and hunters are beginning to pay their attention to them now.

Ashley Cooper & Sons are busy this week loading out a car of apples.

Pure extracted honey, limited quantity for sale, customers please supply their own containers. A. W. Mason.

Steve Benedetti returned from Willow Point early in the week. He has been there for a time helping with the apple pack.

Victor Johnson was a weekend visitor at his home here from Canyon where he and Ben Hannem have a logging contract from Putnam, Palmer & Staples. He was accompanied by Gus. Benadetti, who is working for them.

The K.K. Club is putting on a dance in the old schoolhouse on Saturday, November 15th, at 8.30 prompt. All ladies are requested to bring a gent's tie with their name on it as it is to be a necktie dance. Ladies please bring lunch, and gentlemen free until supper when the ties will be auctioned with one dollar the limit.

Canyon City

Mrs. Cowie (nee Bessie White) of Yahk is a visitor here at present, the guest of Mrs. Wetherhead.

Local residents, who have been employed at the Bentley sawmill for some weeks past, are home again, the plant having shut down last week.

Del. Smith of Vancouver was a visitor with his father-in-law, George Strong, a few days last week, en route to Alberta.

The Canyon orchestra made its first appearance as a dance orchestra on Friday night at Erickson, when they furnished the music for the "hop" given by the packing house employees to mark the windup of 1924 operations. There were five musicians on the job.

Miss Annie McRobb is home from Willow Point, where she has been working for the past few months.

The Hurl boys, who have been at Vanguard, Sask., helping with harvest work for the past two months, arrived home at the end of the week.

Road boss Tom Harris has a small crew at work here at present making needed improvements on the road between Browell's corner and the bridge, and we hear will also do some gravelling on the main road beyond the school.

Almost 150 of the residents of Canyon and vicinity turned up at the church on Monday evening for the annual Ladies' Aid dinner and concert which was an unqualified success. Rev. G. Knox was chairman at the concert that followed the dinner, several much appreciated musical and literary numbers being given. The evening's proceeds were close to $50.

After twenty-two years in business in Fernie photographer Fred Spalding is quitting and moving to Vancouver.

Over $500 nett was realized at the hospital bazaar given by the ladies of the Windermere country at Invermere one day last week.

Kaslo is now supplied with a resident Church of England parson, who arrived last week. The town has been without an Anglican divine on and off for about three years.

Dr. Bonnell, who has practised at Fernie since 1897, has left that town and is establishing himself at Vancouver. He is the second medico to quit Fernie this year.

At Trail the smelter management are making loans to employees to enable them to build their own homes. So far sixty of these have been erected at an average cost of $2500.

Oats grown on the reclaimed land in Drainage Districts No. 1 at Bonners Ferry are threshing out 41½ pounds to the bushel, whilst the best from Washington state is 38 pounds.

At Grand Forks the Associated Growers have made an intial payment of 80 cents a box on all apples up to McIntosh Reds. According to the Gazette this is the earliest advance made the growers in some years.

Sirdar

Readers are reminded that the Church of England service on Sunday will be at 2.30 p.m., and not 7.30 as formerly.

Arthur Dibbin, who has been working on the prairie the past few months, has returned to Sirdar and will spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. North.

Miss Knott was at her home at Canyon for the weekend and Thanksgiving, assisting with the concert at that point on Monday.

Miss Dorothy Cam of Nelson was a visitor this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Cam.

Sid McCabe and his b & b crew returned to Sirdar last week, and are putting a 50 foot extension onto the slip at the Landing as the water is very low at present.

Miss Derbyshire, who was a guest of Mrs. Whiteside last week returned to Creston on Monday.

Garden harvest is finished at Mrs. Jones ranch at Kuskanook, the last of the strawberries and green peas being picked for the Armistice Day dinner on the 11th inst.

Mas. Cam was a between-trains visitor at Creston on Tuesday, whilst Mrs. Whitesides was calling on friends at the metropolis on Wednesday.

Pupils making perfect attendance at Sirdar school for October were Eddie Cam, Lily Cam, Sidney Rogers, Maggie Rogers, Bill Touhey and Bob Touhey.

The first radio to be installed in Sirdar is now working nightly at Mrs. Whiteside's having been placed on Monday by Lidgate Bros. of Creston. It is the well-known Westinghouse radiola and picks up broadcasts all along the Pacific coast and on Tuesday night the guests at the hotel listened in on a concert at Calgary, which was heard here splendidly.

Penticton has a cribbage club that meets once a week.

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"Looks like murder," he said, his eyes leaving the stolen uniform and focusing on the wound, the clean hole of a steel bullet in the right temple.

"It is murder—from ambush," the girl declared, her voice sharp with conviction.

But Seymour was not so sure. Without disturbing a convulsive death grip, he examined the revolver held in an outflung hand. It had been discharged once.

"'Twasn't a complete ambush, anyway," he reasoned. "He had some hint of what was coming. Couldn't have drawn his gun after that bullet hit him. The way my ears read the reports, he fired just after the rifle spoke—probably a spasmodic pull on the trigger with no aim or hit. You know, Mounties are not supposed to fire first. The rule has killed a number of them."

"He was so brave—absolutely fearless," she murmured.

Seymour might have gone further in reconstructing the crime, but he checked observation on the subject lest she suspect his training.

"You knew him well, Miss—— Miss——" he asked, partially to divert her mind from his professional deductions.

"I'm Ruth Duperow," she told him. "My uncle is a missionary here."

At once he remembered Moira's description of the colorful cousin who was keeping her father company. The contrast in type was remarkable.

"Yes," she went on, "I knew the sergeant quite well and admired—both my uncle and I admired his courage and uprightness.

"You said his name was——"

The girl's frankness did not desert her. "His real name was Russel Seymour but we know him first as Bart Caswell. You see, he has been here for a month, studying the camp without anyone suspecting that he was not the mining expert he pretended he was. Not until the stage robbery did he disclose who he was and put on his uniform."

Seymour tried to hide a smile; the plan which the girl outlined as Bart Caswell's sounded so exactly like his own. When he turned back to her, his hand was stroking meditatively a clean shaven chin.

"Is there a coroner in Gold?" he asked.

"When a man was killed in a shaft cave-in on Sweet Marie Creek last week, a deputy acted before uncle read the service," was the girl's information, delivered with a frown. The reason for the contraction of brow appeared when she added "That deputy sheriff and coroner is a chump named Sam Hardley, and he didn't like Bart—I mean Mr. Seymour."

The real Seymour made mental note of this fragment without seeming to be impressed or more than casually interested.

"At that, Hardley will have to be notified, I suppose," Miss Duperow went on. "It's the law, isn't it?"

The sergeant nodded. "Something of the sort. But first I'm going to have a little look into the brush to see—what I can see. Mind waiting for a few minutes?"

"Don't risk it," cried the girl, taking a step toward him and laying an impulsive hand upon his sleeve. "Whoever murdered Bart may be lurking in the brush and wouldn't hesitate to take a shot at you. You don't know how desperate the——" She broke off in sudden caution and finished inconsequentially: "One killing is enough for to-day."

"A killing too many," he assured her, but swung into the saddle. "I'll take no unnecessary chances, and I'll not be gone long."

With the girl's disapproving look following him, he rode into the underbrush to the left of the trail. From that direction, he figured, had come the bullet. He had small hope of any encounter. With the cowardly attack neatly turned, he could conceive no reason why the perpetrator should hide around the scene of the crime. There was a chance, however, that he might pick up the trail of departure and learn its trend before the camp's amateur sleuths got busy and blotted out all signs.

On superficial survey, it seemed to the sergeant that the bogus officer had been riding out from town on some mission not entirely unsuspected by those against whom he meant to act. Near the trail forks, someone had lain in wait and killed him.

One shot had sufficed. Caswell's effort to answer undoubtedly had been futile. Then the slayer had slunk away in the brush. It seemed unlikely that he would go into town; entirely reasonable that he would return whence he had come. Seymour imagined that that would be the place for which the pretended Mountie was bound, were that ever determined. That the escape had been through the brush seemed likely, since nobody had passed them on the trail after the shooting.

Twenty yards into the brush, he set Kaw parallel with the trail that followed the River Cheena. The undergrowth was not too thick for riding if one watched for fallen trees and devil-club thickets. The ground, soft from recent spring rains, took tracks like putty. An Indian in moccasins might have passed without leaving a trail, but any booted white must have shed footprints like Crusoe's man Friday.

Soon, the officer picked up horse tracks so fresh as to be still sucking moisture from the muskeg. These angled toward the trail over which he had followed Miss Duperow. He traced them back to a clump of poplars. There he found evidence that a horse had been tied, evidently having been ridden from the main trail.

Footprints coming and going testified to a round trip in that direction. He examined these with care. In measuring these with a lead pencil, for lack of a tape, he noted the impress of a peculiar plate on the right sole. Either the wearer was slightly lame or possessed a gait that made it advisable to reinforce the outer edge of his boot.

The foot trail ended in a patch of salmonberry bushes, already in thick leaf and furnishing an ideal curtain. Groping about where the earth was beaten down, he soon discovered a copper cartridge case. His eyes sized this as having been thrown from a 30-30 Winchester, the same sort as that his saddle carried, one likely to be common in that region. Undoubtedly the dented case had held the steel nosed bullet that had ended the career of the crook who had dared impersonate a Mountie.

When Seymour stood erect, he saw he was head and shoulders above the bramble screen, in plain view and easy range of the tragedy scene. Doubtless in the very spot which he occupied, the murderer had stood erect to fling a taunt or shout a false warning at the approaching horseman; then he had shot before the other could act.

The circumstances of the crime reproduced to his own satisfaction, Seymour squandered a moment in studying his partner of the trail, his scrutiny unsuspected by the fair object thereof.

Ruth Duperow stood uncovered, her hat hanging from the horn of her saddle. The sun played upon the unbreshed waves of her silver gold hair, bringing out unnumbered glints. She was taller than he had thought, almost as tall as her cousin, Moira. Her face was buried in hands that rested on the saddle seat, her poise slumped and heavy with grief.

"Poor youngling," mused the sergeant in deep sympathy. "She's taking it hard. These gentlemen crooks sure raise Ned with the ladies. Knowing that her uncle was a missionary, this Bart would not be at loss what trumps to lead. Reckon his blossoming out in my scarlet just topped the bill. Must have cut quite a figure in life, this Bart Caswell—or whatever his real name was. Handsome dog, too. No resemblance to me." He turned away with the hope that someone else would have the job of telling her the murdered man himself was a criminal.

Regaining his horse, Seymour mounted, minded to follow the hoofprint trail for a way. This was child's play; Kaw attended to it, leaving the sergeant free to peer ahead. Meantime, his mind was busy revolving the surprising facts with which chance had equipped him.

He saw no need for mental doubt over the stage robbery. The uniform in which Bart was clad unquestionably was the dressier of the two he had enclosed in the bag and shipped to Gold. The "E" Division had a new tailor, a mistake had been made in stitching on the insignia and trace of the change remained on the sleeve. Even had there been other members of the Force in the district, he would have sworn to that uniform. He had not a doubt that the handsome deceiver of Cousin Ruth either had held up the stage single handed or had participated in the crime.

He could not agree with Ruth Duperow that the road agent, or agents, had mistaken the express vehicle for one of the passenger coaches in use on this difficult line. That did not stand the test of reason, any more than did a supposition that the robbery had been for the sake of obtaining the uniform of a mounted police officer. No one possibly could have known that such a rig was in transit. At best, the authority which any spurious wearer might command, must be of brief duration for the owner could be counted on to follow his clothes. The risk was not worth the fleeting advantage.

The sergeant did not have to argue himself into a conviction that he must seek elsewhere for the purpose of the holdup. Some other shipment—just what, he meant to find out—that was coveted and worth taking chances to secure must have been expected. He believed that, in examining his loot, the robber-murdered had come upon the uniform and had decided to use it in some other bold stroke without the law.

The sergeant could not withhold admiration for the daring which the man who called himself Caswell had shown in his last hours of life. To put on the trusted and feared uniform, to declare himself the representative of Dominion authority and to undertake the solution of his own crime was a coup as clever and novel as it was impudent. Had the culprit stopped there, he might have made a clean get-away with whatever else of loot the stage carried. Seymour concluded that the prize which had made him resort to murder must be of great value. He did not overlook the possibility that Bart might have been slain by a pal dissatisfied with the division of the spoils. But, in view of hints dropped by Ruth, he was inclined to believe that this morning's slaying had no connection with the B. C. X. crime. The girl, after all, was his best source of information.

Just as he was about to turn back and question her further, the horse tracks he was following broke from the bush into the switchback trail and were lost. At once he swung Kaw around for the return canter. Shortly he overtook his own pack cayuse faithfully plodding in pursuit, and took the animal under halter, that it might not become confused at the crossroads.

At the turn, he saw that a group of men had gathered about the lifeless figure of Bart. A freight wagon drawn by three yoke of oxen had been stopped near by and reins dropped on four or five saddle horses. But he looked in vain for his companion of chance. Ruth Duperow and her mount were gone.

CHAPTER XV.

Under Suspicion

None of the usual greetings of the Northern trail were offered Seymour as he rode up to the group. Instead, he found himself the target for a battery of frowning glances. The men presented a stolid front of frigid scrutiny. The probability flashed upon him that, as the first stranger to reach the scene, he was under suspicion in connection with the crime.

The sergeant stopped his horse and was about to dismount when there was a movement among the men. A short, stout man, from whose ample belt dangled a small cannon of a revolver, waddled forth to stand before him.

"What's happened?" asked Seymour quickly decideding to say nothing of his previous visit.

"That's what we're goin' to find out," said the fat man in that shrill small voice with which humans of undue girth often are afflicted. "Who're you?"

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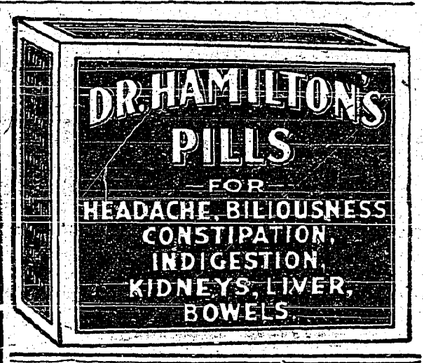

Roman Knight With Sword and Buckler

Interesting Discovery Is Made By a Peasant In Bulgaria

A peasant plowing near a small village in Bulgaria, turned up one of the most interesting archeological finds made in recent years. When the plow struck an obstruction, the peasant found it was a slab of marble. Lifting this a marble tomb was disclosed and within lay a suit of bronze armor of a Roman knight, together with shield, sword, spear and several utensils, including an exquisite vase.

Director Velkoff, of the National Museum, and Mr. Popoff, an expert on Greek antiquities, estimate that the find dates back to the pre-Alexandrine period. They surmise that he may have been a dweller of a Hellenic colony on the Black Sea coast.

On the helmet, well preserved and of a high order of workmanship, were the figures of Apollo, Pallas, Athene, Poseidon, Minerva and Mars. One ear-piece found bore the figure of Zeus with the trident. The other ear-piece was lacking.

The helmet was silvered and some of the white metal still adhered. The human figure that once bore the helmet and carried the weapons was entirely absent, except in the form of ashes in small amount.

"The knight who bore the armor was evidently a high personage," said Director Velkoff. "Therefore, after his body had been deposited in the grave it was burned, an early instance of cremation."

Reforming the Calendar

Scheme Advocated By Winnipeg Man Several Years Ago

The thirteen month calendar scheme recently passed in a resolution by the American Meteorological Society, was advocated by J. W. Harris, a pioneer Winnipegger several years ago.

The calendar reform scheme, as outlined by Mr. Harris, appeared in his book, "The Art of Rapid Computation and Science of Numbers," published in 1919.

The "year of 13 months of four weeks each, with one extra day," is fully explained by Mr. Harris under the general head of "Chronology or Time Computation."

"The 13-month system, with 28 days to each month," says Mr. Harris, "has many points in its favor, and much to commend its adoption for universal use at the earliest possible date. This arrangement of 13 months of four weeks each, with seven days to the week, would leave an extra day in each year, which could be made to occupy a place as a holiday to close the the old year, or to be called New Year's Day and utilized as a holiday to start the year. It would thus cause no disarrangement concerning the names of the days of the week, nor with business transactions generally. The added day for leap year could in like manner be sandwiched between Saturday at the end of the 26th week and the following Monday as an extra holiday to be called "Leap Year Day."

As a name would have to be given to the added or thirteenth month, Mr. Harris suggests that the misleading old names of the months be done away with and they be called the "first," "second," "third," and so on to "thirteenth" month.

Complete Unique Bible

A unique Bible has just been completed by the Bible Society of Maine, after nearly one year's work. The entire book is written by hand, more than 1,600 individuals having esnt in a page of copy, while a number of others made maps and illustrations. A millionaire and a pauper, a merchant and a housewife, a public man and a life prisoner were among those who contributed their quota, while persons of all religious faith are included. The book, it is said, will be used to further the aims and objects of the society, which was founded nearly a century and a quarter ago.

English sailors once believed that a whale crossing before their prow was an ill-luck omen.

WHEN BABY IS ILL

When baby is ill; when he cries a great deal and no amount of attention or petting makes him happy. Baby's Own Tablets should be given him without delay. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels and sweeten the stomach and thus drive out constipation and indigestion; break up colds and simple fevers and make teething easy. They are absolutely guaranteed to be free from opiates and narcotics and can be given to even the new-born babe with perfect safety and always with beneficial results. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Eat Less To Be Thin

A reader writes: "Kindly give regime for quick thinning, as you have for quick fattening.

Reply: Easy. Quit eating. If that's too rapid, eat less. If you want to feel comfortable as you thin, eat nothing but bulky vegetables, but eat plenty of them. Cabbage, cauliflower, lettuce, spinach and all other greens; tomatoes, radishes, turnips, beets, squash, pumpkin and string beans are on the list of bulky vegetables.—San Francisco Bulletin.

Frozen meat first became known to the civilized world when a party of Eskimos brought frozen game in airtight cases to Harwick, England, in January, 1816.

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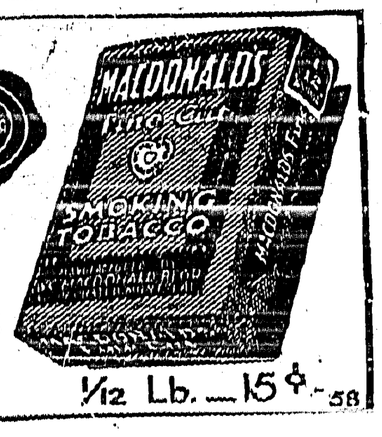

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Marcus G. Geroy, arrested for sending threatening letters to the Prince of Wales, was found mentally unbalanced, and committed to an asylum.

An army order announces that the King has approved of the Winnipeg Rifles being allied to the Rifle Brigade of the Imperial army.

Edmund Decloux and Dr. Eunis have succeeded in making a serum immunizing livestock against anthrax, it was stated in a report from Paris.

Actual construction work on the Port Arthur-Winnipeg link of the Trans-Canada auto highway was commenced Sept. 8, when a party of men left Port Arthur for Shabaqua.

Henry J. Case, 85, inventor of harvesting machinery, is dead at his home at Poughkeepsie, N.Y. Farming implements of all kinds bearing Mr. Case's name have been in use throughout the world.

Soldiers' diaries and letters written at the front during the war are to be compiled by the German Government as part of the history of the world conflict. A bureau for this purpose has been established at Potsdam.

The Duchess Du Mouchy, intimate friend of Empress Eugenie, and one of the last survivors of the famous Tuileries court, is dead. She was a granddaughter of Napoleon's Marshal, Murat.

Capt. E. O. Evans and A. E. Bennett, two Detroiters, completed their record-breaking task of travelling from Winnipeg to Vancouver by automobile. Their route included a 125-mile section through the Fraser canyon over the tracks of the C.N.R.

In a speech delivered at Dundee, Premier Ramsay MacDonald, confessing to feeling "a little tired," said the price paid for the premiership was very high. He sometimes doubted whether anyone in future could hold the position more than 12 months.

Rust resistant wheat is claimed by Samuel Larcombe, Birtle, Man., to have been successfully grown on his farm during the past season. Not only do the samples produced appear to be rust resistant, but they give a higher yield than wheat hitherto grown in Manitoba, according to Mr. Larcombe.

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Would Abate Smoke Nuisance

Government of Great Britain Plans a Fuel Development Survey

The Government of Great Britain, at the instance of the secretary for mines and the department of scientific and industrial research, according to advices received by the Bankers' Trust Company of New York from its English information service, has decided to provide at once for the rapid development of a chemical and physical survey of the coal seams of Great Britain, to determine the possibility of replacing some 140 million tons of raw coal at present burned every year in its natural state by other and smokeless fuels obtainable from coal by carbonization and gasification. It is pointed out in this connection that, if coal can be carbonized on a large scale in such a way as to yield a supply of fuel oil for the navy and mercantile marine, and an important share of motor spirit for use in motor cars and aircraft, the balance of foreign trade would be altered in favor of Great Britain, while the abatement of the smoke nuisance in towns and manufacturing districts owing to the abandonment of raw coal as a fuel would have immediate and far-reaching effects upon the health and housing of the people.

Move To New Farms

Alberta Farmers Take Advantage of Government Offer to Improve Their Condition

Certificates issued by the Department of Agriculture to Southern Alberta farmers wishing to move to other parts of the province already number eighty-five, representing about 60 families. Inquiries and applications are still coming in, and it is expected that there will be a considerable number yet taking advantage of the free transportation provisions.

The farmers who have already moved have chosen widely scattered parts of the country in which to make fresh starts. Some have gone into the extreme southwest corner of the province, and one or two families are settling in the Westlock district, north of Edmonton. The greater number are spreading out at various locations between these two extremes.

Russia's Army

Soviets Double Pay Of Soldiers And Promise More

Soviet Russia has doubled the pay of its army and has given a promise of further pay increases. Nevertheless the Soviet Government has signified its willingness to participate in a conference to consider the reduction of armaments if the conference is held outside of Switzerland.

The Soviet rulers refuse to send a representative to Switzerland until that country makes proper indemnity for the assassination of M. Vorovsky, the Russian representative, who was assassinated in Lausanne during the negotiation of the treaty of 1923.

The dislike between Switzerland and Soviet Russia seems to be mutual. In the last five months Switzerland has refused to admit within its borders any subject of Russia.

Sores Flee Before It.—There are many who have been afflicted with sores and have driven them away with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. All similarly troubled should lose no time in applying this splendid remedy, as there is nothing like it to be had. It is cheap, but its power is in no way expressed by its low price.

Trinidad Honors War Heroes

Beautiful Monument Erected In Park At Port-of-Spain

In memory of those who fell, and in honor of those who served in the Great War, Trinidad has erected a beautiful monument. It is located in the centre of a park at Port-of-Spain, surrounded by tropical scenery. The unveiling of the monument was one of the last public acts in the colony of Governor Sir Samuel Henry Wilson, who left here July 10 to take over the governorship of Jamaica. The memorial consists of a tall, square white column, on top of which is a female figure of victory, with outstretched wings and the left arm raised aloft bearing a wreath. Four broad steps surround the massive base, which supports on one side the giant figure of a Trinidad soldier protecting a wounded companion. The cost was $50,000, raised jointly by public subscription and government contribution.

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Premiers MacDonald and Herriot, backed by the delegations of all other countries at the Geneva convention, put into concrete form a programme which the Assembly of the League of Nations will study, in an effort to elaborate a satisfactory system of compulsory arbitration, designed to put an end to war, prepare the way for a conference on the reduction of armaments, and set up some satisfactory pact of guarantees and mutual assistance which will serve to make compulsory arbitration practicable.

The heads of all 46 national delegations present gave their assent to the resolution, which declared that the object is to strengthen the solidarity and security of nations throughout the world by setting, by pacific means, all disputes which may arise between them.

The attitude of the delegates demonstrated clearly that, although all the countries are ready to accept obligatory arbitration, this form of settlement of conflicts must have, as a security, guarantees based on the employment of force.

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A "murder tree," one with aerial roots and strangle all trees near them, is found in Brazil. One has recently been imported at the Kensington Gardens, London.

Like a Grip at the Throat. For a disease that is not classed as fatal there is probably none which causes more terrible suffering than asthma. Sleep is impossible, the sufferer becomes exhausted and finally, though the attack passes, is left in unceasing dread of its return. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful remedial agent. It immediately relieves the restricted air passages as thousands can testify. It is sold by dealers everywhere.

A class of boys was asked to attempt to write a short story. The shortest story and the best came from the pen of a small boy, who wrote: "One bull, two toreadors; one bull, one toreador; one bull!"—London Morning Post.

WHEN THE BABIES ARE CUTTING TEETH THE MOTHER SHOULD USE

During baby's teething time, especially in the hot summer months, the bowels become loose and diarrhoea, dysentery, colic, cramps, etc. manifest themselves; the gums become swollen, and cankers form in the mouth.

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Abandoned Farms In Alberta

Becoming Plentiful in Southeastern Part of Province

According to the Edmonton Bulletin much land that has been put under cultivation in Southern Alberta will revert to ranch lands. The Bulletin says:

A considerable number of farmers have left the extreme southeastern corner of the province and settled on irrigated lands near Lethbridge during recent weeks, and many more are said to be likely to follow. At the same time the Dominion and Provincial Governments are discussing plans to permit or enable settlers from the same section to move to points in Central and Northern Alberta.

The exodus, of course, is due to continued drought. That portion of the province was formerly a ranching country. It was settled by an influx of farmers ten years or more ago and the range was plowed and turned into wheat fields. In wet years splendid crops have been reaped, but these come too far apart to make grain farming profitable or even possible, at least by ordinary methods of tillage. The settlers have held out through a long and discouraging experience, but abandoned farms are now becoming plentiful and the prospect is that few will be in operation next season. When pressure of population makes it necessary or worthwhile to bring dry belt land and swamp land under cultivated crops, the district may again be homesteaded and farmed by the "intensive method" that so much was heard about a few years ago.

Meantime the outlook is that the cattle will come back to their old stamping ground and the abandoned holdings revert to range land.

For Meatless Days

How to Serve Cheese Instead of a Fish Dish

Perhaps your family doesn't enjoy fish dinners. Perhaps you have trouble getting really good fresh fish. Or maybe your men folks work very hard and need a food higher in stimulating, energizing fuel values than fish.

Then try giving them cheese dishes instead of fish on meatless days.

You will be surprised what a lot of delicious dishes cheese can provide and how pleasant a variant it is from the endless round of steaks, chops and meat stews, and especially as a change from the unsatisfactory fish course which so many dislike.

Cheese is a very nourishing and healthful food. It is the most economical "meat dish" you can serve because cheese is such a highly concentrated food that a little of it goes a long way. A pound of cheese equals in nutriment three pounds of lean beef. It is far more nourishing than the best fish, which is one of the foods lowest in calories.

Cheese is eaten uncooked, but it is capable of scores of delicious cooked dishes. Here is a suggestion that is worth trying:

Cheese and Macaroni Loaf.—½ cup macaroni broken into small pieces, 1 cup milk, 1 cup soft bread crumbs, 1 tablespoonful butter, 1 tablespoon chopped green pepper, 1 tablespoon each chopped onion and parsley, 3 eggs, 1 teaspoon salt, ½ cup Kraft Canadian cheese, rub through grater.

Cook the macaroni in boiling salted water until tender, and rinse in cold water. Cook the parsley, onion and pepper in a little water with butter. Pour off the water or allow it to boil away. Beat the egg white and yoke separately. Mix all the ingredients, cutting and folding in the stiffly beaten whites at the last. Line a quart baking dish with buttered paper; turn the mixture into it; set the baking dish in a pan of hot water, and bake in a moderate oven from one-half to three-quarters of an hour. Serve with tomato sauce.

The Pride Of the Ocean

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Although the British proportion of the world's ocean-going ships has fallen from 44 to 33 per cent. since pre-war days, Sir Thomas Royden, Chairman of the Cunard Company, is still an optimist. "Because we have an inherited instinct for the sea and because our ships are manned by the best men the world produced, this country will always be paramount in the world's shipping," he declared, at the annual prize day on board the Mersey training ship Conway.

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"I can say that sixty per cent. of the exhibitors here are delighted that they came to Wembley. Indirectly, business amounting to hundreds of thousands of dollars has been stimulated, and new channels of commerce opened."

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CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, NOV. 14

Meet the Member

Attention is called to the open meeting Creston board of trade is having on the 18th on, which occasion L. W. Humphrey, M.P. for this riding, will be present to learn of all matters that Creston Valley believes should have consideration at the hands of the federal authorities.

One of the matters he will appreciate getting an expression of opinion on is in as to the advisability of putting in a fruit pre cooling plant somewhere in Creston Valley. Funds for probably four of these in British Columbia may be available and if the Creston district would like one it should not be bashful in making its wants known.

In this connection we hope Wynndel will lose no time in preparing its case. With thirteen cars of berries shipped in an "off" year such as 1924, the need for pre cooling equipment should have a special appeal for the berry growers in that section.

The member's visit might also engage the attention of the reorganizd G.W.V.A., and probably the Women's Institute would like to discuss with him the merits of their recent resolution protesting against alleged discrimination against Halifax in favor of Portland, Maine, in Canadian National Railway ocean shipping, as well as the many immigration resolutions adopted by them in 1923.

With the probable exception of one visit from Senator R. F. Green, when he was the federal representative, this is the first time in ten years, at any rate, that the member at Ottawa has looked Creston up so opportunely, and it is to be hoped his forethought in this connection will not be confined to hearing only such matters as the board of trade will, undoubtedly, have to discuss with him.

Creston Deserves a Place

In competition that is reported to have been almost three times as extensive as a year ago British Columbia apples cleaned up almost all the prizes going at the Imperial Fruit Show held at Birmingham late last month, the winnings being equally notable in both the British Empire and Overseas sections.

For the second time in succession B.C. McIntosh Reds have been adjudged the best dessert apple grown anywhere in the British empire. First prize for culinary apples in this clas were won on Rhode Island Greenings.

In the Overseas section out of fourteen entries B.C. captured twelve first prizes and one second, the red tickets coming on Wealthy, Snow, McIntosh, Jonathan, Cox Orange, Spitzenberg, Yellow Newton, Wagner, King, Northern Spy, Greening and Delicious. The second prize was won on Blenheim Orange.

The B.C. apples were practically all shown by the Associated Growers and were selected from Okanagan districts. Creston joins with the other Kootenay centres in congratulating Okanagan points on the magnificent showing they have made and coupled with the felicitations is the wish that next year, when the Imperial show stuff is being gathered, that greater effort will be made to include Creston apples in the exhibition fruit.

In the early days of the big British fair Creston growers were able to hold their own with all comers and would appreciate being met somewhere half way in their endeavor to have a place in the overseas exhibition display.

The idea of making the Imperial effort reflect credit on all British Columbia, irrespective of where the fruit originated, is quite alright but some of the local growers feel that a little more co operation with Creston this year would have resulted in this district's orchard product having a place in the awards, and a share in the benefits that are bound to accrue.

British Ecletion Benefits

England's end of October general election, which swept the Conservatives into power with a majority of at least two hundred over all the other parties combined, is a political triumph that brought satisfaction to all classes of British Columbia citizenry, regardless of political leanings.

In the general election of less than a year ago, when the British Tories were defeated, one of the feature planks of their platform was an imperial preference on commodities produced within the empire, the very definite assurance being given that if returned apples would come in free from the overseas dominions whilst raw fruit from the U.S. and foreign countries would be liable to a duty of five shillings per hundred pounds.

In last month's campaign the Conservative leader pledged his party to stand by the imperial preference policy enunciated in 1923, and if the incoming British government is able to make good its promise in this direction the gain that will accrue to B.C. fruit growers is hard to estimate.

In addition to fruit, the salmon indurtry will be equally benefitted, as well as the lumber trade, the preference accorded these lines being of the same generous sort.

Poultry Industry Progresses

After carrying off the provincial egg production honors for two years in a row the 1924 supremacy in this line passes from the old reliable Barred Rocks to the White Leghorns, according to the statement just issued in connection with the 52 week egg laying competition which closed at the experimental farm at Agassiz on October 31st.

This year's individual champion has a show of 308 eggs for the twelve months, which is about the same as the high marks established by the Rocks in 1922 and 1923.

In pen totals there was just one egg difference between the winning flock and its next nearest rival, a Langley Prairie fancier's ten Leghorn's winning with a grand total of 2342 eggs.

This year 360 birds were entered and their average is 207 eggs, and as showing how these competitions have benefitted poultrymen it is pointed out that in 1920 the average was but 184.

W. S. McAlpine, of the Barred Feather Poultry Farm, gave Creston some appreciated publicity in this connection his pen of Barred Rocks coming fourth in a class of four entries with a total production of 1792 eggs The McAlpine birds made a strong finish but were very slow in getting started at egg producing on reaching Agassiz.

Of the thirty-six pens entered five breeds were represented, two pens each of Rhode Islands and Anconas, four each of Rocks and White Wyandottes, and the other two dozen pens all White Leghorns.

A ladies lodge of Elks has just been organized at Trail, and a big push is being made to form a Rotary Club.

Residents of Rossland are complaining to the city council that hogs running at large on the streets are becoming a public nuisance.

Penticton has 1273 customers of its domestic water supply.

BAY MARE ASTRAY

Strayed from the Griffin Ranch, Creston, on or about August 15th, one bay mare, five years old, weighs 1400 lbs., with sweeney on right shoulder. Reward to party giving information leading to recovery. G. NICKEL, Creston.

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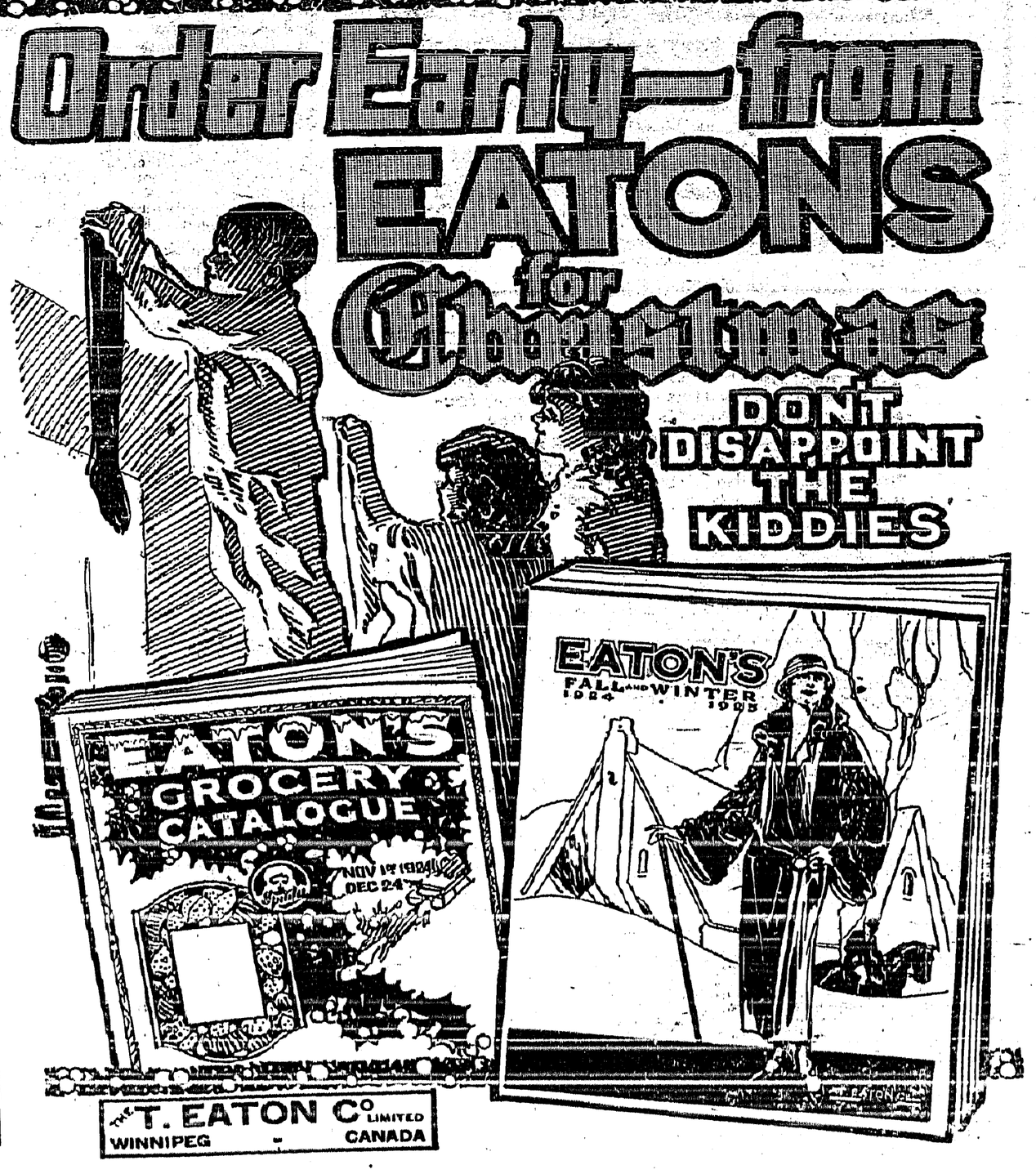

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Principal Jones of Creston school was a visitor at Nelson a few days at the end of the week, attending the Kootenay Teachers' Association annual convention.

Jan Hing, until a year ago proprietor of the Pacific restaurant, was renewing acquaintance in town this week, having just returned from an extended visit to China.

Miss Lyda Johnson was a visitor with Cranbrook friends afew days this week, being one of those in attendance at the G.W.V.A. dance in that city on Monday night.

A. T. Slingsby was here from Kimberley for a short stay at the first of the week with Mrs. Slingsby and family, who have just moved to town from Wymndel.

FOR SALE—Centrally located house with seven rooms, hot and cold water, bath, pantry and good concrete cellar. For further particulars apply Mrs. W. B. Martin, Victoria Ave.

Miss Rose Cherrington of Queen's Bay, who was at the teachers' convention at Nelson on Friday and Saturday, came on to Creston for the weekend with her parents here.

HORSES FOR SALE—Twelve head of horses (all I own); big and small ones, fat ones, old ones, young ones. Prices $50 to $250. Also 14 sets double harness. J. B. Winlaw, Duck Creek.

WANTED—Place to stay for girl attending Creston High School who is willing to work for board and room after school hours and on Saturday and Sundays. Enquire Review Office.

Although the weather was anything but ideal the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid had a large turnout for their Thanksgiving dinner in the Parish Hall on Friday night, the cash intake being almost $85.

Posters are up for an auction sale of cattle, hay, implements, etc., the property of M. Churchill, at his ranch at Alice Siding, on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 22nd. Credit will be given on all sums over $10.

Members and adherents of the Presbyterian Church, as well as all others interested, are reminded of the first-ever visit to Creston of Rev. Clarence McKinnon of Regina, moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, who will speak in the church on Wednesday evening, Nov. 19th, at 8 o'clock prompt.

The Associated Growers have just made an advance payment of 20 cents a box to the ranchers at Penticton.

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Penticton has a debt of $342,000.00 on its irrigation system.

The Knights of Columbus are instituting a lodge at Kelowna.

At Vernon persons who promised money to help out the hospital at the big drive for funds this spring are still forgetful to the extent of $2000.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of Percy Danger (otherwise known as Harvey Pelhan Vernon), late of Lister, in the Province of British Columbia, rancher, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of the said Percy Danger (otherwise known as Harvey Pelhan Vernon), who died on or about the 21st day of June, A.D. 1924, are required, on or before the 15th day of December, 1924, to send by post prepaid or deliver to the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, 590 Pender Street West, Vancouver, B.C., Executor of the estate of the said Percy Danger (otherwise known as Harvey Pelhan Vernon), deceased, their full names, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And take notice that after such last mentioned date the Executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which it shall then have notice, and that the said Executor will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by it at the time of such description.

THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CORPORATION,
Executors.

Cor. Seymour and Pender Sts.,
Vancouver, B.C.

U. B. GARLAND, Creston, B.C.
Solicitor for the Executor.

Dated this 7th day of November, A.D. 1924.

Kaslo Oddfellows opened their newly renovated hall one night last week with a dance, the music for which was supplied by radio from Calgary.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of Province of British Columbia at its next session on behalf of the Associated Growers of British Columbia, Limited, for an Act to be known as the "Associated Growers of British Columbia, Limited, Relief Act," for the purpose of curing all formal defects in, and all formal objections to the validity of all contracts entered into by the Associated Growers of British Columbia, Limited, with individual growers in any of the forms known as Series "A," Series "B," Series "C," or Series "D," and where such contract purports to be made between the Associated Growers of British Columbia, Limited, of the first part, a local association formed under the "Co-Operative Associations Act," of the second part, and the grower of the third part, or where such contract purports to be made between the Associated Growers of British Columbia, Limited, of the one part, and a grower of the other part, without the intervention of such local association, and also for the purpose of providing that where any such contract is produced to the Court proven to have been signed by a grower and it is further proved that the grower has delivered any fruits or vegetables otherwise than in accordance with such contract, the Court shall forthwith restrain by injunction any delivery of such grower's fruits or vegetables otherwise than in accordance with such contract and shall also make an order commanding the grower to deliver the fruits or vegetables in accordance with the provisions of such contract, notwithstanding any defect in the formation, execution or performance of such contract.

Dated at Vernon, B.C., this 8th day of October, 1924.

E. C. MAYERS,
Solicitor for the Applicant, Associated Growers of British Columbia, Limited.

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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Has Hopes For The World

Earl of Balfour An Ardent Advocate Of the League

The Earl of Balfour, in a recent debate in the House of Lords on the question of disarmament professed himself as having some hope for the future.

The League of Nations had been in existence, he said, only a very short time, and yet it had produced a spirit among nations which had not existed before. This spirit was not merely an addition of the various frames of mind of the different foreign offices. It was a collective sentiment. In some respects it might be powerless or might run beyond the possibilities but it undoubtedly was something new in the world. No one could seriously look at what had happened and say it was an institution which the world could readily spare. As the spirit which animated the League went on he saw no reason to doubt that nations could come to see that armaments might be diminished. The fear and jealousy which nations, for historic reasons, entertained for each other would, he hoped, lessen in intensity, for if they did not there would be another war greater than the last, in which civilization would crumble in the dust.

He was hopeful that the disarmament for which they all longed would come gradually as the nations realized that the burden their armaments placed on them was not worth while to bear. He did not despair of that. He might be too optimistic, but even if he were he still said that the work of the League of Nations was a work that made for peace. It was said that the League had aspirations which it could not realize. But it was to be remembered that the League was working under difficulties which its authors never contemplated. It was not a League of all the nations. Among the nations that were left out were three of the greatest materially, and certainly in two cases, spiritually, that the world possessed. Until they saw the League in its completed form let them not say that the original scheme was wrong, and do not let them despair, in face of what had been accomplished by the League in its maimed state, and it would not yet produce a full harvest of peace. For his part he should alway remain an ardent and hopeful advocate of the League.

Growth Of Vancouver

City Shows Remarkable Increase During Last Twelve Years

The Vancouver Province publishes some remarkable facts showing the progress of the city. Its population, which was 100,401, according to the census of 1911, is now estimated in the directory at 217,128; and this estimate is supported by figures showing the customers for water and light service. In 1912 no wheat was exported. Last year the export was 5,619,188 bushels. The number of ocean-going vessels visiting Vancouver was 144 in 1912 and 837 last year. In the same period the value of manufactured products has grown from $17,170,000 to nearly $300,000,000.—Toronto Globe.

Ten years ago grapefruit was almost unknown in Europe. Now it is coming into favor as a breakfast delicacy in England. The British now import large quantities from the United States, and brokers in London report that the remand is steadily increasing.

Radio In the North

Great Boon to Settlers on Eastern Shores of Hudson Bay

The great boon that the radio has become to settlers in the northland is emphasized by Rev. W. Gladstone Walton, a missionary from Ungava, on the eastern shores of Hudson Bay, who has arrived in Toronto. Along the shore, says Mr. Walton, many stations have been erected, and although mails are delivered in Ungava only from two to four times a year, the settlers and traders are getting world news by radio as early as the readers of city newspapers.

Mr. Walton cites the case of a trader at Rupert House, a Hudson Bay post, whose wife left last fall to undergo a serious operation in a United States hospital. Naturally, the trader was anxious to hear how she was getting on. In January of this year he was "listening-in" and heard a Presbyterian clergyman in Pittsburg state that he had been asked to mention that the trader's wife was getting on nicely after a rather serious operation.

Pursued By Cameramen

Says Royalty Must Hate the Man Who Invented Portable Camera

The press is in danger of becoming a public nuisance, because of the scandalous way in which the Prince of Wales has been pursued almost into his own bathroom by cameramen and interviewers, "Ocellus" writes in the weekly review, the Outlook.

"The Prince," the writer declares, "is a public character, but he is entitled to his privacy and to his private friendships, just as the rest of us are. This applies also to the King and Queen and Princess Mary, who can hardly move outdoors without finding themselves in the next day's picture papers. On official functions, this is well enough, but when private visits are concerned, the thing is an outrage. Royalty is proverbially long-suffering, but it must hate the man who invented the portable camera."

Are Returning Home

Large Influx of Canadians From the United States

What local immigration officials believe to be the beginning of a large influx of Canadians from the United States, is seen in the monthly figures issued by the department for August, which show that last month 851 persons entered Canada at the port of Windsor. Of that number 410 were Canadians returning home after years of sojourning in the United States. There were 386 persons refused admission.

At Walkerville, out of 56 persons admitted, 45 were Canadians returning from various parts of the United States, the majority of them, however, being from Detroit. There were 131 rejections. The general trade outlook across the line is believed responsible for the swinging back of so many of those who left their own land for work in Uncle Sam's country.

No Ticket Available

There being a Shakespearean repertoire company in town, a business man said to his secretary: "Send down to the Blank Theatre and get me two tickets for 'Twelfth Night.'" Later the secretary reported: "I couldn't get tickets for the night you specified, sir. The company will only be in town six evenings."—Boston Transcript.

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German Predicts Bicycle Aeroplanes

Results Achieved By Gliders Give Encouragement to Idea

Aeroplanes that are driven not by engines but by muscular power, in much the same way as a bicycle, will become a reality in the near future in the opinion of a German scientist. The discovery that aeroplanes could be driven by gasoline temporarily halted experiments in flying man-propelled machines, but the results achieved by gliders, he declares, give new encouragement to the idea. The planes will have to be built extremely light, although at the same time strong enough to stand the strain, and the legs will have to be the driving force as the hands will be necessary for guiding. The scientist pictures the machine as bi-plane, in the centre of which the flier sits, on a structure looking much like a bicycle, and drives a propeller in the rear.

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Montreal's Rival Port

Every Thirty Minutes Sees One Vessel Arriving and Leaving New York

While practically everyone appreciates vaguely that New York harbor is a busy place, few have any clear idea how busy it really is. For actually one vessel arrives and one vessel departs almost every thirty minutes during business hours, day in and day out. The number of vessels entering New York in 1923 was thus more than 5,000 totalling in the neighborhod of 21,000,000 net tons. The duties collected in the city's port amounted to nearly $325,000,000, or more than one-half of the United States total of about $570,000,000. Such figures challenge the attention of almost everyone, whether directly interested or not in the growth and prosperity of U.S.A.'s greatest metropolis.—Montreal Herald.

WHEN FOOD FAILS

Defective Digestion is the Cause and Misery Follows

There are thousands of people who do not get the proper nourishment from the food they eat, because their digestion is defective. Food that lies undigested in the stomach is not merely wasted, but will ferment and poison your system. Flatulence and sour risings in the throat follow and unless you are careful you will become a chronic dyspeptic.

By toning up the stomach to do the work nature intended, you will remove the cause of the trouble. Nothing will more promptly restore the digestive organs than good new blood. Stomach, nerves and glands all depend on the blood, and when it gets thin and watery they are at once weakened. It is because of their action in building up and enriching the blood that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have proved successful in so many cases of indigestion where ordinary medicines have failed. The new rich blood quickly tones up the digestive organs; the appetite improves and you are able to eat with comfort and get full nourishment from your food.

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through any dealers in medicine, or by mail at 50c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A French criminal feigned dumbness and insanity for 15 years to avoid a prison sentence.

The Oil of the People.—Many oils have come and gone, but Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil continues to maintain its position and increase its sphere of usefulness each year. Its sterling qualities have brought it to the front and kept it there, and it can truly be called the oil of the people. Thousands have benefited by it and would use no other preparation.

No Oil in Philippines

After long prospecting for oil in the Philippines the Standard Oil Company has abandoned its workings. There has been a belief that oil would be found on the Bondog Peninsula of the island of Luzon, but three wells drilled to depths up to five thousand feet failed to show any.

Minard's Liniment for Sprains and Bruises

Western Canada Big Winner

World Standard For Butter Produced In the West

In a recent editorial the Winnipeg Tribune, writing on the progress of dairying in Western Canada, stated: "Creamery products from the western prairies carried off just about 90 per cent. of all the prizes in these classes at the Canadian National Exhibition in Toronto. The Toronto Globe, commenting on the fact gives all credit to the strong organization of creameries built up partly through the efforts of the western provincial governments.

"There is much truth in its observation. Government control of the creamery business in the west, in the early stages more particularly, did result in a degree of standardization and quality production that was the admiration of visiting experts. As the business goes more and more into private control, of co-operative character, the standards are being maintained and in fact improved upon. Whenever western dairy products enter into competition with the products of other parts of Canada or the world at large they reflect credit upon the creameries that produced them.

"There is one factor the Globe overlooks. It is the special quality of western grasses. It is not altogether a result of high manufacturing standards and modern methods that western butter stands so high. There is a quality in the prairie grasses, a something nameless perhaps even to scientific minds, that gives an indefinable quality to the products of these grasses. That applies to beef cattle as well as to dairy products. It comes from the same combination of soil and climate that produces the finest hard wheat in the world.

"The creamery business in the west is steadily developing and advancing. When it attains the production possible to it, together with a higher degree of marketing skill and efficiency, it will become a world standard just as No. 1 Manitoba hard is and it will grow into a source of great income for the west."

Worms in children work havoc. These pests attack the tender lining of the intestines and, if left to pursue their ravages undisturbed, will ultimately perforate the wall, because these worms are of the hook variety that cling to and feed upon the interior surfaces. Miller's Worm Powders will not only exterminate these worms, of whatever variety, but will serve to repair the injury they have done.

Practical Social Service

Western Canada Social Welfare Congresses of the Social Service Council of Canada

The people of Western Canada are indeed fortunate in having in their midst this year, the series of Social Welfare Congresses of the Social Service Council of Canada, which are to be held in the western provinces, from October 13th to 24th inclusive. They are to be great gatherings, and inasmuch as they are the first of the kind to be held in the west, they will be the source of much inspiration and profit to all forward-looking Canadians who are working for the best that can be in practical social service.

Eight distinguished visiting speakers of national reputation representing both Protestant and Roman Catholic Churches will be heard at each place, besides local speakers of outstanding ability; and ample time is to be allowed for discussion following each address.

The subjects will include most of the vital social problems with which those who are working any field of social service are only too familiar. Some of these are; The Underprivileged Child; Religious and Social Welfare; The Community and Social Welfare; The Delinquent Boy; The Delinquent Girl; The Social Diseases; Habit-forming Drugs; The Problem of the Mentally Defective; International Relations, etc. Each subject will be treated by a specialist.

The plans and dates are as follows: Vancouver and Victoria (simultaneous), Oct. 13th and 14th; Calgary and Edmonton (simultaneous), Oct. 16th and 17th; Regina and Saskatoon (simultaneous), Oct. 20th and 21st; Winnipeg and Brandon (simultaneous), Oct. 23rd and 24th.

The Western Congresses will satisfy a real need in the west, providing as they do great forums within easy reach of all Western Canadians, for discussion of the social problems which Canada is facing today in common with many nations.

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Describes Russia As Seething Slum

Squalor and Filth Seen Everywhere Says American Novelist

All Red Russia is a seething slum, according to Fannie Hurst, the American novelist, who arrived in Paris from Moscow. She described Sovietism as a great beast, half-stupid, half-mad, on its back in death agony.

Two months ago she was an avowed Marxian and an enthusiastic defender of the Communist revolution. She is sailing a sadder but wiser woman, and ready, according to her own statement, "to climb down from the soap box forever." In all the reign of terror only one man—Trotzky—seems to have the white light of inspiration, says Miss Hurst. She said:

"In everyone's face you see nothing but fear, overwhelming fear. Leningrad and Moscow today seem as though people from Cherry and Allen Street, in New York, have moved from their slums to Park Avenue and continued to hang clothes from the front windows, put coal in the bathtubs and never bother to repair the streets.

"Russia is still chaos, with poverty among the Bourgeois as well as the professional classes, and squalor and filth everywhere."

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective, is mild.

Paris a City of Beards

"Paris was a city of beards," says a New Yorker back from the French capital, "of which there were 40 shapes, more or less, according to profession, from the cook type to the judge type. Every barber had one razor seldom used, and a battery of curling irons to put waves in the beards. Hair dye, brilliantine and perfume were used under all self-respecting French silk hats."

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A New Sense Of Permanence Is Expressed On The Prairies By The Cultivation Of Trees

"Today on the prairies of Western Canada a forest is being planted that will be 'The Forest of Ten Million Children.'"

So says C. J. Broderick, Lethbridge, Alberta, in the opening sentence of an article in the August-September issue of "Illustrated Canadian Forest and Outdoors." The balance of Mr. Broderick's article follows:

During the last twenty years 70,039,000 trees have been planted by the farmers of the prairies. Divided into farm units, this number of trees represents conservatively 40,000 well cultivated and successfully growing shelter belts and plantations.

Measured in money, these tree belts are valued at $12,000,000! But who can measure a tree in money! Who can measure the joy of birds that nest in the branches of trees, or the joy of children playing in leafy shade, or the joy of old age in the peace that trees bring?

Twenty years ago it was current belief that trees would not grow on the prairies. In 1901, however, the Government got 47 Manitoba farmers to agree to take between them 58,000 seedlings and look after their growth. The success which attended these was soon evident and by 1904 almost two million more had been distributed. Slowly the movement crept westward. Alberta and Saskatchewan were not keen for trees at first, impetuous youth was then in the saddle with an eye only for the present—trees and the future would wait until youth had grown rich and achieved leisure. But youth has grown old and has settled down. The old feeling of "here today and gone tomorrow" is not prevalent now. In nothing is this new sense of permanence so well expressed as in the many new clumps of trees dotting the prairies. Perhaps it is due in some part to the war and the sobering effects of the post-war period, but whatever the reason, the people of the west are planning for the future—they are planting trees.

Southern Alberta, once the home of great cattle ranches and vast treeless plains fenced only by the mountain on the west and the horizon on the east—Southern Alberta is now actually setting the pace in farm tree plantations.

Irrigation, of course, is responsible for most of this activity in Alberta. Farms watered artificially are necessarily smaller than those depending upon rainfall and, with smaller farms, homes are brought closer together with a correspondingly closer community of effort. A constant, controllable supply of moisture has brought in its trail, too, a feeling of security and permanence, a feeling that finds reflection in the home setting.

There are some truly beautiful farmsteads observable in these irrigated belts—farmsteads that carry one back to the eastern provinces or the New England states. In the shelter of thickly planted groves of trees, are gardens in which can be found every variety of bloom—roses, lilacs, snowballs, asters, hollyhocks, larkspur. All kinds of small fruits, strawberries, raspberries, loganberries. Tomatoes grow easily and even canteloupes are matured successfully. These things do not grow on the open prairie, they are possible simply because it has been demonstrated that trees can be made to thrive on the plains.

One farmer, on being asked, placed a value of $5,000.00 on his trees. And yet, less than twenty years ago, that same farmer would have laughed at the thought of growing trees on the prairie!

The writer had occasion recently to travel through a strip of country just north of Lethbridge, a strip which had been brought under irrigation this year. Farms had been worked for years on what is called a "dry farming" basis. In "wet years" great crops of wheat were raised, but the "wet years" not being frequent, the farmers organized themselves for irrigation and with the assistance of the Government, a system was constructed.

Coming as we had from one of the older irrigated tracts where many of the farmers had splendid groves of trees, this new tract seemed barren. Farm homes, some of them very fine homes indeed, stood out nakedly against the sky. The farms were large, 640 acres in many cases. Houses were at long intervals and there was lacking that close neighborly communion so evident in older districts. There were no trees.

Here was a district in process of transition. A few years hence it will be well treed and closely settled. Already the large individual holdings were being cut up into smaller parcels, and new settlers were coming in to take up these surplus areas. We stopped to talk to one of these newcomers. Almost the first subject he mentioned was—trees!

He had come from a territory of scant and irregular rainfall. In common with farmers the world over he had had his troubles and worries. Now, in his new location, with water running in ditches by his fields, he was discovering a new outlook, and this outlook he expressed in—trees.

"In a few years," he said, "you won't know this place for trees!"

"Over there"—he pointed to the place—"I'm going to put my house. I can get the water all around that spot and it won't be long before I have a grove of trees—cottonwoods and maples. And along that road there, leading down to Wilson's, I'll run a solid wall of caragana hedge."

That man has an aim in life, he is planning far ahead into the future—he is planting trees. Therein is invigorating the west—the spirit of permanence that the west most needs.

It is good that the west is planting trees. There can be no better monument to the pioneers who labored and strived and hoped. It will be by trees that those to come will judge us.

Is it too much to say that these plantations are but the forerunner of what will be "The Forest of Ten Million Children!"

Exports of Livestock and Meats

Figures Show Big Increase For First Seven Months of Year

Our exports of domestic livestock and meats, according to Dominion Livestock Branch reports, to Great Britain during the first seven months of the year compared with the same period in 1923 were: 40,026 cattle compared with 34,152; 2,357,200 lb. of beef compared with 5,108,500 lb.; 62,411,600 lb. of bacon compared with 57,408,300 lb.; and 3,201,300 lb. of pork compared with 1,738,700 lb.

To the United States during the same periods were sent 45,082 cattle compared with 34,152; 20,708 calves compared with 13,745; 390 sheep compared with 3,817; 7,411,200 lb. of beef compared with 3,923,700 lb.; 253,300 lb. of bacon compared with 91,900 lb.; 818,900 lb. of pork compared with 412,900 lb.; and 25,600 lb. of mutton compared with 60,600 lb.

Improved Marketing Methods

Old Country Adopts Saskatchewan System of Marketing

Following the example of Saskatchewan, the Imperial Government has decided to appoint a commissioner of markets with four marketing officers to assist him with the object of improving the marketing system in the Old Country.

In making the anonuncement, Sir R. A. Saunders, Minister of Agriculture, referred to the remarkable results achieved by agricultural co-operation in Saskatchewan, according to advices received

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Another step towards improving the morale of prisoners has been taken by British authorities. It has been decided to abolish the "broad arrow" from prison clothes and to provide ordinary lounge suits for the inmates.

Cancels Trip To Pole

ROALD AMUNDSEN

Arctic explorer, who filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy, has definitely cancelled his projected aerial trip to the North Pole, and has requested that his estate be placed under a public receivership, so that he can get his financial difficulties straightened out in full view of the public. He considers himself solvent.

Quality of Western Grain Unsurpassed

Practically All World Records Made By Prairie Provinces

The basic industry of the west is agriculture. The heart of the west still beats to the flow of the golden grain. And where in the earlier years of the twentieth century crops of 20,000,000 to 50,000,000 bushels of wheat were considered record-breaking, 1922 and 1923 yields approximated 500,000,000 bushels each. In 1921 the wheat crop of Saskatchewan alone exceeded in value by $18,000,000 the total output of gold from the Klondike during the whole of its history.

Canada, by virture of its prairie provinces, which produce 90 per cent. of its yield, has climbed to second place as a producer of wheat, and it is taken for granted that within the next few years it will beat out the United States for the premier position. The quality of the grain produced in the west is unsurpassed, practically all world records having been made by western farmers.

A notable achievement in this direction was the discovery, some 20 years ago, of Marquis wheat by Dr. Charles E. Saunders, Dominion cerealist. It is a grain that comes to fruition in 100 to 110 days, capitalizing the brief summer of the northwest and offering strong resistance to rust. In 1905 the total crop was one pound; in 1918, the estimated value of this wheat grown in Canada and the United States was $600,000,000.

Would Remove Drudgery From Farm Life

Problems Affecting Women on the Farm Are Discussed in Ontario

Women's view of the problems of farm life were presented to the Agricultural Enquiry Committee of the Ontario Legislature recently. Domestic, Social, educational and economic phases of farm life were all covered by the various speakers.

The Monday wash-day and the Tuesday ironing were particularly assailed as institutions which should be eradicated. Accounts of how American communities had replaced this work by co-operative laundries, were given to the committee and urged as being worthy of imitation. It was explained that co-operative laundries could be established in connection with co-operative creameries, the same machinery being adaptable to both purposes.

Rural nursing and more enlightened medical care for the rural mother were also stressed as one of the great advances needed in the country. Production of quality produce and the adoption of intelligent co-operative marketing, were further recognized as of financial importance, and the need of rural education which would foster an appreciation of rural life, was strongly emphasized.

Just to show his friends that he can swim, although he recently became a grandfather of twin daughters, a man of Thibodaux, La., swam across the Mississippi River.

Beauty specialists say tight-fitting hats will cause baldness in both men and women.

Western Lignite Utilization May Solve The Fuel Problem For Large Section Of Prairies

Natural Resources Bulletin

Dangerous Driving By Motorists A Menace to Child Life

The Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior at Ottawa says:

The rapidity with which the highways are being improved throughout the country is creating a traffic problem that is becoming exceedingly difficult to deal with. It is an unfortunate fact, also, that the provision of good roads is looked upon by many drivers of motor cars and trucks as an incentive to excessive speed, in many cases combined with a carelessness, little short of criminal.

Throughout our smaller municipalities bordering on these good roads there is a constant danger of accidents to pedestrians and especially to children. It is difficult at all times to keep children off the street, especially in country places where there are no sidewalks, and drivers should be compelled—if they will not do it otherwise—to exercise every caution. The legal speed limit does not give any motorist the right to create dangerous conditions. When such conditions are the result of carelessness, negligence or deliberation, the law should be sufficiently drastic to prevent its recurrence by either the driver or the car.

The safety of the young life of Canada—the most valuable natural resource which this country possesses—is of far more importance than the liberty of dangerous drivers, and the children should be protected at all hazards. The appeal of Alfred G. Vanderbilt, in the last hour of the ill-fated Lusitania, "Come and let us save the Kiddies," might with advantage be permanently affixed to the windshield of every motor car, as a testimony to the value of child life and the need for its preservation.

To Assist Sheep Industry

Breeding Ewes to be Admitted Free of Duty For a Certain Period

Word has been received by F. H. Auld, Vice-President of the Western Canada Livestock Union, that an order-in-council has been passed by the Federal Department at Ottawa authorizing the remission of duties to grade breeding ewes imported from the United States into Canada for the period from September 1st to November 30th. Such importations will be subject to regulations under act.

"There is a keen demand for grade breeding ewes in Western Canada and the demand for some time has been greater than the supply," states Mr. Auld. "And in order to assist the sheep industry, the Western Canada Livestock Union has been urging the Dominion Government to admit breeding ewes free of charge for a period of three or four months." This order-in-council will give the Saskatchewan and Manitoba farmers an opportunity to start new flocks, or increase their present flocks at a reasonable price, and such increases will provide new markets for the sale of pure-bred rams by western breeders.

Farm Boys' Camps

Four Camps Were Held This Year In Saskatchewan

Under the auspices of the Saskatchewan Agricultural Extension Service, four Farm Boys' Camp have been held this summer throughout the province, with an attendance of 483 teenage agrarians, who entered with zest into the stock judging competitions and special events.

These camps were located at Yorkton, where 56 boys were present; North Battleford, attended by 41 boys; Saskatoon, with an enrollment of 235; and a camp at Manitou Lake in charge of N. G. Bruce, with 36 boys under canvas.

Besides these camps a large number of excellent stock judging competitions were conducted under the auspices of agricultural societies in order to select the best five boys to attend one of the larger camps.

A remarkable flight of the painted butterfly in California has been followed by a serious outbreak of caterpillars, which are attacking garden plants of all kinds.

Canada is working unceasingly to solve her coal problem, which is to supply the great industrial and coalless area of Central Canada with domestic fuel at an economical rate. To this end no efforts have been spared and experiments and researches have been carried out along various lines. But recently an appropriation of $200,000 was passed in the House of Commons for the purpose of providing assistance in transportation of Canadian coal to Central Canada, it being the intention of the Government to carry out test hauls of coal in order to encourage the industry and if possible to demonstrate the feasibility of such provision.

Among the various means adopted by the Government to arrive at a solution or partial solution of the coal question was the creation in 1918 of the Lignite Utilization Board to devise a means of utilizing the lignite which occurs in Eastern Saskatchewan and Manitoba, which is the only fuel of those areas, but which falls to pieces when mined and has therefore only a restricted use. Enormous supplies of this fuel are available in those sections.

The Lignite Board, acting for the Government of Canada, Manitoba and Saskatchewan, had to deal chiefly with carbonizing and solidifying the material so that it could stand carriage for long distances. Five years were spent in experimentation and demonstration, which involved the construction of a large plant at Bienfait, Saskatchewan, in 1921, and the establishment of a large oven which was completed in June of last year. This operated continuously and successfully up to December, carbonizing three thousand tons of lignite. The board in its report claims that it has reached the point where it can produce a carbonized lignite briquette for domestic consumption and that the technical process has been completely demonstrated with full scale apparatus suitable for commercial conditions.

The concluding chapter in the years of work for a provision of domestic fuel from the Manitoba and Saskatchewan fields is now being written. Control of the plant at Bienfait is now in the hands of the Saskatchewan Government, which is negotiating with one or two firms to take over the plant and operate it as a commercial utility, according to an announcement of Hon. J. G. Gardiner, minister in charge of industries. The Federal Government, he stated, has relinquished its equity in the plant to the Saskatchewan Government, providing the plant and equipment are used to complete the work as originally planned.

"The plant has served its purpose in demonstrating the possibility of making briquettes from carbonized lignite," he is quoted as saying, "and what remains now is to prove the commercial feasibility of the project. It is not the policy of the Government to embark on any commercial undertaking, and we are therefore endeavoring to secure private capital to undertake the commercial operation of the plant under some form of lease."

Boy Scout Movement In Norway

The Boy Scout movement has grown speedily in Norway, only 200 boys being present at the first national camp in 1914, against 2,000 which recently pitched their camp at a beautiful tract near Lake Mjosen. Scouts were there from the most northerly corps in the world, from the little town of Hammerfest. While in camp King Haakon paid the Scouts a visit.

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FOR SALE—Draft and saddle horses, well broke. Dowd Cannaday, Creston.

WANTED—Strictly fresh eggs, also winter pears. R.B. McKewen, Fernie, B.C.

FOR SALE—Saddle horse, weighs 1100 lbs., will sell cheap. Creston Hotel.

PIANO FOR SALE—Mason & Risch, only used four months. Mrs. d'Felaise, Creston.

PIGS FOR SALE—Yorkshires, seven weeks old, $5 apiece. R. Stewart, Alice Siding.

A. A. McKinnon of the Cranbrook foundry, was a business visitor in Creston on Friday.

HAY FOR SALE—Five tons alfalfa, in prime shape, will deliver if desired. A. Wesling, Canyon.

Mrs. R. B. Staples arrived home on Saturday, after almost a month's stay with Spokane friends.

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

Miss Carrie of the high school teaching staff, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at her home in Nelson.

Thanksgiving Day passed off very quietly, weather conditions being unfavorable for even the hunters.

POTATOES FOR SALE—Quantity of Gold Coin potatoes for sale, in fine shape. J. W. Robinson, Creston.

Howard Allan of Trail was a Creston visitor a few days this week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cherrington.

COWS FOR SALE—Some have just freshened and balance will freshen in a few days. D. Learmonth, Creston.

Dong Barney, the local Chinese mogul, was a business visitor at Kimberley a few days the early part of the week.

W. Morton, of Vancouver, western inspector of the Bank of Commerce, was here on an official visit at the end of the week.

COCKERELS FOR SALE—About thirty Purebred Barred Rock cockerels from splendid laying strain, $3 apiece. G. Cartwright, Erickson.

HORSE FOR SALE—4 years old, will work, drive or can be used as saddle horse. Will sell right. A. Anderson, Victoria Ave., Creston.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Six room house with cement basement, with five lots, situated on Park Road, will sell right. Mrs. Cannaday, Creston.

Miss M. McCaslin, of the teaching staff of Cranbrook school, spent the Thanksgiving weekend here with her sister, Mrs. H. McLaren.

Anglers are reminded that the trout fishing season closes to-morrow, and that fishing through the ice is prohibited in the winter season.

Due to the visit of the moderator on the 19th the November meeting of the W.M.S. is postponed until Tuesday, November 25th, at the manse.

Four bids are in for the 45 cords of wood required at Creston school this term. Tenders will be opened at the trustee meeting on Monday night.

Miss Olsen, teacher of the primary room, was a Thanksgiving weekend visitor with Trail friends, after attending the teachers convention at Nelson on Friday and Saturday.

F. H. Turner, who recently sold his residential property in Creston to A. E. Davies, left at the end of the week for the coast, where he is compelled to make his home in future due to poor health.

STOVE FOR SALE—McClary coal heater. $12. Ralph Clarke, Wynndel.

The prediction is being made that the winter will be an early one due to the fact that the cattle started coming in for winter shelter at the end of the week—an unfailing sign according to the cattlemen.

Following a week of snowy and rainy weather the Valley is now experiencing a touch of winter, commencing at the first of the week, the mercury on Wednesday morning going as low as 19 above zero.

Lidgate Bros. report a considerable demand for radio outfits this month. Two installations were made last week. One at the Henry Brownrigg home at Erickson, and the other at the Whitesides residence at Sirdar.

The G.W.V.A. had a very efficient staff of salespeople handling the sale of poppies this year, and in the neighborhood of 600 of them were disposed of locally. For all Canada some two million of them were imported this year.

Observers of animal life are predicting a very light snowfall this winter due to the fact that the muskrats are building their huts very thick with mud, the deduction being that very little snow is hoped for to help keep out the cold.

Miss Doyle, accountant with Creston Growers, Limited, left on Monday, for a visit with her parents at Nelson. Growers, Limited, shipped their last cars of fruit on Wednesday, and final payments were made their ranchers at the end of the week.

Mrs. G. P. Smith, wife of former Principal Smith of the public school, was a visitor with Creston friends this week, the guest of Mrs. Hayes. She is en route to Wetaskiwin, Alberta, to join her husband, who is teaching in that town this year.

J. D. Moore of Kaslo, the provincial road superintendent for this district, was here at the first of the week making arrangements for the getting out of the necessary timber for new approaches at both ends of the bridge at Goat River Landing.

The first whist drive of the season is scheduled for to night at the Parish Hall, under the auspices of the Women's Institute, with cards due to start at 8.30, and after the lunch there will be a short musical programme. The admission is 50 cents.

H. S. McCreath, who has been doing a considerable trade in feed oats the past few months, is now handling a line of all mill feeds, unloading his first car on Saturday at the former S. A. Speers store. This makes four firms in the feed business in town at present.

R. Lamont was sufficiently recovered from his recent severe illness to be able to leave on Sunday for Hamilton, Ontario, where he will remain for at least the winter recuperating his health. His brother, George, who visited him two years ago, came from Hamilton to accompany him to that city.

At the new egg laying competition at the experimental farm at Agassiz, which commenced on November 1st, the McAlpine pen are off to a fine start being at the head of the six pens of Barred Rocks entered for the 1924-25 contest, with a showing of 39 eggs for the seven days. Their nearest opponent totalled 31 eggs.

The final returns have just been made in connection with the beer vote in June and these show that the Creston constituency gave a majority of 144 in favor of beer. There was 73 spoiled ballots. The politicians are predicting that no move will be made on the beer question at the present session of the legislature.

All interested are reminded of the open meeting of Creston Board of Trade on Tuesday night next in Speers' Hall, when L. W. Humphrey, M.P., will be present to hear of any and all matters that citizens would like him to take up with the government at Ottawa, the next session of parliament being set for January.

Joe Brown, who for the last twelve years has been employed at the McCreath livery and various other jobs, as well as doing a little ranching, left on Friday last for Kamloops, where he will in future make headquarters at the old man's home in that city. He is the fourth citizen to be taken care of there in the last seven years.

Announcement was made at the Presbyterian Church on Sunday night that Rev. Clarence McKinnon of Regina, Sask., moderator of the Presbyterian Church in Canada will be visiting Creston Wednesday evening, Nov. 19th, and will address the congregation here on the church union question, on which a final vote will be taken very shortly as union to with the Methodists and Congregationalists is now announced to become effective June 10th next.

A breeze that originated somewhere in the neighborhood of the Artic circle prevailed on Monday, in consequence of which the turnout at the veterans Armistice Day exercises at the memorial was not as large as usual, and the affair was made as brief as possible. The usual two minute's silence was observed at 11 o'clock, following which C. B. Garland spoke briefly but in practical terms as to the meaning of Armistice Day and why it should be observed. This was followed by the placing of wreaths, the singing of the national anthem, and the crowd dismissed immediately after the bugler Geo. Davis sounded the last post.

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