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Lister

Rev. A. Garlick had the usual good turnout for the Anglican Church worship at the schoolhouse on Sunday morning, which was followed by Holy Communion. At the service arrangements were completed for the canvass of the area on behalf of the Bible Society.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemke have arrived from Nordegg, Alberta, and pending the arrival of their furniture are stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Jock Osborne. Mr. Lemke recently purchased the former Stone-Langston farm of 20 acres as well as the former Lance Lowes place in the same locality.

The weekend saw the sale compleded of another of the unoccupied farms. The purchaser is Wm. Ramm, who is at present at Canyon, who has bought the former Vinc. Liddicoat farm of 20 acres. He takes possession immediatley but will not be moving until later as the house on the place requires considerable fixing up.

Another sale of property that has been completed is the former Chalmers place of 20 acres, about opposite the school, which has been bought by a Mr. Herman, who has just arrived from Weyburn, Sask., and who, we understand, will move in at once and commence spring work.

Still another property sale was completed early this week when the former Hurl place was purchased by a Mr. Daus, also of Weyburn, Sask., who is to get immediate possession. There is 20 acres in the property.

The canvass for funds for the Bible Society is under way this week, under the direction of Mrs. Bird. Lister made the very fine contribution of $19 in 1929, ank it is expected as good work will be done this year.

Notices are up for the annual meeting of Lister Waterworks District, to be held at the schoolhouse on March 15, at which the regular reports will be presented and a trustee elected to succeed R. T. Millner whose term ha expired. This meeting will conclude at 8. p.m., and between then and 9 p.m. a vote of the property owners will be taken to authorize the borrowing of another $5000 to complete the project, which will bring the total cost up to $65,000. R. A. Hunt, secretary of the Land Settlement Board, will be here to act as returning officer on the vote on the money by-law.

Average attendance at Lister school for February was 94 per cent. of the enrollment, according to the official report just issued by the principal, Miss Curtis. Those making highest standings were: Grade 6—Douglas McKee, Frank Yerbury. Grade 5—Clara Domke. Grade 4—Douglas Sinclair, Ruby Ross, Kirk Beard. Grade 3—Cyril Bird, Gladys McCulloch, Raymond McKee, Manning Powers. Grade 2—Margaret Dent, Alice Wellspring, Roddy Davie. Grade 1a—Kate Davie. Grade 1b—Margaret Sinclair, Millie Beard, Eric Jacks. Grade 1c—Gilbert McCulloch, Raymond McCulloch.

Perfect attendance—Cyril Bird, Clara Domke, Martha Domke, Douglas McKee, Raymond McCulloch, Douglas Sinclair, Margaret Sinclair.

Alice Siding

Mrs. A. Mathews of Nelson is renewing acquaintances in this section, a guest of Mrs. J. R. Miller.

J. C. Martin was a business visitor at Nelson a couple of days at the end of the week.

The Whist Club had a full turnout of members at last week's meeting at the home of Mrs. Bourne, at which the prize scores were made Bessie McDougall and Jim Taylor. Tonight the club will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin.

J. C. Martin has had such a demand for his implements and furniture that by now all of these have been disposed of and the auction sale announced for the 15th has been cancelled.

In the way of movings the Alice Siding district has created a Kootenay record at least, for the past weeh, when the getting settled in changed homes averaged one a day. Fred Kelly has moved from the former Beazer place to Mr. Skalen's (former Stace Smith) ranch; T. Argyle has shifted from the Dick Smith residence to the Beazer place; Dick Smith returns to his own home after spending the past six month,s in the home of his mother; Mrs. Stace Smith moves from from Jack Smith's to her own home; Mr. and Mrs. J. H Webster have gone to Creston to reside and their ranch has been leased to Franz Paigan; and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tooze and family have moved to Erickson where they are on the Mrs. Maxwell ranch, and are replaced on the Rose ranch by Mr. and Mrs. Krygsveld, who came from Camp 2 near Lister.

Canyon City

After a week's visit at her home here Miss Ruth Clayton has returned to Nelson.

Berggr n & McQueen are making arrangements to operate two shifts at the tie mill they are operating at Stony Point.

Pruning is quite general in this section at pr sent. The outloook for the McIntosh and Wealthy apples is good, but the winter varieties are only showing up average. Cherries are also promising.

A. A Bond left for Calgary, Alberta, a few days ago, where he has secured a plastering contract in the new Bank of Montreal building in that city.

At the Farmers' Institute meeting on Saturday the secretary was requested to get into communication with the post-office department enquiring into the matter of a rural mail delivery for the East Creston, Erickson and Canyon districts.

About 50 residents of Canyon were at Creston on Tuesday night for the local vaudeville performance at the Grand theatre in which the Canyon school children, under the direction of the teachers, Principal Stephens and Miss Lister, repeated some of the numbers given at the Christmas concer here, and certainly scored a tremendous success. After the concert the ch ldren were treated to a supper by the church ladies at the home of Mrs. Payne.

Canyon Trading Company are now occupying their new store which is built at a more convenient location near the road. The new premises are about 24 x 40 feet with the interior fixtures enabling Mr. Wood to make a much better display of the whole stock and giving the store throughout an attractive appearance. In their new place of business Canyon Trading Company have a store that is in every way a credit to the district and the owners.

Vaudeville Show Packs Theatre

Canyon School Children Score Tremendous Success—Every Number on Long Programme Accorded Generous Applause

Entertainment in quantity, excellent quality, and in considerable variety was provided at the vaudeville performance put on by the Ladies' Guild of Christ Church on Tuesday night, to a crowd that taxed the capacity of the Grand theatre to the limit.

Each of the ninete n numbers on the programme were so uniformly popular with the large crowd that the Raview has no intention of singling out any one, two or half a dozen of them and labelling them as particularly outstanding. The programme which follows will tell the whole story.

Overture—Players' Orchestra.
Piano duett—Babs and John Spencer.
Recitation—Cyril Abbott.
Instrumental trio—Mrs. Lister, Mrs. Constable, Mr. G. Lunt.
Comic sketc —E. Wheeler.
Solo—(a) "Slave Soug." (b) "Keop on Hoping." Mrs. H. Langston.
Chorus and Irish Jig (Canyon children)—Grace Bond, Pearl Gillespie. Babs Spencer, Phyllis Abbott, Ethel VanAckeran, Bessie Hurl, Clara Nygaard, Annie Berggren, Annie Gartland, Stella Zachodnik, Helen and Agnes Johnson.
Solo—"Garden of My Heart," W. H. Fortin.
Recitation—Babs Spencer.
Solo—' The Egg," Mr. Stephens.
Selection—Players' Orchestra.
Musical Sketch—Mrs. H. Langston, Molly Moore, Nellie Payne. and Blanche York.
Butterfy Dance (Canyon children)—Flower girls: Miriam and Jean Spencer, Borg Olson, Joyce Clayton, Helen Hook, Leona Browell, Mary Nygaard. Butterflies: Babs Spencer, Cassie Hook, Ethel VanAckeran, Grace Bond, Phyllis Abbott Helen Humbl , Pearl Gillespie.
Solo—(a) "From the Land of Sky Blue Water." (b) "Sea Rapture," Mrs. W. Jewitt.
Instrumental trio—Mrs. Lister, Mrs Constable, Mr. G. Lunt.
Song and Dance—Ethel VanAckeran.
Chorus—"Little Chink," (Canyon children) Babs Spencer, Pearl Gillespie, Cassie and Helen Hook, Joyce Clayton, Mary Nygaard. Miriam and Jean Spencer, Helen Humble. Leona Browell. Phyllis Abbott, Borg Olson, Bill Abbott.
Comedy Sketch, "The Impossible Perkins."—Mrs. R. Andestad, Miss E. Towson, Mrs. C. Hindley.
Selection—Players' Orchestra.

Commendation, however, is certainly due the effort of the Canyon public school children, under the direction of the teachers, Miss Vera Lister and Principal Stephens. The "Chorus and Irish Jig," "Butterfly Dance," and "Little Chink," were certainly the finest juvenile effort ever seen in Creston. And equally notable was the song and dance executed by Ethel VanAckeran, whose number was probably the most popular of the evening. And we just can't withhold a mention of Leona Browell, Helen Hook, Jean Spencer and Borg Olson who comprised the ' wink" quartette in "Little Chink;" whose effort was certainly a feature rf the lighter side of the entertainment.

Wynndel

Arnie Andestad was a business visitor at Cranbrook last week.

Mrs. John Bathie left last week for Winnipeg, Man., where she is visiting with relatives.

Miss S. Benedetti was a Cranbrook visitor last week, a guest of her sister, Mrs. Fioertino.

Mrs. Mathews of Nelson was a visitor here a few days last week,a guest of Mrs. Matt. Hagen.

The March meeting of the Women's Auxiliary will be at Mrs. Towson's on Wednesday, 12th, 2.30 p.m.

The date of the annual meeting of Wynndel Co-Operative Fruit Growers' Association is set for Friday, March 14th, at 8 p.m. at the old schoolhouse. The balance sheet has been issued and distributed to shareholders.

Joe Fiorentino of Cranbrook was a Wynndel visitor last week.

Mrs. Hindley, Miss E. Towson, Mrs. R. Andestad were representing Wynndel at the Christ Church Ladies' Guild vaudeville entertainment at Creston Tuesday night.

Sirdar

Miss Dorothy Cam has returned to Nelson after spending the past month with her mother at Sirdar.

C. Wilson was a visitor in Nelson for a few days last week.

Mr. Kincaid of Revelstocke was a busines visitor in Sirdar last week.

Mrs. Martin, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Whiteside, at Crowsnest, returned on Monday.

Miss Eileen Heap returned home on Sunday after a two weeks' visit with friends in Cranbrook.

R. Moore was renewing acquaintances in Sandpoint, Idaho at the weekend.

Mrs. Simpkin of Lethbridge, Alberta, who has been visiting with Mrs. Heap for the past few months, left for Idaho Falls, Idaho, on Wednesday.

Denzil Maxwell arrived from Cranbrook to work as yard switchman.

Misses Morris and Williams were visiting with Mrs. Payne in Creston on Tuesday. Mrs. Dennes was at the metropolis on Friday.

Vic. Grundy was a visitor at Yahk on Friday.

Local and Personal

March was ushered in in real lion like fashion, with quite a stiff gale blowing in from the north during Saturday. While the days are moderately sunny mornings and nights have a cold touch to them.

Canvassers are abroad at all points in the Valley this week in the interests of the local branch of the Canadian Bible Society. Last year $180 net was raised for this work, and the 1930 showing is expected to be just as good.

There was a large turnout of orchardists on Tuesday afternoon for the meeting under Creston Growers, Limited, auspices, at which R. B. Staples discussed the amendments to the Fruit Marketing Act and fully explained the proposed provincial pool. It is expected, however, that Creston Valley growers will not be included in the pool.

There was a fair turnout of fans for the baseball meeting on Sunday afternoon at which officers were elected as follows: President, Frank Putnam; vice-presid- L. C. McFarland; secretary-treasurer, M. R. Joyce; manager, R. M. Telford. It is expected a meeting will be held at Bonners Ferry on the 23rd to arrange for organization of the Libby-Sandpoint-Bonners Ferry-Creston league.

Fred Hurry of West Creston is a hospital patient at Cranbrook where he is being treated for a broken leg which he sustained in a runaway accident on Thursday afternoon last. While driving along the grade paralelling the C.P.R. track from Third to Fourth Street his team got out of control, and in trying to prevent a runaway Mr. Hurry headed the horses into the trees at the King George Hotel, and when they came to the sudden stop he was jolted off the wagon down behind the horses receiving a fast kick in the left leg just above the ankle. He was taken to the Creston Hotel where Dr. Henderson attended him and on Friday was taken to Cranbrook hospital. The break is a bad one and it may be necessary to amputate the leg.

Miss Rita Elliott, Vancouvers' young lady evangelist, for thus she is known, although not much out of her teens, has had considerable experience attended with much success. Miss Elliott has just completed a seven-weeks' campaign at Kimberley where the hall was regularly packed to capacity. For the last two Sunday nights larger halls were rented to accommodate the crowd. She is a graduate of Prof. Ellis' Bible College in Vancouver. Creston will be grertly privileged in having this noted young evangelist in its midst, and many are looking forward to her coming. The special services will be held in the Full Gospel Mission. It is understood the time of meetings will be as usual: Sundays at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays at 7.45 p.m. Young people Friday night, and children's service on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

Erickson

Miss Effie Littlejohn, nurse-in-training at Colfax, Wash., is here on a visit with her father, W. G. Littlejohn.

Mrs. R. Long is spending the week in Creston, a guest of her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Allan.

Frank Putnam was a business visitor at Beaverdell a couple of days at the end of the week, looking over his mining interests at that point.

Mrs. Howard Brogan, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Lee Heric, left for Yahk, where she will visit for a time before returning to her home in Washington.

R. B. Staples of Kelowna is looking after spring work on his ranch, while in Creston on a business visit.

Miss Annie Botterill was a weekend visitor with Cranbrook friends.

Mrs. W. R. Long left this week for her home in Vancouver, where she will visit her mother for a few weeks.

A small crew of men are at work rebuilding the bridge of the Erickson Community Irrigation system across Goat River, alongside the C.P.R. bridge. The wooden pipe line at this point is also being rebuilt. Due to the low water pressure and the very severe January weather this particular stretch of pipe froze solid and has badly wrecked about 500 feet of pipe, which is being replaced by new pipe.

Kitchener

Mrs. C. Senesael is spending the week in Nelson, a guest of Mrs. A. Ragotte.

Mr and Mrs. B. Johnson and Miss Laura Andeen were at Creston on Tuesday and took in the vaudeville show in the Grand that evening.

Fritz Molander, who has been working at Lumberton the past month, is home on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Molander.

Father Choinel of Cranbrook held Roman Catholic Church service here on Monday.

Carl Anderson was a Creston visitor during the week.

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Residents of the South Australian village of Chicago, have been reading about the other Chicago, and so they voted to change the name of their city to Booth, in honor of the late General Bramwell Booth, for years head of the Salvation Army.

Courses of instruction for non-commissioned officers and constables of Royal Canadian Mounted Police, in methods of combatting narcotic smuggling are expected to give good results, according to the report of the force tabled in the Commons.

Dr. J. W. Shipley, for 11 years professor of chemistry at the University of Manitoba, has accepted the position of head of the Department of Chemistry, at the University of Alberta. He will take up his new duties at Edmonton in the fall.

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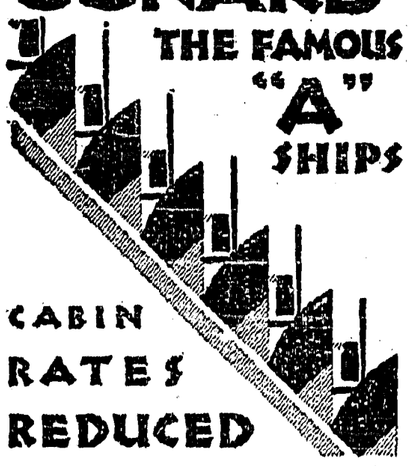

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 9

THE PARABLE OF THE SOWER

Golden Text: "He that hath ears to hear, let him hear."—Matthew 13.9.

Lesson: Matthew 13.1-23.

Devotional Reading: Proverbs 3. 13-18.

Explanations and Comments

The Parable Of the Sower, a Study In Soils, verses 1-9.—One day so great a crowd gathered around Jesus on the shore of the Sea of Galilee that He entered a fishing boat. When far enough from the multitude to be free from their importunities, yet near enough to address them, He taught them many things in parables. The word "parable" is derived from the Greek "paraballein," "para" besides and "ballein," to throw, and means literally "to place side by side," hence to "compare." A parable is a short, fictitious narrative of something which might really occur in life or nature by means of which a moral is drawn. An excellent definition of a parable as used by Jesus has been given thus: "A narrative, fictitious, but agreeable to the laws and usages of human life, by which either the duties of men or the things of God, particularly the nature and history of God's Kingdom, are figuratively portrayed."

Within the view of Jesus as He spoke His parable of the Sower, there may have been a sower at work in a cornfield which descended to the water's edge. Dean Stanley describes such a field: There was the trodden pathway running through the midst of it, with no fence or hedge to prevent the seed from falling here or there on either side of it or upon it; itself hard with the constant tramp of horse, mule, and human feet. There was the good rich soil; there was the rocky ground on the hillside protruding here and there through the cornfields; there were the large bushes of thorn—the "nabk," the kind of which tradition says the crown of thorns was woven—springing up inthe very midst of the waving wheat.

A sower was sowing seed, so runs the parable. He lived in a hamlet or village, as all farmers do now in Palestine, and went to the unfenced field afar off to sow his seed. Some of it fell on the beaten path which ran through the field and lay there on top of the hard surface till birds devoured it. Some of the seed fell on the hillside where the underlying rock came very near the surface; the soil there was shallow and the warmth of the rock made the seed spring up quickly and look very promising, but the roots of the plants could not strike deepdown and avoid the heat of the sun, and therefore the plants quickly withered away. Plants from the seed that fell where seeds of thorns were plentiful were overshadowed and starved to death by the more rapidly growing thorns. Some seed there was that fell on good ground, where the soil was rich and deep and free from thorns, and it yielded thirty and sixty and even a hundredfold. He that hath ears to hear—thus Jesus ended His parable.

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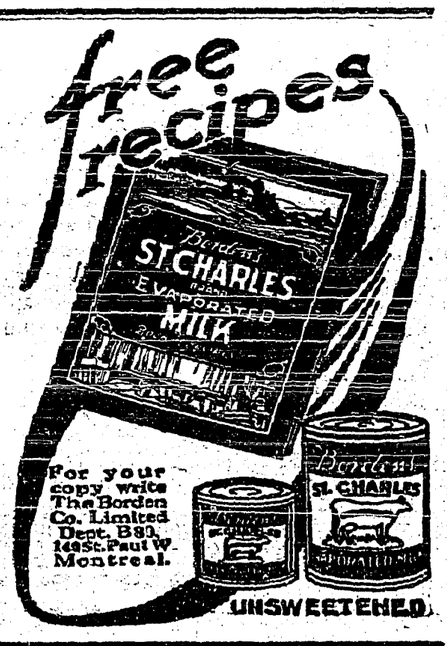

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"A very green hat?" questioned the doctor.

"Exceedingly green," replied Charmian. "Have you made its acquaintance this soon?"

"No, but we passed it on the road, or more correctly speaking, on the girl. I'll say it was some hat!"

"It came from Chicago," sighed Charmian. "It was ordered by mail. Are you aware what a—er—distinguished thing it is to order a hat by mail?"

Though she spoke soberly, the corners of her mouth refused to remain sedate, and the doctor burst into a hearty laugh. They were chatting like old friends when they joined Grandma a moment later.

"You seem to be having a real good time," she commented. "Sit down, both of you. No use wasting your strength standing when it's not necessary. The doctor's over to the Oldhams' giving Susy a talking-to, or I miss my guess. She's been feeding her baby mince pie again. At least, I think she has for the poor child's in a spasm and the doctor had to run. He was black in the face—the baby, I mean; and little Jamie was all out of breath from hurrying. Well, young man, did you decide on a room or aren't they good enough?"

"They're much too good," replied John Carter, as he brought a chair for Charmian, and took the one by Grandma himself. "I shall feel like royalty, sleeping in that magnificent old bedstead."

"The four-poster? Then you've taken the room in the ell. Well, it'll make things easier for Charmian, even though it doesn't seem exactly proper to let you sleep where the help used to. It's sunny. I'll admit that, and warm in winter. Father Davis wasn't one to put his help into a cold room. 'They're human beings like the rest of us,' he used to say, 'and they shan't freeze so long as they'll carry up the coal.' That was before we put in the furnace. We had the first furnace in Wickfield," she added proudly. "Folks came from far and near to see it, and stand on the registers. I remember old Miss Buzzell saying that it was immoral to be so comfortable."

"I venture to guess that Miss Buzzell wasn't a cheerful person to have about," said John Carter with a smile.

"And you've guessed right," replied Grandma with decision. "Nothing ever suited Bessie Buzzell. Yes, you can smile, but that was the name they gave her in the cradle, and she carried it to the grave, no man ever having the courage to ask her to change it. The weather was always too hot for Bessie Buzzell, or too cold. If the sun shone, she'd be sure it would rain next day; or if it rained, she was certain it would rain all the week. The minister preached too long, or else he wasn't giving full measure for his salary. Father Davis used to say that when they gave her a harp in Kingdom Come, she'd ask for a bass drum. Here's the doctor now; but Lizzie Baker's stopped him at the fence. Was Lizzie ailing when you were there, Charmian? If she is, and eats that pudding for her supper, she'll regret it."

"I imagine," replied Charmian, "that she merely wants to hear the latest gossip, and hopes the doctor can supply it."

"She'll be disappointed," returned Grandma with a chuckle. "If anybody in Wickfield knows how to keep his mouth shut, it's Edward Howe. That's what you'll have to learn, young man if you haven't learned it already. A doctor who's a busybody never succeeds. Folks know they see too much, coming in when there's sickness in the house and things upset. Why, some folks aren't the same characters at all come sickness! There's Jamie Oldham, a limb of Satan if I ever saw one; but get him all broken out with measles, or his neck tied up in a rag for sore throat, and he's the meekest lamb that ever bleat.

"And his father's just the opposite—as godly a man as ever passed the contribution box on Sunday; but when he has a cold in the head, Susy (she's his second wife), goes almost crazy. Once Ezra Bascomb was setting a light o' glass in the Oldhams' cellar window. He's our R. F. D. man, but he does such jobs on holidays to help folks out and make an extra dollar. Well, Ezra was working in the cellar, but the door upstairs was open into the kitchen. The deacon was laid up with a touch of rheumatism, and he swears—"

"Who? The deacon?" interrupted John Carter, grinning.

Grandma's eyes twinkled.

"Well, according to Ezra," she began; then broke off suddenly, "Dear me! here I am commending Edward Howe for keeping his mouth shut, and rattling on about my neighbors with my next breath! But you'll find us out, failings and all, if you stay in Wickfield. Charmian, you run and make some lemonade. Here comes the doctor, and he looks hot.

CHAPTER IV.

Charmian stood on a stepladder in the room that had been Great-grandfather Davis's law office. The doors and windows were opened to the breeze, and one passing could have seen, at frequent intervals, the furious shaking of a duster. For three weeks the doctor had occupied the ell bedroom. It had been Grandma's suggestion that he use the small building across the driveway for an office. They were at breakfast one morning when the idea came to her.

"Look here," she said. "You ought to have a place to see your patients. They'll have none of you so long as you go to Edward Howe's. Why not use Father Davis's office? It's handy to the street, and as good a location as you could find."

"You mean that little old place in the yard here?"

Grandma nodded.

"It's years since it's been used; but it's well built, and won't need a mite of repairing. Joseph Ames built it, and there wasn't an honester carpenter in town. There's a good fireplace, and a desk and plenty of bookshelves. Father's books can go up attic to make room for yours."

"Gosh!" ejaculated the young man, so fervently, that Charmian laughed as she handed him a cup of coffee.

"You seem impressed," she ventured.

"I am. It's an inspiration. I was just wondering if I'd better try to get a room over the hardware store; but this will be so much pleasanter and more convenient. It seems almost too good to be true—this wonderful boarding place, and an office just across the driveway. May I see it now?"

"Not till you've eaten a proper breakfast," replied Grandma. "Pass him the toast, Charmian, I think he's too shy to ask for a second piece."

"I'm not," denied the doctor, with his engaging grin, "but if you continue to feed me so bountifully, and your neighbors refuse to give me any work, I shall put on too much weight."

"You could stand a few pounds more and not be too fleshy," Grandma retorted, scrutinizing him closely. "Seems to me your cheek bones need more covering."

"Grandma," reproved Charmian sternly, "you mustn't make personal remarks. And if you're really through breakfast, Doctor Carter, I'll get the key and we'll inspect your office. I don't see why we didn't think of it before."

"I'm glad it's set flush with the sidewalk so I can see from the window who comes to you for medicine," commented Grandma. She had followed them to the door, and glanced up as Charmian reached for a key hanging on a nail. "Dear me," she sighed, "how many years it is since I used to see Father Davis take that very key down every morning. It doesn't seem hardly longer away than yesterday, and it's almost a life time. Be careful not to soil your dress, dearie. There'll be a sight of dust on everything."

"Want to come?" questioned the doctor. "I'll help you across."

Grandma shook her head.

"I've got to watch for the R. F. D. man, Ezra Bascomb. He promised to bring me a message from Emmy, and he might forget it if I don't wave. You open the doors and windows and let the air blow through. It'll be a good day's work to clean it up."

As the key grated in the lock and the door swung back, John Carter uttered an exclamation of pleasure.

"What a peach of a place!"

"Isn't it?" said Charmian. "And this room at the side will make a splendid waiting-room. I used to long to use the whole thing for a play house. Aren't these casement windows beautiful — and the mantel, too? You'd know that this was built in the days when carpentry was an art, and a good builder took pride in his work. Joseph Ames carved those fluted columns himself. I remember hearing grandfather tell about it when I was a little girl. Let's open the windows. Grandma's right, it will take a lot of work to get it clean."

"I'll hire some one to do it. It's much too dirty a job for you."

Charmian laughed.

"It's not easy to hire any one in Wickfield; and many's the time I've tackled worse things than this! If you'll pitch in and help—"

"I'll do every bit of it, while you sit still and give the necessary directions. My fingers itch to begin; but I promised Doctor Howe to go his rounds with him this morning. And don't you dare touch it in my absence, young lady! I won't have you doing jobs like this for me."

Nevertheless, when the doctor was out of sight, the breakfast dishes disposed of, and luncheon planned, Charmian tied up her head in a blue handkerchief, donned a long apron, and went across the driveway to the office.

"I'll make a start," she mused, as she stood for a moment surveying the dust of years. "The first thing is to clean the top bookshelves. No use sweeping the floor with all that dust to come down upon it." However, she had hardly reached the top step of the ladder when a shadow fell across the doorway and some one said:

"What in thunder are you doing here?"

"Gracious! How you scared me!" The girl turned around and regarded the caller from her perch. "Where'd you come from, Jim, this time of day?"

As Jim Bennett came nearer Charmian saw at once that he was wearing a new suit of rather better cut than usual, and that his shoes were polished to the "nth" degree.

(To Be Continued.)

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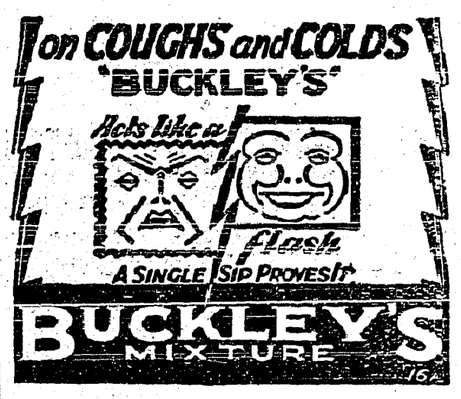

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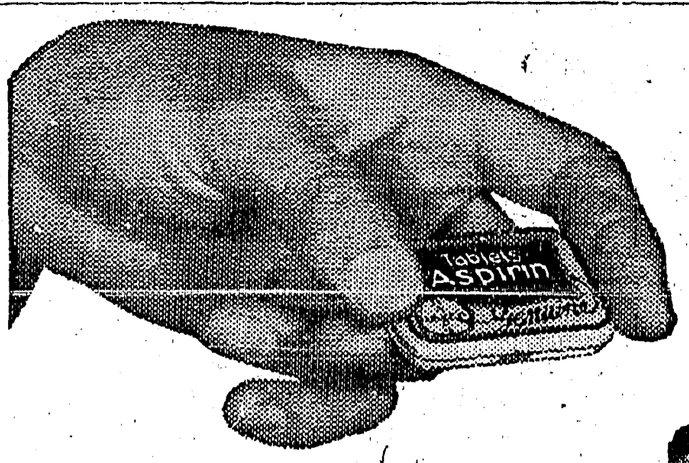
"I will not let Thee go, except Thou bless me."—Genesis xxxii. 26.

Like a tide our work should rise,
Each later wave the best,
Today is a king in disguise,
Today is the special test.

Like a sawyer's work is life,—
The present makes the flaw;
And the only field for strife
Is the inch before the saw.
—John Boyle O'Reilly.

The days are ever divine. They come and go like muffled and veiled figures sent from a distant friendly party; but they say nothing, and if we do not use the gifts they bring they carry them as silently away.
—Ralph Waldo Emerson.



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The man who wouldn't drive his motorcar half a mile when it's out of order, will often drive his brain all day with a head that's throbbing.

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Mice were nesting on the bell box

Mice were the cause of a recent case of telephone trouble in the Fairmont area, Vancouver.

A repairman was called to a grocery store where the telephone was out of order. Although the instrument was in view, the bell box was concealed by a partition which had been built in front of it, and a desk hid it on the other side of the partition. Peering between the desk and the partition, the repairman found the bell box—and the cause of the trouble.

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CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, MAR 7

Join the Board of Trade

If any interested citizen or citizens has or have not as yet been called upon, this will notify that some time between now and sundown Tuesday equally interested citizens will be looking them up, armed with an application form admitting the signor to 1930 membership in Creston Board of Trade.

Since its formation about a score of years ago the board has helped accomplish much of real benefit to this community, and back of this drive for membership is a desire to continue this same good work.

Full credit for securing incorporation for the village belongs to the board of trade, and it can be just as truthfully said that it was at an adjourned meeting of the board that the association handling the fall fair came into being some twelve years ago.

No one will deny the very useful part the board has played in bringing the dyking of Kootenay Flats so prominently to the front, nor can anyone gainsay that it was the board of trade that launched the irrigation project, starting with the old Arrow Creek scheme as far back as 1920, and by its effort and cash contributions made possible the McCulloch survey of a few years ago on which the present East Creston system is based.

The board was very much to the fore in getting the 50 per cent. cut in land valuations at Camp Lister, and had some part in getting favorable consideration for the present domestic water system in that area. In promoting highway betterments the board has always been on the job, and it is no exaggeration to say that the board's committee on publicity has given Creston Valley more and better advertising than any similiar locality in western Canada.

After resting on its laurels, as it were, for two or three years, the board is very desirous of duplicating former successes in other lines of endeavor and for this year is undertaking to see what can be accomplished for the fruit industry by exhibits of Valley fruit at a number of Alberta fall fairs; by the distribution of literature setting forth the advantages of the district; by the erection of a hospital; beautifying the local school grounds; encouraging all lines of athletics: establishing, if feasible, an airport.

These are jtst a few of the objectives that come to us offhand: if there are any others they, too, will receive full consideration. The board's slogan is, "If it will help the Valley, the board is for it."

With these few facts to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest, it will be at once apparent that a comparatively large as well as live membership is necessary if any or all of the objectives outlined are to be accomplished, and it is to afford all good citizens opportunity to participate in this good work that the present canvass for members is being undertaken, and for which wer bespeak your favorable consideration. The membership fee is but $5.

February School Report

Division 1—B. B. Stallwood, principal.
Per cent. attendance 94.8
Ranking: Grade 8—Edith Rentz, Jack Payne, Dorothea McDonald and Allan Speers equal. Grade 7—Lucille Davis, Daisy Trevelyan, Molly Moore.
Perfect attendance—Irene Bourdon, Lucille Davis, James Downes, Jack Johnston, Molly Moore, Harold McLaren, Nellie Payne, Jack Payne, Dorothy Palmer, Reetha Phillips, Bert Morrow, Edith Rentz, Jane Ross, Arthur Speers, Allan Speers, Lambert Spencer, Margaret Stapleton, Daisy Trevelyan, Clifford York.

Division 2—Miss Meldrum, teacher.
Per cent. attendance, 90.66.
Ranking: Grade 6—Eleanor Spratt, Ethel Sutcliffe, Dorothy Collis. Grade 5 Ruth Spencer, Irving Ferguson, Margaret Torchia.
Perfect attendance—Douglas Alderson, Bill Bourdon, Frank Brady, Clarence Embree, Bill Ferguson, Ruth Hare, Margaret Henderson, Nila Hintz, Emmett Johnson, Hughena McCreath, Lloyd McLaren, Norman Nickel, Paul Paulson, Ruth Spencer, Eleanor Spratt, Stuart Spiers, Ethel Sutcliffe, Charlie Taylor, Margaret Torchia, Jean Donaldson.

Division 3—Miss Wade, teacher.
Per cent. attendance 96.4.
Ranking: Grade 5—Theo. Tompkins, Rachel Morrow, August Morabito. Grade 4—Jessie Spratt, Clara Paulson, Gladys Davies.
Perfect attendance—Edward Brady, Maggie Brady, Billy Craig, Gladys Davies, Ruth Davis, Maisie Ferguson, Doris Hendy, Iona Hills, Tom Lewis, August Morabito, Rachel Morrow, Helen McCreath, Beryl Palmer, Clara Paulson, Jean Ryckman, Jessie Spratt, Theo Tompkins, Tressa Torchia, Richard Trevelyan, Edith Walkey, Edna Walkey, Billy Weir.

Division 4—Miss Holmes, teacher.
Per cent. attendance, 90.
Ranking: Grade 3 Senior—Stanley Hendren, Robert Moore, Campbell York. Grade 3 Junior—Russell Gabelhei, Elsa Foerster, James Bourdon. Grade 2 Senior—Jack Moran, Vernon Donaldson, Betty Kernaghan.
Perfect attendance—Francis Bourdon, Charles French, Russel Gabelhei, Marguerite Grant, Ernest Hills, Robert Moore, Georgina Paulson, Gustav Steiner, Mary Watson, Ardrey Weir, Campbell York, Phyllis Wilts, Billy McFarland, Vernon Donaldson.

Division, 5—Miss Brown, teacher.
Per cent. atteddance 89.33.
Ranking: Grade 2b—Lorna Donaldson, Bert McFarland, George Cartwright. Grade 1a—Ethel Morrow, Margaret Cribb, Lillian Hendren. Grade 1b—Charlotte Wilks, Hazel Speirs, David McFarland.
Perfect attendance—George Bourdon, Harley Brady, Charlie Brunham, Kenneth French, Jack Hall, Lillian Hendren, Olga Hurack, Ethel McLaren, Ethel Morrow, Jack Ryckman, Hazel Spiers, Hans Steiner, Vivian Walkey, Vera Watson, Charlotte Wilks, Edna Willis, Bert McFarland, Lorna Donaldson.

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Local and Personal

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The local Chinese are showing enterprise in installing electric light. The Pacific restaurant and Ding laundry are now using Creston Light & Power Company "juice." The wiring was done by E. G. Timmons.

The Crembo Club Syncopators, Cranbrook's newest and very best dance orchestra will supply the music for the St. Patrick's dance under Rod and Gun Club auspices at the Grand Theatre ballroom on Monday night, March 17th.

Mrs. Doyle has just arrived from Nelson and will be making Creston her home for the present at least, with her daughter, Miss A. Doyle. They have taken the bungalow S. A. Speers has erected on his lot at the north end of town.

There was a fine turnout on Saturday afternoon at the meeting of orchardists to hear reports on the recent B.C.F.G.A convention at Vancouver. The delegates, W. G. Littlejohn and W. R. Long, presented carefully prepared reports.

At the baseball meeting on Sunday afternoon Frank Putnam was unanimous choice for club president for 1920. A meeting to form the proposed international league is expected to take place at Bonners Ferry on March 23rd.

Friday, March 21st, has been booked by Creston Curling Club for their usual bridge in connection with which will be the presentation of the cups won by the President, Bundy and Joyce rinks this season. The admission is 50 cents.

The vaudeville entertainment under Christ Church Ladies' Guild auspices at the Grand on Tuesday night was about the biggest money maker of any popular price concert in recent years. The intake was in the neighborhood of $165.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Lillie, who have been at Calgary, Alberta, for almost three months, where the former was under special doctor's care, are now on a visit with their son, Roy, at Blairmore, leaving Calgary about the middle of last week.

The Miss Vickers (Coulter) bungalow on Victoria Avenue is being given a complete renovation, and when the good work is completed the home will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clowes. Mr. Clowes is the new manager of the Imperial Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Winchcombe got back on Friday from a month's holidaying with relatives and friends at Portland, and other Oregon points. Mr. Warwick, who has been in charge of the barber shop, returned to Bonners Ferry at the first of the week.

LAND BUYERS—Before purchasing land in Creston Valley be sure and consult me. I have been here for 26 years, and am thoroughly acquainted with all properties in the district. Get my unbiased advice before buying. ALEX. MIRABELLI, Creston.

Now that the village commiesioners have announced that the council is unable to handle the public library it is expected delegates from the old library board will wait on the council at Monday night's session in quest of a grant to enable the library to function.

For proficiency in memorizing scripture Kathleen Bundy Lucille Davis, Iris Taylor, Allan Speers and Charlie Taylor were awarded prizes consisting of beautiful leather bound St. John's gospels at St. Stepehn's Presbyterian Church Sabbath school on Sunday morning.

The 10-acre ranch of the late R. G. A. Hockley was sold this week to G. Arcuri of Blairmore, Alberta. With its location quite close to town and planted to good varieties the place is a most desirable one. Mrs. Arcuri arrived at the end of the week to join her husband, and they get immediate possession.

Miss Rita Elliott, a well known Vancouver evangelist, will conduct oldtime revival services at the Full Gospel Mission commencing Sunday morning and on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. She comes here from Kimberley where the largest hall in the town has been used to accommodate the big attendances at her services.

According to an official return brought down in the legislature at Victoria on Tuesday last sales at Creston liquor store from July 1st to December 31st, amount to $35,106.90. For December 23rd the cash intake was $633, and on December 24th the intake was $1066. Included in this total is the sale of beer to the parlors at Kitchener and Sirdar.

For their annual St. Patrick's dance in the Grand Theatre ballroom on Monday night, 17th, the Rod and Gun Club are introducing the Crembo Club Syncopators, an orchestra of six pieces—two saxaphones, piano, violin, banjo, drums from Cranbrook that are proving immensely popular wherever they appear. The admission to this dance is $1.25 to gents, with ladies, $1.

Another important sale of ranch property was completed on Thursday last when C. O. Rodgers disposed of his 26 acres of orchard which are situate alongside the Albert Stewart (Stocks & Jackson) place on the lower Erickson road. The buyer is C. Hollm, who three years ago purchased the John Hobden place, which is situated within the village limits. The Rodgers place is in good bearing and Mr. Hollm has certainly acquired one of the most desirable fruit farms in the Creston district.

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Production and Marketing Problems

The question of disposing of surplus farm products in an orderly manner, and thus prevent disastrous breaks in prices by reason of the throwing of a large portion of the surplus on the world's market at one time, all with a view to securing to the producer a fair margin of profit over and above costs of production, is not peculiar to the wheat growers of Western Canada. It is a problem which confronts agricultural producers in many countries, and applies to other products than wheat.

Governments and producers are grappling with the problem. In Canada it is wheat; in the United States it is wheat, cotton, and, as affecting its overseas possessions and Cuba, in which the U.S. takes a friendly interest, it is sugar; in Brazil and other South American countries it is coffee; in certain British colonies it is rubber.

In each case the problem is a most complicated one. Such factors as world consumption; world production, fluctuating with variable seasons from under-production to over-production; the ability of importing countries to pay the price demanded as fair by the producing and exporting countries; different seasons and methods of marketing; costs of labor and marketing in one country as contrasted with those prevailing in other competing countries, all enter the picture and call for consideration.

In the Argentine, for example, orderly marketing as we would develop it in Canada is impossible. In that great wheat growing and exporting country there is no elevator storage system. When the crop is harvested it must be rushed on to the market at once, and the growers are obliged to accept the price they can get for it at that time. If the crop is large, or if there happens to be a substantial world's surplus at the time, the effect is to force down world prices, with resultant loss, not only to the Argentine grower, but to wheat growers everywhere. The Canadian Wheat Pool had to face just such a situation in 1929-30.

In the United States a Federal Farm Board has been created and given a huge sum of money to use in an effort to stabilize prices of agricultural products in that country. That Board is now facing its first test. It has called upon the farmers to reduce production of cotton and wheat in 1930, by planting smaller crops. Will the farmers as a whole, or even a majority of them, respond? Or will the individual farmer act on the belief that, inasmuch as other farmers will follow this advice and prices thereby be raised, it is a good opportunity for him to increase his own production and secure the benefits provided as a result of the proposed general reduction? If so, then there is grave danger that a greater surplus than ever will be produced.

Or, if the United States farmers do follow such advice and reduce production, will advantage not be taken of it by wheat growers in competing countries to increase production, thereby defeating the object aimed at in world markets, and reap any benefits resulting from the sacrifice made by the United States farmers?

In a word, can the volume of production of such a world commodity as wheat be controlled? It is possible to control the output of manufactured articles, say, automobiles, boots, furniture, clothing, but can the production of nature's own goods from the soil be controlled in like manner by any artificial means, or must that be left to nature itself through the vicissitudes of the weather,—drought hail, too much rain, plant disease and insect pests?

Great Britain tried the experiment of controlling the rubber markets of the world. For a time it succeeded; but just as soon as the world consumers of rubber felt the pinch of too high prices, steps to increase production in various ways were taken.

Or take the case of coffee. Brazil produces two-thirds of the world's supply of coffee. The Brazilian Government, to protect growers against price depression, in 1924 organized the Coffee Defense Institute. The Institute was not empowered to buy, but merely to see to it that coffee was kept in the interior, and released to exterior markets only when and as the demand and price-level were favorable. In the first few years of operation the Institute's aim was realized. The 1924-25 crop prices were almost exactly double the prices for which the 1922-23 crop had been sold. But there was one inevitable outcome. Higher prices for coffee and the restriction of Brazilian exports stimulated the output of other producing countries, with the result that Brazil no longer influenced the world market as much as previously. Whereas coffee production of all other countries before the war was only 6,000 000 bags a year, today it averages around 9,000,000 bags. Furthermore, Brazil went in more extensively for coffee growing. Following an average output of 14,000 000 bags annually during the decade beginning 1917, the crop production of 1927-28 reached the unprecedented total of 28,000,000 bags, or well above the estimated world consumption of 22,000,000 bags a year.

Then came the inevitable result. In October last, prices broke, and in January of this year prices for coffee were just one-half what they had been at the same period a year before. As a result there is in Brazil today a curtailment of credit, much unemployment, a cutting down of highway and municipal undertakings, a loss in foreign contracts, and a lessening of buying power in the other coffee countries of Colombia, Venezuela, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Salvador, Nicaragua, and Ecuador. The estimated world's supply of coffee for 1929-30 is 45,256,000 bags, while the world's requirements are placed at 23 000 000 bags, leaving an unsold surplus on July 1st next, to carry over of 22,256 000 bags, or nearly one-half of the total.

One of the leading United States agricultural weeklies, "Wallaces' Farmer," published at Des Moines, draws a lesson from "the sad state of Brazilian coffee and British rubber," saying: "Whenever an industry gets into position to control price, it is important to forget about cost-of-production theories. In a case of this sort, the only excuse for studying cost of production is to get an idea as to the point at which prices must be held in order to discourage other people from coming into the business and killing the goose that lays the golden egg, by stuffing her to death. The important thing is to hold the price a little too low, and apparently this is the one thing which organized farmers find it very difficult to learn."

Direct attacks are also made on the U.S. Federal Farm Board's plan to curtail production. One leading paper declares: "It is a distinct disservice to agriculture and to our economic structure in general to preach the doctrine of a sharply curtailed agricultural production. For with such curtailment must go migration of population from the farms to the cities, and with that either increased factory production creating the same problem of oversupply that now exists in agriculture, or an aggravated unemployment problem."

The magnitude of the problem confronting our farmers, our Wheat Pools, our financial and business men, our Governments, can hardly be overestimated. Because of the very magnitude of the problem, and the results which will flow from success or failure in finding a solution, it is the duty of all our people, in city and country alike, to stand unitedly behind those who are earnestly seeking a solution, and who are carrying an extremely heavy burden of responsibility at this time. It is a case where all must pull together, where carping criticism should be silenced, and the professional pessimist and preacher of blue ruin squelched.

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Soviets Seize Jewelry

Diamonds, precious metals, jewelry, foreign currency, antiquarian articles and other private property amounting to 100,000,000 rubles (about $50,000,000), have been seized from private traders and other classes in Moscow, described as "parasitical" for payment of taxes owed to the government.

Made Wonderful Flight

Albatross Kept Up With Ship For 3,000 Miles

The flying powers of the albatross are well known, but news of an almost incredible feat of endurance has just been reported by officers of a Pacific liner from the Far East. For six days and nights an albatross followed the vessel, which averaged seventeen knots, and it was only when a school of fish was sighted that the bird abandoned the chase in order to feast. It was estimated that the bird had flown 3,000 miles, and what is more remarkable had apparently gone without food all the time.

SUFFERED FOR YEARS FROM NEURITIS

Electric Treatment and Osteopathy Proved Of No Avail

To suffer for four years from neuritis. To try electric treatments, osteopathy, have teeth and tonsils removed without receiving the least benefit was the experience of Mrs. Simon Rae, of St. Mary's Ont. Today, however, Mrs. Rae is a well woman—thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These Pills did for her what all other treatment had failed to do. They built up her blood and banished all the aches and pains.

Concerning her suffering and relief Mrs. Rae says:—"I was a sufferer from neuritis and rheumatism for four years. I was almost a cripple and the pain I endured was terrible. I took sixty electric treatments without the least benefit. On advice I had all my teeth out. Then my tonsils but still no benefit. I then tried osteopathy and though I persisted in this treatment for six months I was no better at the end than at the beginning. I was a young woman living on a farm and found the greatest difficulty in doing the least work. My mother finally advised me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and more to please her than anything else I did so. Imagine my joy on noticing an improvement in my condition after having taken only a few boxes. I continued their use and now the pains and aches have left me and I am once more able to do my work about the house."

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The Need Of the Hour

The gentleman, who asked over the radio what is the most important thing in the world is hereby informed that the most important need in the world is for men who will stand before the microphone and say less and entertain more.

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Sugar beet acreage was increased to 3,470 in the Lethbridge region during 1929, or an increase of 1,188 over 1928, and comparing with 752 acres in 1925.

Time Has Tested It.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has been on the market upwards of fifty years and in that time it has proved a blessing to thousands. It is in high favor throughout Canada and its excellence has carried its fame beyond the seas. If it were double the price it would be a cheap liniment.

Foretold Use Of Steam

While the date of the invention of the locomotive is usually placed at 1820, Solomon de Cause, a Frenchman, published a book early in the 17th century concerning the "pushing of carriages and ships by boiling water and making steam." He was put in an asylum in 1630.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, an excellent remedy.

Regina Building Permits

Final figures of building permits for Regina show contracts just exceeding ten million dollars, or $10,022,581 as compared with $6,619,200 in 1928.

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Reticent Regarding Age

Men In British House Of Parliament Hold Back Information

Reticence regarding age is a characteristic and privilege usually attributed to women, but not so in the British House of Parliament, There are 102 male members of the new House of Commons who have not, so far, confided their ages to Dod's Parliamentary Companion, an official handbook.

Seventy-nine of them are Labor members, 16 are Conservatives, six are Liberals, and one is an independent. Of the 14 women members, nine claim the privilege and do not state their ages.

Asthma Victims. The man or woman subject to asthma is indeed a victim. What can be more terrifying than to suddenly be seized with paroxysms of choking which seem to fairly threaten the existence of life itself. From such a condition Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has brought many to completely restored health and happiness. It is known and prized in every section of this broad land.

A young Mississippi farmer who is only twenty years old has discovered how to make farming pay. His successful method was to elope with an heiress.

Saskatchewan Butter Production

An increase of 30 per cent. in the output of creamery butter over that of 1928 is seen in a report of the dairy branch of the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture. The production during 1929 was 14,786,205 pounds of butter, as compared with 11,310,490 pounds in 1928.

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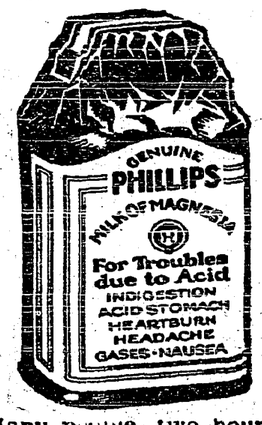
C.P.R. Farm Land Sales

Canadian Pacific farm land sales, made through the Department of Natural Resources, covered more than 400,000 acres in 1929, according to S. G. Porter, manager of the department. More than 200 sales were made in the company's irrigation block, eastern section, near Calgary.



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BRISKER DEMAND FOR POOL WHEAT IS ANTICIPATED

Montreal.—As a result of conferences held in London between representatives of the Wheat Pools, the British Government and the British Milling Association, there is the strongest reason to believe that purchases of Canadian Wheat in future will not only be increased but will be made in an orderly manner covering the crop year.

A. J. McPhail and W. A. McLeod, the Wheat Pool representatives who conferred with the British Government and the Milling Association, declined to be quoted in regard to their mission. Neither would they issue any statement except a brief note dealing with the conferences with Rt. Hon. J. A. Thomas. This note is couched in very definite language.

Informally, it was learned that the conference in London failed to achieve the results entertained by Mr. Thomas while in Canada last autumn. Mr. Thomas had a plan whereby the export movement of wheat to Great Britain could be regulated. In the past the export of wheat has been irregular. There have been very heavy outward movements in some months and practically none at all in other months. In the seasons of glut much of the grain has been carried in tramp ships, which carried little or no cargo other than wheat.

Mr. Thomas was inclined to believe that if the British Government built large storage elevators in England a steady movement of wheat from Canada could be assured. This would tend to provide freight liners with cargo the year around and might go far to solve one of the greatest obstacles in the way of increased trade between the United Kingdom and Canada. He believed a steady western movement of freight might be built up if the eastward grain traffic was regulated.

It is understood that in the preliminary discussions between Mr. Thomas and the officials of the wheat pools last autumn, the officials were rather dubious of the scheme. They pointed out, it is believed, that they did not favor sending wheat abroad on consignment, unsold. They preferred to sell the wheat before it left American ports.

In the discussions which took place in London, it is understood that this view prevailed, and that Mr. Thomas has abandoned all intention of building storage elevators in the United Kingdom.

The discussions, however, revealed that the objective might be achieved in another way. It was felt that if the British Milling Association, which controls more than 60 per cent. of the milling industry in Great Britain, and is, therefore, the largest importer, would undertake to buy Canadian wheat steadily instead of entering the market only from time to time and buying heavily — it was felt that if this could be brought about the desired result would follow.

To that end it is understood that Mr. Thomas, after holding several consultations with the wheat pool representatives, met the Milling Association. Finally there was a joint meeting between Mr. Thomas, the Milling Association and the wheat pool officials. The outcome, it is stated, was an informal agreement.

The Milling Association in future will endeavor to import Canadian wheat steadily.

This explains the statement made by Mr. Thomas to the effect that the conference with the wheat pools probably will have beneficial effect upon British Canadian Trade.

Seeking Speed Record

British Racing Motorist Aims At 250 Miles An Hour

Southampton, England.—The noted British racing motorist, Kaye Don, sailed on the "Berengaria" for New York, en route to Daytona, Fla., where he will attempt to set a new speed record with his secretly constructed "Silver Bullet" machine.

"I have every confidence in my car," he said before sailing. "I hope within a month to establish a mark which—with a little luck—may be 250 miles an hour."

Well Known In Canada

Cardinal Merry del Val Dies At Vatican After Operation

Rome.—Cardinal Merry del Val, former papal secretary of state and in recent years archpriest of St. Peter's, died from heart failure after an operation for appendicitis.

Cardinal Merry del Val was secretary of state under Pope Pius X. He was particularly well known in Canada.

In 1896 he proceeded as papal delegate to Canada to report on the adjustment of claims of the Canadian bishops as to separate schools in Manitoba. He was protector of some religious orders in Canada, among them the Sisters of Charity, known as the Grey Sisters of Canada. Cardinal Merry del Val was one of the most distinguished figures in the modern history of the papacy. He was made a cardinal in 1903 at the comparatively early age of 38 and forthwith was created secretary of state to Pope Pius X.

The cardinal was of noble Spanish birth. His father was Spanish ambassador to the court of St. James when the future cardinal was born in London, in 1866.

Nine Lose Lives In Fire

Mother Superior and Eight Children Perish In Northern School

The Pas.—Eight Indian pupils and a mother superior of the Cross Lake School, 125 miles northwest of here, were burned to death when fire raged through their school several days ago, according to word relayed in here by Indian runners.

Only meagre details of the tragedy were brought in. It is not known how the fire originated. The Cross Lake School was a stone structure, and was valued at $30,000.

It is thought that the fire started on the third floor of the building, in the west part of the main section, where the Indian girls were quartered.

The sister superior died in a brave attempt to lead some of the children through the flaming building to safety. All of the children who perished were under nine years of age.

Left Fortune To Charity

Late W. F. Alloway Bequeaths Huge Amount To Foundation

Winnipeg.—The Winnipeg Foundation, a charitable institution, is bequeathed $1,200,000 by the will of the late Mr. W. F. Alloway, who left an estate of $1,244,000. The sum of $216,000 is set aside for the purpose of paying the income to certain relatives of Mr. Alloway and his personal servant. On the death of each beneficiary the income reverts to the Foundation.

During his lifetime Mr. Alloway made gifts to relatives which are said to total $100,000. Mr. Alloway died on February 2.

Mrs. Alloway, who died in November, 1926, left her estate, amounting to $733,881, to the Foundation. The gifts of Mr. and Mrs. Alloway to the Foundation now total $2,000,000.

Australia Recalls Trade Commissioner

Government Displeased By Speech He Made In Report

Sydney, Aus.—Australia's trade commissioner at Ottawa, R. A. Haynes, has been recalled by the Commonwealth Government as a result of a speech he delivered in Canada, it is understood.

The Australian Government is said to have been displeased by alleged references of Mr. Haynes to more peaceful conditions in Canadian industry than in Australian industry.

The Federal Government is said to have considered that such utterances were harmful to the commonwealth's prestige abroad.

Would Deport Drunken Drivers

Deportation for one year of U.S. citizens found guilty of driving autos while drunk in Canada was urged by deputy magistrate Arthur Hanrahan, of Windsor, at the meeting of the chief constables' association of Essex and Kent counties, held at Windsor.

Five states have abolished fixed speed limits for automobiles.

MAKES IMPORTANT DISCOVERY

Dr. J. B. Collip, chairman of the Department of Bio-chemistry, at McGill University, and co-worker with Dr. F. G. Banting, in discovery of insulin, who has succeeded in isolating a gland extract of great value in relieving certain disorders.

Safeguard Canadian Wheat

Proposes Tax On Export Wheat Going Into United States

Ottawa.—With the view to preventing the mixing of Canadian wheat exported through United States ports, J. G. Ross, (Liberal, Moose Jaw), presented a resolution in the House of Commons calling for a tax of 10 cents per bushel to be paid when the wheat entered the United States, and rebated when exported from an American port. The tax, he suggested, might be paid either in cash or by filing a bond and the rebate would be conditional upon the wheat being up to Canadian standards on leaving the United States.

There was no doubt, Mr. Ross contended, that mixing Canadian wheat with American wheat and with lower grades was being carried on in the United States. He wanted some provision to safeguard the value of the Canadian certificates issued by the board of grain commissioners. This could only be done by inspection at the time the wheat left the United States.

Furthermore, he said, the measure would tend to place Canadian ports in a better competitive position. Restrictions now placed on the handling in Canada with the effect of discriminating against Canadian channels and Canadian ports. The resolution was finally withdrawn, but will come up again in the agriculture committee.

Insurance For Canada's Unemployed Predicted

Premier King Hopes Plan Will Soon Be Worked Out

Ottawa, Ont.—Eventually Canada will have a system of unemployment insurance, Premier MacKenize King predicted, in replying to a deputation seeking Federal aid to municipalities and provinces on unemployment relief. This, he said, was the only constructive way to deal with the unemployment situation and he hoped it would soon be possible to work out an insurance plan.

Seasonal measures in the way of relief and public works were of no permanent assistance, and an insurance plan offered the only constructive way of avoiding distress. Under it those who expected relief and those who employed them would be compelled to contribute to a fund during their periods of employment, and would receive benefits when out of work.

While efforts had apparently been made by Mayor Webb, of Winnipeg, pursuant to the decisions of the recent conference on unemployment in the Manitoba capital, to secure representation from all parts of the country on the delegation which recently presented the case for unemployed relief, it was significant that only the large cities of Western Canada were represented.

Asks Tighter Motor Laws

Bill Introduced In Federal House By T. L. Church

Ottawa, Ont.—"Hit and run" drivers especially will be subject to drastic punishment if a bill introduced in the House of Commons by T. L. Church (Cons., Toronto Northwest), becomes law.

The penalty of death for murder is proposed for causing the death of any person by reckless or negligent or furious driving and failure to render aid and reporting the accident.

Two years' imprisonment, or a fine or both fine and imprisonment, are suggested for reckless driving.

Five years' imprisonment and a fine for driving an automobile in a manner dangerous to the public and thereby causing an accident are proposed.

Five years' imprisonment and a fine for failing to stop and render aid and particulars as to ownership of car when an injury is caused by dangerous driving are suggested.

Royal York Addition

Outlined in above cut is shown the addition of 160 rooms to the Royal York Hotel, which even before this enlargement was the largest and tallest in the British Empire. It brings the total number of special suites in the hotel from 62 to 68 and increases the number of rooms to 1,164. The addition rises twenty-one stories above the mezzanine floor bringing it into conformity with the height of the rest of the building, except, of course, the tower.

The new wing will be ready for occupation by June, in time for the monster Shriners' convention slated to be held at the Royal York and to accommodate which a town of sleeping cars and marquees, entitled "Fez City," will be erected by the Canadian Pacific Railway.

FARMERS REJECT PROPOSALS TO ENTER POLITICS

Saskatoon.—By a narrow margin of nine votes the United Farmers of Canada (Saskatchewan section), defeated a proposal having for its object the participation of the organization in politics as an active unit.

The vote was 314 to 305.

The resolution was in form of an amendemnt to the constitution which, if adopted, would have paved the way for political action.

Farmers of Saskatchewan — Canada's greatest wheat-growing province—went on record as favoring compulsory pooling of commodities. After long hours of debate, United Farmers of Canada (Saskatchewan section), gave almost unanimous approval to a compromise resolution presented by the board of directors.

By the resolution, directors of the farm board are ordered to "Stand ready to work with the Wheat Pool board of directors or the directors of any other pool in requesting that there be placed in the statute books of Saskatchewan an act known as the Primary Products Act, whereby the growers of any commodity may obtain control of the marketing of all that commodity grown in the provinces.

Only three dissenting votes marred unanimity of support, according to the statement of the publicity committee, given out after the convention had made its decision behind tyled doors. The approved resolutions stated that it is expedient that the producers should be able at all times to express their opinion on and obtain, if they so desire, 100 per cent. commodity marketing control of all or any primary product."

Details of the manner in which the proposed Primary Products Act would be worded are not contained in the finally-carried resolution. The details, it specifies, are to be dealt with by a committee appointed from and by the boards of the United Farmers of Canada, and the Commodity Pool concerned. A board resolution published in the Delegates' Handbook, outlining possible legislation, was not given approval.

According to this resolution, later substituted in the convention, petition by one-fifth of the producers of any commodity would bring a government plebiscite among such producers as to whether they desired compulsory pooling. Should the vote result in two-thirds of the vote cast favor law-enforced 100 per cent. pooling, the commodity would be declared a commodity under the Primary Products Act. At a date set by the government, commodity producers would elect delegates or directors to control marketing of the commodity in question.

While no specific product is mentioned in the approved resolution, it is generally considered that first compulsory-pool activity will be toward marketing all grain grown in Saskatchewan through the wheat pool. Directors of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, with whom the U.F.C. directors must "Stand ready to act," have declared no definite stand. President A. J. McPhail has spoken against the compulsory pool, but L. C. Brouillette, vice-president, is an avowed adherent.

Formation of a compulsory wheat pool in Saskatchewan — which, of course, would have to be preceded by legislation and by a two-thirds vote of the province's wheat producers—would mean that some 60 per cent. of all Canada's wheat crop would be handled by the Saskatchewan pool. In the 1928-29 season, the Canadian Pools handled 253,000,000 bushels of a total Canada wheat crop of 547,000,000 bushels—and of the pool total some 157,000,000 bushels were raised in Saskatchewan.

Regrets Illegal Seizure

Washington, D.C. — The United States has expressed its regrets to Canada for illegal seizure of the motor boat 210-P in the St. Claire River last September. The seizure took place in Canadian waters.

A new type of cactus has been found in South America with long slender leaves resembling snakes.

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FOR SALE—Quantity of bee supplies and some bees. Fnquire Review Office.

FORSALE—Imperial sewing machine, drop head, in good order, $15. Can be seen at Creston Hotel.

PIGS FOR SALE—Young pigs, choice stock, just a few left, $7. John R. Miller (Alice Siding), Creston.

FOR SALE— Chinchilla rabbits, does $2 each. Two does and one buck, $5. Mrs. J. B. Rudd, Wynndel.

Vital statistics for February show four births, three deaths and one marriage. Of the births three were girls.

Mrs. Jackson of Edmonton, Alberta, is a Creston visitor at present, a guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. Jewitt.

FOR SALE—Good work horse, going cheap. Also some potatoes and vegetables. E. Nouguier, Canyon.

Pruning is quite general throughout the Valley and orchardists report that all signs point to a heavy apple crop this year.

A. E. Whitfield arrived from Nelson at the first of the week and will be here permanently as cashier at the Imperial Bank.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Purebred White Leghorn, $1 per setting of 15 eggs. Book your orders now. V. Mawson, Creston.

W. E. Card wishes to inform the general public that he is giving very special prices on picture framing during March. A call solicited.

The high school students had a skating party on the firts at the aviation hangar on Friday night. Skating is at its best on the flats right now.

C. G. Bennett, a former manager of the Bank of Commerce, now of Fernie, has just been re-elected president of the Fernie Board of Trade.

LAND FOR SALE—20 acres of improved land, buildings and plenty of water; goes for price of improvements. E. NOUGUIER, Canyon.

To-night's special attraction is the Women's Institute bridge at the Parish Hall, with cards to commence at 8.15 promp . The admission is 50 cents.

LEGHORN AND RED CHICKS—Every one a moneymaker. Write for illustated catalogue which give official production averages. Don. Bradley, Creston.

Major Jewitt of Edmonton, Alberta, arrived last week and is taking the course in flying at the local aviation school. He is a brother of the school instructor, W. Jewitt.

The village council has its March session on Monday night, and amongst the business will be striking of this year's tax rate, which is expected to stand at 12 mills.

R. B. Staples arrived from Kelowna on Tuesday and spent a couple of days here on Creston Growers, Limited, business, as well as getting spring work under way on the ranch.

S. A. Speers has taken on the agency for the Connor electric washer, and has them on display in the store windows. These machines are sold on easy terms of payment.

According to complete returns Creston Valley's apple crop last year was just about 122,000 boxes. This is an increase of at least 30 per cent. over the August estimate.

FOR SALE—Massey Harris 1½ h.p. power sprayer, used only two seasons. Also ranch horse, about 11000 lbs., and Wagon, sleight, etc. C. Hollm (J. Hobden ranch), Creston.

HATCHING EGGS—S.C. White Leghorn hatching eggs for sale, from 2 year old hens, splendid layers. R.O.P. stock, $1 for 15 eggs. G. McWilliams (G. P. Smith ranch), Erickson.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed in St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning. The usual preparatory service is being held this evening at 8 o'clock.

Miss Wade, teacher of Division 3 of the public school, was a weekend visitor at Cranbrook, consulting the doctor in connection with the broken wrist she sustained about a month ago.

A second dance orchestra has just been organized at Creston and is composed of Miss Edith Crawford, piano; Gerald Craigie, drums; Charlie Cotterill, saxaphone, and Tom Lacey, banjo.

Creston Valley Co-Operative Association annual meeting is scheduled for Saturday afternoon at Trinity United Church hall. All the directors retire, and F. Knott is the retiring president.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Auxiliary are having a St. Patrick's tea, with sale of work, candy and home cooking, at Mrs. McCreath's from 3 to 5.30 p.m., Saturday, March 15th All are invited.

Creston and District Women's Institute have the March meeting next Friday afternoon, at which the matter of assum week, checking up radio owners in the matter of securing t e yearly $1 license to operate a radio.

FOR SALE—End-dump gravel box Come in and look it over. Morrow's Blacksmith Shop, Creston.

ing responsibility for the ladies' section of the fall fair will be decided upon.

Creston Board of Trade meets in March session on Tuesday night, when the standing committees for 1930 will be stcuck and work initiated on the several objectives the board has for 1930 development.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Webster have vacated their ranch at the Smith crossing at North Creston, and are now living in town, in Mrs. Fleetwood,s residence, corner Victoria Avenue and Hillside Road.

Mr. Bowerman of Vancouver, of the Dominion government radio inspection staff, spent a couple of days here this

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