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THE CRESTON REVIEW

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Fall Fair Standing Committee Heads

Creston Valley Agricultural Association directors had their quarterly session on Monday night at which it was decided to appoint G. E. Scrimgeour to replace C. G. Bennett, who has just moved to Fernie, on the association executive, and the appointment of C W. Allan, who has consented to act as 1925 secretary was confirmed by the directors.

A very pleasing announcement was made that W. M. Archibald of Rossland, who is a ranch owner near Creston, who was in town for the weekend, had offered to donate a silver cup to be competed for in any class the association might see fit to allocate it, and the same was accepted with enthusiasm and will be featured in this year's prize list. Mr. Archibald is quite an enthusiastic exhibitor his ranch having won the Mawson Bros. cup for the best box of pears, for three successive years.

The standing committees for the year as selected by the president were confined as follows:

Finance—C. W. Allan, G. E. Scrimgeour, W. S. McAlpine.

Prize List—C. F. Hayes, F. H. Jackson, Geo. Cartwright.

Grounds—C. O. Rodgers, Major Mullandaine, Col. Fred Lister.

A new feature will be in evidence this year consisting of competitive displays from the eight school districts in the Valley for which a championship shield will be awarded along with substantial cash prizes. The details will be worked out by the prize list committee, and for a start the display will probably be confined to fruit and vegetables.

The directors again decided to have the usual three-day exhibition and the department has been asked to assign either Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 24th, 25th and 26th, or else the same days one week later.

Erickson

Word reached here on Tuesday of the death at Cranbrook of Malcolm McDougall, quite an oldtime resident of Erickson, who died in the hospital in that town on Monday night. The remains are being shipped back and will be buried in the Creston cemetery on Thursday afternoon.

Denzil Maxwell, who has been on a visit to Vancouver, got back early last week, and has gone to work on the trains hauling fill from the Canyon to the Landing.

Road superintendent Davies had the graders out early last week and the travelling in these parts is the best ever experienced at this time of year.

School closes today for the usual Easter week vacation. The half dozen pupils who will write on the Entrance examinations are starting study at 8.30 these days, and will probably keep it up for the next couple of months.

G. W. Harrison is a Vancouver visitor this month, leaving for the coast about ten days ago. Mrs. Herrison and family are now occupying the residence on the Boyd ranch.

The Whirlwind Club had the fourth of their series of piano fund whists and dances at the R. J. Long packing shed on Friday night, and was again favored with a large turnout of guests, the affair accounting for an intake of almost $45. The prizewinners at cards were Mrs. Long and Jeff Knott, whilst the low scorers of the evening were Mrs. Putnam and Charlie Smith. Mrs. Putnam and Miss Jeanne Hall presided at the piano for the few hours dancing after cards.

The junior girl pupils had a very successful concert and tea at the schoolhouse on March 27th, at which the sum of $7 was gathered in and will be added to the school library fund.

GRAND THEATRE
Saturday, APRIL 11

A Powerful Story of the Great Outdoors!

Jack Holt
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"Empty Hands"

Arthur Stringer's immensely popular magazine serial in pictures—and who hasn't heard of it!

The story of a man and girl who fight out an existence, alone, empty-handed in the Canadian wilds.

Lister

Chas. Lodder, who has been working at Corbin for the past few months, returned to Lister early this month, and is bust with spring work and improving the place generally.

Col. Lister was a visitor at Nelson early in the week, attending the West Kootenay Conservative nominating convention.

H. Phipps, who has been occupying the former Weston place for the past year, left at the first of the month for Alberta points.

Wilfrid Langston, who has been working at the Sunshine mine in the Kellogg, Idaho, country, got back a few days ago and is looking after sprinn operations on his ranch, formerly the Ivor Christensen place.

Mrs. Finlay's health continues much the same but it is hoped the prevailing springlike weather will bring with it a decided change for the better.

One of our most reputable citizens reports seeing swallows here on March 31st, and they appear to have heralded in the spring as almost summer weather has obtained ever since then.

Land clearing is quite general in the area again this spring. R. T. Milner and A. Philip are getting several more acres on the Duncan place ready for cultivation, and similar operations are under way on the W. K. Beard and H. Langston places.

The first 1925 model auto to make its appearance in the Valley came into Lister at the end of the week. It is a Chevrolet, and the owner is Mr. Kernaghan, sawyer at the Rodgers mill at the Helme ranch.

Sirdar

Mesdames Touhey and Brawn were Creston callers on Friday.

Mrs. Whiteside is spending a few days with Cranbrook friends this week, leaving on Tuesday.

We are glad to note that most everyone who has been on the sick list are out and around again, with the attendance at the school back to normal.

Mrs. Lousby was a two days visitor with Cranbrook friends at the first of the week, getting back on Tuesday, accompanied by her nephew, Master Billy Moore, who will visit here for awhile.

Rev. H. Varley had the usual good turnouts for the two morning Church of England services on Sunday last.

The first motor tourist to get off the boat at Kuskanook eastbound, went through Sirdar on Tuesday.

(Intended for last week.)

Mrs. Jones left on Thursday for Nelson where she is spending a week on a visit with friends.

Messrs. A. Dibbin and Lester Gresbeck were callers at Creston on Monday.

The dance on Saturday night was largely attended and everyone had a good time Music was by Messrs. John Tolerico and Karl.

Mrs. Hopwood and daughters, Helen and Hazel, of Creston, were week-end guests of Mrs. Whiteside, and were at the Saturday night dance.

Miss Louise Romano of Creston was another out-of-town guest at the dance, and while here was a guest of Mrs. Tolerico.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. McCabe are receiving congratulations on the arrival on Sunday, March 29th, of a son, and both mother and boy are doing nicely, and all will be glad to hear that Sid, who met with a painful accident about three weeks ago, is improving and out and around again.

The switch crew reverted back to the old starting time for work on Monday night, beginning at 8 instead of 12 p.m. Both work trains are now on the haul of fill from the Canyon.

Sam Bysouth has been officially notified of his appointment as a commissioner for enrolling names on the voters list for the Sirdar polling district. Any who wish their names placed on the new list should leave word at the postoffice.

Baseball Backers Re-Organize Club

After a year without baseball the fans were out in large numbers for a re-organization meeting of the Creston District Baseball Club in Speers' Hall on Tuesday night, the gathering being presided over by R. B. Staples, with R. Joyce acting as secretary. Every one was agreed that Creston should have baseball on the scale of former days, and a strong executive to handle affairs has been selected as follows.

President—Frank Putnam.
Vice-President—C. F. Hayes.
Secretary—M. R. Joyce.
Manager—R. B. Staples.
Captain—G. M. Argue
Advisory Committee—R. Telford, R. Chrysler, M. R. Joyce.
Citizens' Committee—Geo. Johnson, R. S. Bevan, S. A. Speers, H. S. McCreath, R. Crawford.

The membership fee was placed at $1 and the finance committee are hoping for a big membership roll as the team is in need of new uniforms for the season.

There is an abundance of material from which to get together both senior and intermediate nines and practices have already started.

Wyndel

(Intended for lrst week.)

O. J. Wigen left at the end of March for the hot springs at Halcyon, where he is getting toned up for the summer work.

The tennis club had a dance in the old schoolhouse on March 28th. Quite a crowd attended, and everyone reports a good time.

Elias Uri was at Vancouver at the first of the month for a meeting of the directors of the Co Operative Berry Growers Union, as a delegate from Wyndel Co-Operative Fruit Growers Union, getting back on Friday.

Monrad Wigen, who had to be taken to Cranbrook hospital a couple of weeks ago, suffering a very bad attack of grippe, is now making a very satisfactory recovery, and it is expected he will be able to return home in a few days.

The tennis club has the new courts just about in shape for the 1925 season. They have sent away for new nets, balls and other equipment and will soon be ready to start an active season's play.

Nothing really definite is as yet to hand concerning Jim Jauncey, who was taken to Nelson hospital a few days ago suffering from a broken thigh. Early reports were to the effect that the doctors were having some trouble getting the limb set.

Mrs. Matt. Hagen was a Riondel visitor a few days at the end of March, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Moore. Mr. Hagen got back on Friday from a visit to Nelson and Riondel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Uri, who have been at Robson for almost the past six months, got back on Friday, accompanied by the children. They had a short visit at Burton before coming on to Wyndel.

Duck Creek was plunged into mourning on March 31st, when the news spread that Mr. Harry Rosindale had passed away at his home here. He had been in failing health for some time, but it was considerable of a shock to hear of his death as his illness was not thought to have been quite so serious. Deceased has been a resident here for ten years during which time he has been entirely in the employ of the Co-Operative Fruit Growers Association in the capacity of secretary and bookkeeper. The Association will have some trouble getting a man of his all round ability, whilst in the social circle Mr. Rosindale will also be sadly missed. The funeral took place on Thursday to Creston cemetery, Rev. G. Knox conducting the last sad rites and a very large number from here turned out to pay their last respects. He leaves a widow and two daughters to mourn his demise, and in their heavy bereavement they have the very sincere sympathy of a wide circle of Wyndel friends.

The officers and members of the Co-Operative Fruit Growers Association of Wyndel, B.C., wish to extend their deepest sympathy to Mrs. Rosindale and family in their recent bereavement.

Easter Sale

The Methodist Ladies' Aid announce their usual Easter Sale of

FANCY WORK
PLAIN SEWING
COOKING, &c.

in the PARISH HALL CRESTON, on

Sat'y., April 11
3 to 6 p.m.

AFTERNOON TEA Served

ALL ARE INVITED!

Alice Siding

Bob and Jack Miller left a few days ago for Staveley, Alberta, and will most likely spend the next few months at points in southern Alberta.

Alice Siding, which is always first with the early wild flowers broke all previous records this year, with pickings of the yellow tiger lilies on March 10th. These flowers will be a thing of the past here in another week.

The Social Club has discontinued operations for the season, with the last dance held at the Todd auditorium about the middle of March.

Quite a number of the Alice Siding young people were in the surprise party that took possession of the John Johnson home at Wyndel on March 21st, and had a very fine night of it.

More nursery stock is being planted out at Alice Siding this year than for some years back. At the Ostendorf, Dick Smith, Vaness and L. McMurtrie ranches several hundred apple trees are being put in this week.

R. Stewart is busy with the erection of a new poultry house to take care of his baby chicks. He is using an incubator and stocking up heavily with White Wyandottes.

Sendoff dances were much in evidence toward the end of March. On the 20th Frank Martin was farewelled at a "hop" at the Todd auditorium, and on the 24th Bob Moore was similarly remembered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Taylor.

Canyon City

Matt. Clayton and Jock McRobb, who have been working at Kimberley the past few months, are both home at present, on the sick list.

Chas. McCullough is busy at present with the erection of a house for Grover Kifer on the land he owns near the Jim Johnston mill.

The Ladies' Aid are having their usual Easter concert and sale of work at the schoolhouse on Monday afternoon, to which all are invited.

Mrs. Searle arrived home a few weeks ago from a six weeks visit with Mr. Searle at Bellvue, and with friends at other points in the Crow.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bateman, who have been at Yahk for the past six months, returned a few days ago, and will be spending the summer on the ranch.

Dr. Lillie was the speaker at the Epworth League last week, giving a timely talk on the subject, "The 100 Per Cent. Man."

Tom Hickey and son, Ernest, who have been working on a logging contract at Yahk all winter, are home again, and are busy at land clearing operations on the ranch.

Canyon City Methodist will have their missionary anniversary on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock, the feature of which will be addresses by three Creston young men on phases of missionary work.

In the Epworth League debate on March 25th on the topic, 'Environment vs. Hereditary" the former won by a margin of but two points, being championed by Messrs. Kolthammer and F. Knott, whilst the losing cause was argued by A. Spencer and M. Samuelson. The judges were A. Bond, Dr. Lillie and Rev. G. Knox.

W. Wetherhead is a visitor at the ranch here at present, operations at Yahk being held up temporarily on account of a water shortage. His operations the past winter accounted for a cut of 120,000 ties and at least 10,000,000 feet of logs, and with water available he will have a couple of months work fluming out the balance of the timber.

Creston's March School Report

DIVISION I.—F. A. McLellan, Teacher.

Grade VIII. Proficiency—William Manuel. Most progress—Victor Grundy. Writing improvement—Alexander Henderson. Grade VII. Proficiency—Arthur Couling. Most progress—Fred Christie. Writing improvement—Ena Christie.

Perfect attendance—Ena Christie, Arthur Couling, Edith Couling, Lloyd Couling, Victor Grundy, Alex. Henderson, Jessie Learmonth, Lily Lewis, Eric Martin, Charles Moore, Richard Randall, Percy Robinson, Harold Speers, Harry Webster, Edith Wilson, Lily Wilson, Isabel Burnett, Fred Burnett, Mabel West, John Blinco, Mary Goodwin, Laura Holmes, Ada Lewis.

DIVISION II.—Miss Vickers, Teacher.

Grade VI. Proficiency — Lillian Trevelyan. General improvement—Gwen Webster. Writing improvement—Aileen Spratt. Grade V. Proficiency—Faye Pendry. General improvement—Earl Christie. Writing improvement—Lawrence Haptonstall.

Perfect attendance—Donald Bentley, Lettie Couling, Frank Crawford, Tom Crosthwait, Ronald Gibbs, Hazel Hopwood, Raymond Martin, Harry Miller, Hirell Miller, Madge Moore, Jean McCreath, Beryl Nichols, Hilda Payne, Betty Speers, Aileen Spratt, Dora Spratt, Arthur Webster, Gwen Webster, Beth West, Fred Alderson, Billie Bayle, Marion Burnett, Earl Christie Minnie Downes, Phemia Fisher, Jean Henderson, Sally Johnson, Doris Nickel, Jack O'Neill, George Willis.

DIVISION III.—Miss Wade, Teacher.

Grade IV., Senior. Proficiency—Hubert West. General improvement—Marjorie Learmonth. Writing improvement—Elsa Willis. Grade IV., Junior. Proficiency—Andrew Miller. General improvement—Frances Lewis. Writing improvement—Elsie Spiers.

Perfect attendance—Mary Maione, Frank Morrow, Bob McFarland, Hubert West, Elsa Willis, Norman Bentley, Herbert Couling, Irwin Crosthwait, Jack Grundy, Jack Gibbs, Frances Lewis, Andrew Miller, Roland Miller, Thelma McFarland, Arthur Speers, Jack Young.

DIVISION IV.—Miss Holmes, Teacher.

Grade II. Proficiency—Daisy Trevelyan. Improvement — Margaret Miller. Writing improvement—Raymond Bevan. Grade III.—Proficiency—Sarah Quinn. Improvement—Mabel Clark. Writing improvement—Edith Clark, Lily Pendry.

Perfect attendance—Meade Beazer, Hubert Beninger, Agnes Biccum, Jay Bliss, Mable Clark, James Downes, Helen Hopwood, Mable Johnson, George Murrell, Arthur Nichols, Sarah Quinn, Lucille Davis, Harold McLaren, Margaret Miller, Molly Moore, Bert Morrow, Inez Smith, Daisy Trevelyan, Clifford York.

DIVISION V.—Miss Laxton, Teacher.

Junior I. Proficiency—Ruth Hare. Improvement — Norman McFarland. Writing—Gladys Davies. Junior I. Proficiency—Glen Going. Improvement—Norman Finlayson. Writing—Truda Beazer. Junior II. Proficiency—Margaret Burnett. Improvement—Holgar Johnson. Writing—Norman Nickel.

Perfect attendance—Douglas Alderson, Olla Bentley, Gordon Finlayson, Glenn Going, Margaret Henderson, Lloyd McLaren, Hughena McCreath, Aileen Klingensmith, Emmet Johnson, Norman Nickel, Eleanor Spratt, Everet Walker, Mac West, Morris Shearer, Holger Johnson, Robert Willis, Ruth Hare, Stuart Hilton.

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The Tariff--An Economic Issue

For the past forty years or more the Customs tariff has been a hotly and more often than not a bitterly contested issue in Canada. Essentially an economic question, it was made into a partizan issue and election after election has been fought between rival political parties with the tariff the main point of divergence between them, with high tariff and protection advocated by the Conservative party, and lower tariff, or a tariff based on the revenue requirements of the country rather than the protective principle, advocated by the Liberal party.

Admittedly this economic question should never have been made the football of party politics. The country has suffered because of it. Inasmuch as taxation is involved in the question of the tariff it must, of course, remain a political issue in its broadest sense, but it should not be a partizan issue. Just how to divorce the two is the problem.

Fortunately for Canada there is a growing tendency to regard the tariff as an economic rather than a partizan issue. Today there are men in the ranks of the Liberal party who favor high tariff and protection. Even in the Progressive party there is a divergence of opinion, the average Progressive in the East not seeing eye to eye with Western Progressives in this particular.

While the population of Canada was largely to be found east of the Great Lakes, and the policy of Protection was accepted as necessary to the upbuilding of manufacturing industries, differences of opinion in regard to the economic effect of the opposing tariff policies did not actually endanger the Dominion. Now, however, with nearly a third of the population west of the Great Lakes, the economic rather than the old partizan aspects of the tariff controversy loom large, and the gap between east and west is widening.

It is not pleasant to contemplate this, but it would be worse than foolish to ignore it, nor would it be patriotic to do so. The real patriot is the one who faces the existing situation and seeks to discover a remedy. The two schools of economic thought are as far apart as the poles. Stated bluntly, the industrial East states it cannot survive without high tariff protection, while the agricultural West declares just as emphatically that it cannot grow and prosper so long as it is maintained.

In view of this seeming impasse there are those who argue that Canada has come to the parting of the ways, and that the only thing to do is to cut the Dominion in two at the Great Lakes and create not one but two British self-governing units out of British North America, thus allowing the East to have all the tariff and protection they want without placing a handicap on the West, and allowing the West to go in for a very low tariff or free trade without thereby forcing such a policy on the East to its detriment.

Advocates of such a policy are, as yet, few in number, nor do such views find acceptance with the vast majority of the Canadian people. A policy of separation should, and will, only receive serious consideration when all other efforts to bridge the chasm have failed. Both East and West, however, must fully realize that the present differences must be adjusted, and that without loss of time, or there is grave danger that the idea of separation will pass from mere theoretical and academic discussion into the realm of practical issues.

The only thing to do is to forget partizan politics in all future discussion and consideration of the tariff question and deal with it solely as an economic and financial matter affecting the whole Dominion and every person and industry in the country from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Partizan politics have no place in this particular column of this paper, but economic questions and social problems affecting the life of Canada have first place, and no apology is required for discussing the greatest of all our economic questions, namely, the Customs tariff, when such discussion is confined to economics regardless of and quite apart from partizan opinions or policies.

Eastern people and interests can be depended upon to present their views and urge their policies. In this column the view of the West will be presented from time to time because the tariff issue must come to a head soon, as between East and West. The present position is too dangerous to allow it to continue. Existing differences can only be met by compromise. The West cannot get everything it wants, and the East must recognize the fact that conditions have changed with the settlement of the West, and will continue to change as our development and growth proceeds, with the result that the East cannot retain everything it has hitherto enjoyed in the way of tariff protection.

Drought Causes Leaves to Fall

Drought, not frost, causes the leaves to fall in autumn. The sap is stopped causing the leaves to change color and wilt. The wilting, the changing to a brown or yellow or red, is not caused by freezing but by a drying out of the leaf moisture.

Against Games of Chance

A recommendation that the Alberta Government cancel its grants of $5,000 each to the agricultural fairs of Calgary and Edmonton unless games of chance at those fairs are eliminated was adopted by the United Farmers of Alberta.

Children Cry for

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Great Air Base At Singapore

Will Be Largest Base For Commercial Airships on Australian Route

A great air base, combining military and commercial features, will be built by the British air ministry at Singapore, according to the London Daily News correspondent. The aeroplane carrier, Pegasus, with a fleet of Napier-Fairey amphibian aeroplanes, is already carrying out extensive survey work from the air.

Singapore will be the biggest base for commercial airships on the England-India-Australia route. Mooring masts, gas plants and other necessary equipment will be erected. The station will also act as a naval base and patrol station for the whole of the eastern seas.

Mothers' Best Friend In Rearing Children

Pain and sudden sickness are apt to come upon us at any time and safety lies in having always handy on the shelf a reliable pain relief like good old "Nerviline." For nearly half a century Nerviline has been a family standby, and most mothers have come to rely upon it in case of colds, sore throat, tight chest, sprains, cramps, nausea and sudden attacks of sickness at the stomach. For internal or external use, Nerviline is worth its weight in gold in every home, and costs but 35 cents at any dealers.

Plan Military Organization

U.S. to Study Activity of British Women During War

The war department is making a study of the organized activity of British women with their armies in the Great War as a basis for a probable military organization of women in this country in time of emergency, Major-General John Hines, chief of staff of the United States army, said in an address before the Women's Republican Club of Massachusetts.

MAKE CARE OF BABIES EASIER

Stomach disturbances and constipation are responsible for much of the peevishness of babies and young children. When the baby is cross or irritable the mother should not resort to so-called soothing mixtures to correct the trouble, for in the majority of cases these mixtures simply drug the child into an unnatural sleep. What is needed is a gentle laxative that will sweeten the stomach and regulate the bowels. Such a remedy is found in Baby's Own Tablets. They are easy to take and are guaranteed to be entirely free from opiates and narcotics. Concerning them, Mrs. Jos. Tousaignant, Ste. Sophie, Que., writes:—"I would like all mothers to know that I feel there is no other medicine to equal Baby's Own Tablets. I always keep a box in the house and their prompt use never fails to restore my little ones to health." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Interesting Baby Book

Valuable Advice in Connection With Care and Feeding of Babies

Undoubtedly the most interesting reading for the young mother is that which deals with the care and feeding of babies, particularly if the subject is treated in simple language for all to understand clearly. We have just received a booklet, "Baby Welfare," which is one of the most interesting and instructive we have seen in a long time. It has chapters on pre-natal care, Feeding of Baby, Bottle Feeding Supplementing Breast Feeding, Diet After First Year, Food Formulas, Sleep, Fresh Air, Exercise, Bathing, Clothing, Baby's weight and Measurements, with sundry hints as to safeguarding of baby's health against common ailments. There is also a page devoted to Baby's Biography, which should be an interesting record of the little one's activities when it is filled in, and a Weekly Record for Baby's Weight and Height, which the mother can fill in. In the introduction the publishers say that they have purposely omitted suggestions pertaining to medical treatment, knowing that such information should properly come from the family physician when such advice is needed. Mothers desiring a copy of this most helpful book can obtain one, free, by writing to The Baby Welfare Department of the Borden Company Limited, 180 St. Paul Street West, Montreal, mentioning this paper.

For Every Ill—Minard's Liniment

Span Rockies By Phone

Long Distance Telephone Established Between Calgary and Vancouver

The first long distance telephone conversation ever held between Calgary, Alberta, and Vancouver, British Columbia, was recorded recently when the wire chief of the telephone company at Vancouver conversed for several minutes with a Calgary newspaper man. Both parties exchanged news of weather conditions, the result of the hockey matches and a general conversation on the merits of the new service. The call was in the nature of a test and, before ringing off, the telephone office official at Vancouver expressed himself as being pleased with the clearness with which the conversation was heard. The distance from Calgary to Vancouver is 642 miles, through the Rocky Mountains.

Makes Important Discovery

Member of Rockefeller Institute Finds Organism of Cattle Disease

Dr. Edmund V. Cowdray, of the Rockefeller Institute, New York, who was sent to Pretoria at the invitation of the South African Government, has discovered a micro-organism causing a disease known as "heart water" in sheep, goats and cattle. The microbe resembles closely, but not identically, other organisms causing typhus, trench and other fevers in man. Sir Arnold Theiler, director of veterinary education and research here regards the discovery as of the highest importance.

Help for Asthma. Neglect gives asthma a great advantage. The trouble, once it has secured a foothold, fastens its grip on the bronchial passages tenaciously. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is daily benefiting cases of asthma of long standing. Years of suffering, however, might have been prevented had the remedy been used when the trouble was in its first stages. Do not neglect asthma, but use this preparation at once.

Denounces Speculation

Senator Shipstead (Farmer-Labor, Minnesota), denounces the Coolidge administration for "encouraging wild orgies of speculation in Wall Street," by letting the federal reserve bank rediscount paper given for speculative purposes. He said it would bring about a collapse which will seriously affect agriculture.

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British Battleship Sunk

The British battleship, Monarch, was sunk off the Scilly Isles in accordance with the Washington arms treaty. She provided a target for aircraft, light cruisers and battleships, and when the big ships went from the scene there was no sign of her left.

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Aged Primate to Visit Rome

Cardinal Begin, 85, Roman Catholic primate of Canada, will visit Rome this year, leaving Quebec on May 5. His eminence will be accompanied by a number of pilgrims on the occasion of holy year.

For First Aid—Minard's Liniment

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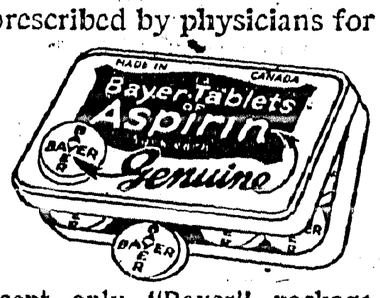

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The Horse Raising Industry Can Be Put On Sound Basis By Breeding The Proper Type

An investigation of the horse industry during the last ten years shows a very considerable change in breeding conditions, also, but to a lesser extent, in the types of horse wanted. Ten years ago, the horse population of Ontario exceeded that of any other province; in fact it was almost one-third of the horse population of Canada. For a number of years previous to the outbreak of war, as high as 10,000 horses a year were shipped to the western provinces. Amongst this number were to be found good and bad, young and old, sound and unsound; in fact, the west was the dumping ground for what Ontario did not want. The prices, however, which were paid for these animals were exceedingly high, quality considered.

Now the tide has set in the other way. In 1923, 10,000 horses passed through Winnipeg on their way east. Half of these stayed in Ontario. During the first nine months of the last year 11,500 horses were sent eastward, of which practically half stayed in Ontario, the rest being distributed through Quebec and the three Maritime Provinces.

During the last two years of the war, and the following two or three, many thought that the truck and the tractor were going to practically displace the horse, not only in the cities, but on the farms. However, it has since been proven that while it was possible to use tractors when war prices prevailed, it is a very different story under present conditions. The necessity of utilizing the cheapest form of power is unpleasantly apparent to our farmers today. This power is unquestionably supplied by the horse.

The various types of horse in demand today may be roughly given as follows: Heavy draft, saddlers and hunters. By heavy draft is meant, horses weighing upwards of 1,600 pounds, and particularly over 1,800 pounds. These are wanted for city dray work. A somewhat lighter drafter may be used on the farms, but enough of these will be secured when attempting to breed good big ones. There are also horses wanted for lumber and mine work. These, while not required to be of extreme draft weight should be thick set, strongly built and capable of standing hard work.—Extract from address prepared by C. M. MacRae, chief of the horse division, Dominion livestock branch.

Canadian Barley

Good Market Is Available In Britain For Canadian Product

Lord Bledisloe, one of the large agriculturists of Britain, having recently returned from Canada where he was one of the delegates at the meeting of the British association, called on the Canadian high commissioner to discuss investigating the possibility of increasing the marketable supply of Canadian barley, as compared with European barley now sold in Britain and intimated that the pig industry, particularly of the western counties and Wales, was in a measure dependent on barley grown outside of Great Britain.

Beekeepers In Alberta

It is estimated by the Alberta department of agriculture that there are now 160 beekeepers in the province, and that the production of the past season was 55,000 lbs., valued at about $13,000.

Constipation Vanishes Forever

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Stop after-dinner distress—correct indigestion; improve the complexion—brighten the eyes.

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Alberta Seed Fair

Quality of Exhibits Said to be Superior To Other Years

Over five hundred exhibits of Alberta seed grain were on display at the anual seed fair held in Calgary, and while this is not so many as last year, the quality was adjudged considerably better. Some of the samples and many of the exhibitors that won prizes at Chicago international were at this show. Apart from the showing of seed grain, there was a spectacular display by the Provincial Government of Alberta grains and grasses, collected and arranged by Frank Peterson, of Irma, who has been doing this work for the provincial department of agriculture for some time. Mr. Peterson had something over a hundred samples of grasses, all of them grown in Alberta, and then beneath the small sheaves of Alberta grain were some fine samples of seed. Included in the latter were a few parcels of robusta beans, the beginning of which was a pint presented by a Michigan exhibitor at the international hay and grain show a few years ago. They ripen at least as far north as the old Canadian Northern Railway line east of Edmonton.

Annual Cattle Show

Alberta Cattle Breeders to Hold 25th Annual Show in April

The Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association announce their 25th annual cattle show and bull sale for April 6 to 11, at Calgary. In the 24 sales which have been held, $1,399,009.00 worth of bulls have been sold, and at every sale S. W. Paisley has been the chief auctioneer, though as the sales have gained in size he has had to have additional assistance from year to year. He will open the sale again this year.

All animals will be sold subject to their passing the tuberculin test unless certificate is produced that they have passed the tuberculin test, under government supervision, within six months of date of sale. Animals not so tested will be tested after arrival at Calgary and should be shipped in time to arrive in Calgary not later than the evening of April 6.

Fox Farms In B.C.

Industry Is Showing Signs Of Remarkable Growth

That British Columbia is taking her place with the other provinces in fox farming is shown in the increasing interest in foxes in that province. Breeding foxes have been imported by Kootenay, Okanagan, Thompson River, Fraser Valley and Vancouver Island farmers during the past few months, which gives some idea of the activity in fur farming. The farms which have been established for some time, have been successful, and this no doubt has given an impetus to the business.

Alberta Agricultural Production

Agricultural Products Had a Total of $226,449,557 For Last Year

Agricultural production in Alberta during 1924 had a value of $226,449,557, as compared with $223,814,304, in the previous year, according to a preliminary estimate of the provincial department of agriculture. Though the general production in field crops was much less than in 1923 the prices received were so much higher as to bring the total value up.

An Effectual Cure

Pursued by hunters, a wild boar crashed into a private house in the village of Grand Millory, near Bourges, France, and made his way into a bedroom where an invalid had been lying for months. The sick man shrieked for help, then arose and jumped out of the window. The wild boar was finally killed. The invalid has returned to work.

Pearl Buddhas

The Chinese insert a small tin Buddha in an oyster shell and the result is that these tiny figures become coated with the nacreous substance, just as the parasite or sand would become coated with this substance and become a pearl.

Delivers Opening Address

Hon. C. M. Hamilton, Minister of Agriculture in the Saskatchewan Government, who formally opened the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' annual convention at Regina.

Permanent Turkey Pool

Saskatchewan Selling System Brings Satisfactory Returns

Permanent establishment of the Saskatchewan turkey pool is foreshadowed by officials of the provincial department of agriculture and the Saskatchewan Grain Growers' Association co-operating in the operation of the turkey pool this year.

"Shippers of farm-dressed turkeys are congratulating themselves on the excellent prices received for their birds handled by the Sasaktchewan Co-operative Creameries, the pool selling agents," state W. Waldron, acting markets commissioner. Final payments have now been sent out and the net prices to the producers was 27½ cents a pound of all weights in No. 1 quality turkeys, with 22½ cents a pound for No. 2.

Immigration

Administration of Policy Should Be In Hands of Independent Commission

Assuming the willingness to inaugurate an aggressive immigration and colonization policy, the actual administration of it should be entrusted to an independent commission composed of some of the biggest men in the country who would undertake it out of a keen sense of national duty and a realization of the fact that it presents the main solution to present problems. Such men, given a free hand, applying to the problem the business acumen and initiative that has made them successful in private enterprise and assisted by an improved state of agriculture in Canada, could produce results that would soon bring about a marked change in Canada's economic position. —The Edmonton Journal.

Canada Should Take Advantage Of The Favorable Conditions For Developing Tourist Trade

"Tourist traffic is one industry ripe for development in Western Canada at the present time," is the statement of one of the engineers of the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior, on returning from an investigation of the natural resources of Southern Alberta and British Columbia. This engineer states that our attractions to tourists in this area constitute one natural resource ready to "cash in" on immediately with little expenditure and no diminuation of the original assets on which it is found.

Canada has the natural attractions to meet any competition for the American automobile and other tourist traffic. She has the big game and other sporting attractions, the waterways, scenery, summer climate, and so on. The service provided by our railways is the best and our highways are now comparable with many of the main highways in the United States, and they are being rapidly extended and improved.

We have the material to sell and we have a ready market, creating a situation of remarkable possibilities. It is a situation which has developed very abruptly—mainly within the last few years. Next door we have a nation, with nearly 110,000,000 people and over 15,000,000 automobiles, bordering us clear across the continent. Most of the motor cars are owned by people with the means and inclination to travel. It is doubtful whether any country ever faced such favorable conditions as Canada enjoys today with regard to the tourist traffic—a class of business which has long been nursed as a large source of income in such countries as France, Italy and Switzerland.

In the report of the United States foreign trade for 1923 the expenditure of tourists abroad is estimated at $500,000,000. The increasing tourist travel in Canada bids fair to absorb a considerable portion of this annual expenditure.

What is required more than anything else to take full advantage of this situation and to create a still more thriving and remunerative industry is a spirit of co-operation among the various organizations dealing with this traffic. The efforts of the Natural Resources Intelligence Service are being directed toward this end.

As an agency for selling interest in our natural resources, Canada's tourist traffic plays an important part. The American tourist generally has an eye to business as well as pleasure. Many of them make their trips to Canada a tour of investigation, resulting often in investments in this country. Canada's business growth has created an interest among American business men that is simply revolutionary as contrasted with their attitude toward the Dominion only ten years ago.

Protecting Trees

Shade Tree Insects Cause Damage In Prairie Provinces

The shade trees of the prairie provinces have suffered severely from insect injuries during recent years. Large numbers of them are being planted each year on the prairie farms and the entomological branch of the department of agriculture at Ottawa is making a special effort to aid in protecting them from insect injuries. A laboratory has been established at Indian Head, Sask., to conduct needed investigations on the control of shade tree insects and to recommend effective methods for prevention and control of injuries. More than thirty species of important shade tree insects, of which the forest tent caterpillar is prominent, are receiving attention at this laboratory, which is conducted in close co-operation with the tree planting division of the forestry branch of the department of the interior. Mr. J. J. De Gryse is in charge of the entomological laboratory at Indian Head, to whom enquiries should be referred.

No Shortage Of Cattle Space

Ocean Freight Rate Still Remains At $20 Says Dr. Grisdale

"There is no shortage of cattle space on the boats for all cattle available for export to the Old Country, and the price of $20 per head still remains the ocean freight rate," stated Dr. J. H. Grisdale, deputy minister of agriculture, in an interview at Winnipeg.

"I consider," said Mr. Grisdale, "that space is available for all the cattle available, though the boats may not always be sailing to the port required. The price of $20 is still in force, though extra money is, at times, charged for diverting the boat to another port."

Dr. Grisdale referred to recent reports of cattle exporters not being able to secure the necessary space when required.

Architecture Exhibit

Canada will have a place in the New York exhibition of current architecture. The invitation extended by the American Institute of Architects has been accepted and contributions are to be submitted. Invitations were also extended to England, France, Italy, Spain and other countries. The Royal Architectural Institute accepted for Canada.

The man who really knows a lot about women is usually willing to admit that he knows nothing.

PLAN TO VISIT DOMINION

PRINCESS MARY AND VISCOUNT LASCELLES

So successful was the recent visit of the Prince of Wales to Canada that Princess Mary and her husband, Viscount Lascelles, have virtually decided to make a trip to the Dominion next year, it is announced authoritatively in London. The visit, it is added, will be in every way an informal one.

Distemper

Minard's is the best remedy for distemper and other ills of horses, cattle and dogs.

MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

Planes to Catch Cattle Thieves

The police authorities of Santiago del Estero are planning to use airplanes in the pursuit of cattle thieves in that province of North Argentina. Cattle stealing there is made easy by the lack of roads and the impossibility of rapid pursuit over extensive uninhabited districts.

As to intuition, the modern girl who selects her own husband does little better than the o. f. girl who was patiently passive.

To Protect the Farmer

Miss Bondfield Urges Census Regarding Area To Be Sown to Wheat

A sort of world census regarding the areas to be put under wheat, with a fixed price for the wheat, as an assurance scheme in which farmers could be compensated for "what is known generally as the acts of God," is the gist of a suggestion contained in a speech delivered by Miss Margaret Bondfield, former parliamentary secretary to the British minister of labor, when dealing with the world's wheat supply. Miss Bondfield described the present system as a "catch-as-catch-can, and purely individualistic policy," and thought that the scheme would result in a more scientific and more reliable basis on which to put the wheat growing of the world.

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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

1925 Vegetable Marketing

Lethbridge, Alta.,
March 30, 1925.

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—It was with a great deal of interest that we read in your March 27th issue the article under the heading "1925 Market Review." This certainly is a wonderful review taking in all territory on the Crow's Nest line as far east as Lethbridge and as the report is so complete there is not much we can add but we certainly would like to see Creston grow enough onions to take care of the demand for mixed cars. Some districts we know have not made a success of growing onions for winter use but we see no reason why any district such as Creston cannot grow enough to take care of the mixed car demand.

We, ourselves, during the past year gave Creston the preference on every car that we bought but in looking over our records we notice that we bought at least three cars in the Okanagan which contained MacIntosh Reds and onions, and our only reason for buying in the Okanagan was for getting onions.

There is one other thing we believe Creston has passed up and, that is, the pickling cucumbers. For a number of years these were sent into us real early in the season before there was any demand and we doubt if the growers ever received even the cost of the packages out of them, but there is a real good demand later in the season for the real small pickling cucumbers, and if the growers could have these come on about one month later than they do we believe they can get a price which would make them some money.

There is always a demand for rhubarb and it extends until quite late in the season. This, of course, would have to be shipped by express and there is a doubt whether it can be sold at a high enough price to cover this charge.

Your report covers tomatoes quite fully, and it certainly is a line that should be grown in much larger quantities in Creston than it has been in the past. During the last two years even Lethbridge has had to bring most of their supplies from the Okanagan.

Yours truly,
PLUNKETT & SAVAGE,
Lethbridge Limited.
E. C. COPE, Manager.

How to Treat Winter Injury

Many fruit growers are at a loss to know how to treat trees that have suffered winter injury so the following article by M. S. Middleton, B.S.A., district horticulturist at Vernon, will prove valuable:

"Winter injury occurs in many different forms upon fruit trees and one of the most common is that of injury to the trunks and main branches, which is usually termed "sunscald." This form of injury has been observed generally throughout to the north end of the Okanagan Valley. It is practically confined to the cambium, or growing layer, on the trunks and main branches, extending from near the ground upwards two or three feet, and is more severe and generally found on the tender varieties. The trouble is usually on the west or north side of the trees and can not be detected except by cutting through the bark and examining the condition of the cambium. If this examination reveals a light yellow or greenish color just under the bark, the trees may be passed as sound, but should the incision disclose a dark brown or almost black color, further attention must be given immediately or the tree will suffer to the extent of the severity of the injury. The degree of injury will vary with different trees in the orchard.

"The serious feature with regard to trunk injury is that it is seldom noticed by the grower in time to effect a cure; usually the winter injured or sunscalded trees are dead or dying before they are discovered. In some cases the bark will split and heave away from the wood and later dry up and leave a large blaze on the effected side. In other cases the bark may cling on to the tree and dry rot set in, which later works into the wood of the tree. It is with all this in mind that the following recommendations for its proper treatment are being made, viz.:

"That a thorough examination of the cambium of all trees be made by making a slight cut with a knife. If any discoloration is found, immediately gouge or slit them up and down the length and breadth of the injury. These slits should be made from 1½ to 2 inches apart.

"The slits should be made just as narrow as possible, but must reach through the bark to the cambium. These slits heal over from both sides and by fall the affected parts will be quite healthy. A farrier's knife with a curved blade kept sharp makes an ideal tool to gouge out the slit in bark.

"The slitting should be done for the best results just after danger from severe frosts is over, or about the time growth starts.

"The theory of the practice is that the injury, which is caused by numerous cells having been ruptured and the cell sap brought in contact with the air in the intercellular spaces, starts oxidation, hence the brown discoloration. Later, fermentation sets up (under cover of the bark) which is very destructive to cell growth. This fermentation gives rise to what is termed souring, or soursap, the result being, if the souring is allowed to go on, the bark over the affected parts dies and later dries up and peels off, leaving a blaze or scald on the side of the tree.

"This blaze may be a good deal larger than the original injury, as the drying up and cracking of the bark or the fermentation often separates it from the wood or destroys the cell growth for a greater distance than the original injured area. Hence the above slitting is advised. It allows sunshine (the greatest disinfectant we have) to enter and the gases to escape, and as a result new cell growth will be encouraged and healing take place.

"Unfortunately this operation will not affect a permanent cure, as subsequent weather conditions may again cause the same trouble, but the operation can be repeated with just as effective results.

"As mentioned above, this form of winter injury is most common on what we consider to be our more tender varieties and is generally found within three feet of the ground. I might say that there appears great possibilities in the practice of 'double working' by top-working the susceptible tender sorts on hardy resistant stocks, and thus prevent this source of trouble."

At their annual convention at Revelstoke last week the United Farmers of B.C. faced a treasurer's statement that showed the organization to be $800 in the hole.

C.P.R. Annual Report, Guide to Canadian Development

Is clearly understandable presentation of conditions since it affects all phases Canada's industrial and commercial life

E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President

Every year the people of Canada have placed before them two documents which in a different way present the facts regarding conditions prevailing throughout the country. One of these is the budget of the Minister of Finance and the other is the annual report of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The latter being a business document and necessarily entirely free from any touch of political influence is the more clearly understandable presentment of conditions and it is an equally reliable guide because there exists no phase of Canada's industrial and commercial life which is not touched upon and affected by the truly national institution of which it is an annual record.

The company's report for the year just issued, reflects the marked contraction the nation's business has experienced. Gross earnings for the year totalled $182,502,156, a decline of $13,334,933 from those of the previous year. Freight earnings alone decreased by $10,794,416. Working expenses, including all taxes totalled $145,274,914, a decrease of $13,083,165. Net earnings totalled $37,227,241, a decrease for the year of $251,768. The working expenses for the year, including all taxes, amount to 79.60 per cent. of the gross earnings, and the net earnings to 20.40 per cent., as compared with 80.86 per cent. and 19.14 per cent. respectively in 1923.

In his summary to the annual report Chairman and President E. W. Beatty points out that the decrease in freight earnings, which alone amounted to $10,794,416, is largely accounted for by the much smaller movement of grain and flour, particularly the former, owing to the smaller crop in Western Canada. He instances also a substantial decrease in the movement of manufactured articles as a result of the general business situation. Notwithstanding this, he says, the result of the company's operations must be considered satisfactory.

Mr. Beatty pointed out that the company's land sales for the year totalled 96,755 acres, of which 6,741 acres were of irrigated land selling at $53.26 per acre, the average for the balance being $15.90 per acre. The land sales were in excess of last year, but were still of moderate proportions, due partly to the fact that immigration was not extensive, especially of those financially able to immediately purchase land holdings.

The wide-spread character of the company's operations, said the report, makes it necessary that substantial cash balances should be maintained and for that purpose the directors had authorized and maintained the creation and sale of securities totalling $52,000,000.

Special attention was drawn to decreases in the company's income from subsidiary companies, particularly the Canadian Pacific steamships operating on the Atlantic where continued light freight business and smaller passenger traffic cut into earnings. Results in this connection were disappointing, says the report. In anticipation of a considerable increase in passenger and freight traffic the schedules for the season were arranged to provide for ten additional sailings during the St. Lawrence season. The schedules of sailings of other companies were also enlarged with the result that competition was increased, and this and the drastic immigration laws of the United States, together with the failure of Canadian immigration to reach the proportions expected by the Government and the transportation companies, were the principal causes of the unsatisfactory showing. The steamship companies, in order to assist in making effective the immigration policy of the country, allowed a rebate of fifteen dollars in the fare of each immigrant, but, notwithstanding this concession, the decrease in third-class westbound passengers was 15,000 and the cost to the Company of the rebates is $325,000, with a corresponding reduction in its net earnings. The total earnings westbound were $1,743,000 less than in 1923. The eastbound passenger carryings were somewhat greater than in 1923, owing largely to the attraction of the Wembley Exhibition. Freight traffic showed a very moderate increase, amounting in earnings to $503,000 and in tonnage to 125,000 tons. In the result, the operations of the Atlantic fleet showed a decrease in revenue from all sources of $1,070,000 under 1923 and an increase of $617,000 in expenses owing to the increased number of voyages. An improvement in business to and from the Orient is expected because of the more stable commercial and political conditions now existing in these countries.

The report drew attention to the two fine new steamers, the "Princess Kathleen" and the "Princess Marguerite" which have been built for the British Columbia Coast steamship service, both of which will be operating in a few weeks and to the satisfactory progress on the work of building the new Lake Louise Chalet which will open in June as one of America's finest hotels.

During the year the company proposes to spend a total of $4,858,900 on improvement to plant connected with railroad and telegraph services. It was pointed out that during 1924 branch line construction in the Western provinces was proceeded with, 227 miles of railway being graded and 214 miles of track being laid. Moderate extensions will be built during the coming year, a total of 176 miles of branch lines being proposed.

The report concludes with an important observation on the freight rate situation in which it is pointed out that the recent decision of the courts naturally creates violent inequalities and discriminations between communities. Undoubtedly intervention by Parliament will be necessary in order that a scale of rates may be evolved which will be free from such discrimination, even though legal in character. The remedies which are suggested are for the most part artificial and of doubtful soundness. A general lower scale of rates is not possible without grave unfairness to the transportation companies unless brought about through increase of traffic in consequence of greater population and development in the country itself. Two factors, however, appear to be reasonably certain, namely, that an independent tribunal free from political influence should determine the reasonableness of Canadian railway rates and that the Companies should receive adequate revenues for the vitally important services they render. The complicated question of freight schedules is one which can only be dealt with by a dispassionate tribunal with the aid of experts and having in view the interests of the shippers and consumers, and of the transportation agencies of the country. In public discussions of the subject the value of the work of the transportation companies and in particular of your Company is frankly recognized, but the fact that that work can only be carried on successfully under a fair scale of rates is sometimes overlooked.

FOR SALE—Two 1-ton Ford trucks, in good shape. H. S. McCreath.

Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 2095

Meets THIRD THURSDAY of each month at Mercantile Hall. Visiting brethren cordially invited.

ERIC OLSON, W.M.

MINERAL ACT
FORM F

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

Dome Fractional and Tea-Pot Fractional Mineral Claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of Kootenay District. Where located: On Sheep Creek, about seven miles from Salmo.

TAKE NOTICE that I, A. H. Green, acting as agent for A. Bremner, Free Miner's Certificate No. 69420-C, and James Bremner, Free Miner's Certificate No. 69207-C, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining Crown Grants of the above claims.

And further take notice that action, under section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 28th day of February, 1925.

A. H. GREEN.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of April next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building known as the Dew Drop Inn situate at South Slocan, British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lot 2088, Kaslo Assessment District, at the intersection of Smoky Creek and the Kootenay River Road, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 12th day March, 1925.

ANDREW WILLIAMSON.
Applicant.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that on the 19th day of April, 1925, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building to be known as Boundary Beer Parlors, situate at Camp Lister, B.C., upon the lands described as Part Block 20, of Lot 251, Plan 676, Kootenay District, Nelson Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 9th day of March, 1925.

F. V. STAPLES, Applicant.

WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE

Take notice that The Canyon City Lumber Company, Limited, whose postoffice address is Creston, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use 3000 gallons per day and 120 acre feet of water out of Floyd Creek, which flows southwesterly and drains into Goat River about two miles west of Goat River bridge. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 200 feet east and 100 feet south of the northeast corner of Block 166, Lot 812, and will be used for domestic and irrigation purposes upon the lands described as Blocks Nos. 184,208, 209, 210, 213 and 214, Lot 812, Plan 921. This notice was posted on the ground on the 7th day of March, 1925. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the Water Act, 1914, will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson, B.C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

CANYON CITY LUMBER COMPANY, LIMITED, Applicant.
By G. A. M. YOUNG, Agent.

The date of the first publication of this notice is 13th March, 1925.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that on or after the 9th day of April next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building known as Sirdar Hotel, upon the lands described as Lot 180 and Lot 181, in the Subdivision of Lot 9639, Group 1, West Kootenay District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 5th day of March, 1925.

H. C. HUGHES, Applicant.

SALE of ESTRAY CATTLE

Unless sooner claimed I will offer by public sale at my premises on SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1925, one Heifer and one Steer, which strayed onto my property in the fall of 1924. Stock to be sold to pay expenses incurred in keeping same. J. W. DOW, Creston.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of April next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises, being part of the building known as McConnell Hotel, situated at Kitchener, upon the land described as Lot No. 3, Block No. 3, of Lot 2546, Map 688, Kootenay Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle, for consumption upon the premises.

Dated this 23rd day of February, 1925.

LLOYD ERWIN McGONEGAL,
Applicant.

CAYUSES ESTRAY

Came to the Reclamation Farm early in January two cayuses; brown with white stripe down faces, no brands visible; mare, one gelding. Owner can have same on proving property and paying all expenses. C. BLAIR, Creston.

Light and Heavy

Shoes Made to Order

New Stock of Harness

Second Hand Store in connection

A. Mirabelli

Shoe and Harness Repairing

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that, on the 23rd day of April next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building known as Creston Hotel, situate at Creston, British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, Block 20, Lot 525, Group 1, K.D., Map 693, Nelson Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 10th day of March, 1925.

VICTOR CARR, Applicant.

Watch this Space for Special Announcement Next Week

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CRESTON

Mail it to the Bank

No matter how far distant you may be from this Bank you can always make deposits by mail. Sums of money sent to us by registered mail will be credited to your account and immediately acknowledged. Do not keep a large sum of money at home — mail it to the Bank. 436

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C. W. ALLAN, - - - - Manager.

Local and Personal

BIRTH—On April 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Beninger, a son.

FOR SALE—White Pekin laying ducks. R. Stewart, Alice Siding.

Mrs. J. W. Dow is a Cranbrook visitor this week, with her son, Dave.

FOR SALE—Thorobred Jersey heifer calf, six weeks old. Apply Dr. Henderson.

PIGS FOR SALE—Six weeks old, $7 each. John R. Miller (Alice Siding), Creston.

DUCK EGGS—For hatching, $1 per setting of 11 eggs. Mrs. M. Young, Creston.

FOR SALE—Oil stove with oven, also an Oak coal heater. Mrs. Wetherhead, Canyon.

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WATER NOTICE

DIVERSION AND USE

Take notice that the persons mentioned in the Schedule below, who propose to form the Coldstream Water Users' Community, whose address is Canyon, B.C., will apply for a license to take and use 500 gallons a day each and the quantities in the Schedule below, of water out of Burton Creek, also known as Mill Run and Floyd Creek, which flows southwesterly and drains into Goat River about two miles west of Goat River bridge. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point about 200 feet east and 100 feet south of the north-east corner of Block 166, Lot 812, and will be used for domestic and irrigation purposes upon the lands as stated in the Schedule below.

This notice was posted on the ground on the 4th day of February 1925. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the Water Act, 1914, will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder, Nelson, B.C. Objections to the application may be filed with the said Water Recorder or with the Comptroller of Water Rights, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., within thirty days after the first appearance of this notice in a local newspaper.

Proposed COLDSTREAM WATER USERS' COMMUNITY, Applicants.
By G. A. M. YOUNG, Agent.

Date of first publication of this notice is March 6, 1925.

SCHEDULE.

Name of Applicant.	Description of Land.	Quantity of Water
E Nougnier.....	Block No. 170	20 acre feet
A Wealing.....	Blocks No. 215 & 216..	40 "
C. A. Robinson,	" 186 & 187..	40 "
Mrs. L. Kempe..	" 160.....	20 "
A. Berggren.....	" 206 & 207..	40 "
C. Pipe.....	" 167 & 168..	40 "
M. Nelson.....	" 168	20 "
A. R. Swanson...	" 218	20 "
Mrs. Sarah Jackson	" 176, 177, 178..	60 "

All the above Block numbers are according to a registered subdivision of part of Lot 812, Group 1, Kootenay District, Plan No. 921.

POTATOES—Irish Cobbler, for seed or eating, first-class stock. T. Trevelyan, Creston.

School closes for the Easter vacation to-day, and will resume operations on Monday, 20th.

CHEAP HAY—Portion of stack for sale. Apply C. Blair, Reclamation Farm, Creston.

Chas. Moore was a business visitor at Nelson a couple of days early in the week, leaving on Monday.

EGGS FOR HATCHING — Purebred Barred Rocks, $1 for setting of 15 eggs. Mrs. Vaness, Alice Siding.

POTATOES—I have a quantity of first class potatoes for sale, will do for seed. C. O. Rodgers, Creston.

Elson Lidgate left a few days ago for Trail, where he has secured a position in the smelter in that town.

HATCHING EGGS—White Leghorn, Sally strain, $1.50 per setting of 15 eggs. Geo. W. Taylor, Wynndel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cherrington were visitors with Nelson friends a couple of days this week, leaving on Monday.

WANTED—Light democrat or buggy, must be in good condition and cheap for cash buy. Enquire Review Office.

FOR SALE—Whole Gurney Oxford steel range. Also one buggy. J. A. Woolverton, Watkins dealer, Creston.

Valley hens are now producing almost up to maximum capacity and fresh eggs are now retailing at 30 cents a dozen.

HOUSE FOR SALE—4 room cottage on two lots on Barton Avenue, going cheap and on easy terms. See R. Walmsley, Creston.

RASPBERRY CANES—For sale large quantity of Cuthbert Raspberry canes, immediate delivery. Apply Arrowsmith Ranch, Creston.

P. Mann left early last week on a trip to England, having been called to the old home by cable due to the serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. Floyd Rodgers left on Wednesday last on a visit to her parents at Invermere, her mother's health being far from the best just at present.

FOR RENT—10-acre ranch, seven acres in cultivation, quarter-acre of onions planted last fall. House on place. Apply F. K. Smith, Creston.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—White Wyandotte eggs, $1.25 for setting of 15. White Pekin duck eggs, $1 for setting of 12. R. Stewart, Alice Siding.

FOR SALE—Tomato, Cabbage, Cauliflower and Celery plants, a big selection of garden flower plants. All good, strong plants. Place your orders now. Jas Cook, Creston.

Every person who drives a car is compelled to take out a drivers license which cost $1 each. Up till Tuesday sixty of these permits have been issued at Creston.

The Ladies' Guild of Christ Church had quite a successful afternoon tea at the rectory on Saturday, March 28th, the cash intake being in the neighborhood of $11.

S.C. WHITE LEGHORNS—Hatching eggs from high producing hens. Tancred and Sailhamer, etc., cockerels (250 and 300 egg strains), $1.25 per setting. F. Baker, Camp Lister.

Father Hartman of New Westminister succeeds Fr. Ehman in charge of Roman Catholic Church work at Creston, and took his first service at Holy Cross Church on March 29th.

Members of the Rod and Gun Club who were out last week trying the bass fishing report the first catch of the season on April 1st, when a few choice two pounders were landed.

The April meeting of Creston Board of Trade is announced for Tuesday night at which resolutions to go before the Associated Boards meeting early in May will be up for consideration.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Martin are again occupying the residence attached to the C.P.R. depot, whilst their residence on Victoria Avenue is now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hare.

A feature to Easter at Christ Church on Sunday will be the children's service at 3 p.m., at which the youngsters will make their offering in eggs, which will be sent to Nelson hospital.

OGILVIE Goods are dependable

Millinery

A splendid selection of Trimmed and Ready-to-Wear Hats on display at the store next the Imperial Bank THURSDAY and SATURDAY, April 9th and 11th.

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PURITY Chick Food and Milk Mash for Baby Chicks

Laying Mash, Poultry Food, Meat and Cracked Feed.
Garden Seeds, Timothy and Alfalfa Seed.
Burns' Standard Fertilizer, $3.00.
Purity Flour. Breakfast Food. Cracked Wheat, &c.

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To Investors

IF you wish to buy or sell Victory Loan or other bonds, we would remind you that we have a department especially organized to handle such transactions.

Call at our nearest branch. Our Manager will be pleased to undertake this business for you. 646

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SHAMROCK PORK SAUSAGE
An economical dish, easy to serve.
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Maple Leaf Flour
98-lb., $5.25
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A Romance of the Spanish Main

CAPTAIN BLOOD

RAFAEL SABATINI

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"CAPTAIN BLOOD," a Vitagraph picture with J. Warren Kerrigan in the title role, is an adaptation of this thrilling novel.

SYNOPSIS

Peter Blood, a young Irish physician, is arrested as a Monmouth rebel by soldiers of King James and sentenced to death by the bloody Lord Jeffreys. The King, however, realizing the need of man power in the colonies, orders the rebels-convict sent to the Barbadoes to be sold as slaves. Blood and his friend, Jeremy Pitt, with fifty others, are shipped to Bridgetown. There Colonel Bishop, military commander, at the behest of his niece, Arabella Bishop, purchased Blood for ten pounds when he learns that he is a skilled physician. Arabella offers her friendship to Blood but in his own bitterness over the cruelty of his position he does not at first understand the true character of Arabella. Later he comes to know her true worth. A Spanish galleon commanded by Don Diego de Espinosa y Valdez attacks Bridgetown and the Spaniards sack the city. Blood saves Mary Traill from a Spanish ruffian and sends her and Arabella to safety back of the town. He then marshals his fellow rebels-convict together and they capture the galleon while the crew is feasting and ravaging the city.

CHAPTER IX.—Continued

Crouching low, they glided, noiseless as shadows, to the quarter-deck rail, and thence slipped without sound down into the waist. In the vessel's waist they hung awhile, until Mr. Blood had satisfied himself that no other sentinel showed above decks but that inconvenient fellow in the prow. Their first attention must be to him. Mr. Blood, himself, crept forward with two companions, leaving the others in the charge of that Nathaniel Hagthorpe whose sometime commission in the King's Navy gave him the best title to this office.

Mr. Blood's absence was brief. When he rejoined his comrades there was no watch above the Spaniards' decks. Meanwhile the revellers below continued to make merry at their ease in the conviction of complete security. Suddenly out of an uncouth pack of savages that beset them, stepped a slim, tall fellow with light-blue eyes in a tawny face, eyes in which glinted the light of a wicked humour. He addressed them in the purest Castilian.

"You will save yourselves pain and trouble by regarding yourselves my prisoners and suffering yourselves to be quietly bestowed out of harm's way."

"Name of God!" swore the gunner, which did no justice at all to an amazement beyond expression.

"If you please," said Mr. Blood, and thereupon those gentlemen of Spain were induced without further trouble beyond a musket prod or two to drop through a scuttle to the deck below.

It was soon after sunrise that the rebel-convict who paced the quarter-deck in Spanish corselet and head-piece, a Spanish musket on his shoulder, announced the approach of a boat. It was Don Diego de Espinosa y Valdez coming aboard with four great

A courtly gentleman met Colonel Bishop

treasure-chests, containing each twenty-five thousand pieces of eight, the ransom delivered to him at dawn by Governor Steed. He was accompanied by his son, Don Esteban, and by six men who took the oars.

Don Diego mounted the ladder and stepped upon the deck, alone, and entirely unsuspicious. Before he could even look round, and survey this guard drawn up to receive him, a tap over the head with a capstan bar efficiently handled by Hagthorpe put him to sleep without the least fuss. He was carried away to his cabin, whilst the treasure-chests, handled by the men he had left in the boat, were being hauled to the deck. That being satisfactorily accomplished, Don Esteban and the fellows who had manned the boat came up the ladder, one by one, to be handled with the same quiet efficiency.

With Colonel Bishop at their head, and non-resident Governor Steed sitting on the ruins of a wall beside him, survivors on shore gloomily watched the departure of the eight boats containing the weary Spanish ruffians who had glutted themselves with rapine, murder and violence unspeakable.

The boats pulled away from the [illegible] with their loads of laughing, [illegible] [illegible] all energies [illegible] across the waters at [illegible] victims. They had come ashore between the wharf and the ship when suddenly the air was shaken to the boom of a gun. A cannon-ball [illegible] the water within a fathom of the foremost boat, sending a shower of spray over its occupants. A second shot came to cripple one of the boats into splinters, flinging its crew, dead and living, into the water.

The resolute Ogle was making excellent practice, and fully justifying his claims to know something of gunnery. In their consternation the Spaniards had simplified his task by huddling their boats together.

If the Spaniards understood nothing of all this, the forlorn islanders ashore understood still less, until to help their wits they saw the flag of Spain come down from the mainmast of the Cinco Llagas, and the flag of England soar to its empty place. Ogle, however, continued to give proof that his knowledge of gunnery was not of yesterday. After the fleeing Spaniards went his shots. The last of their boats flew into splinters as it touched the wharf, and its remains were buried under a shower of loosened masonry.

The mystery of the succour that had come at the eleventh hour to wreak vengeance upon the Spaniards, and to preserve for the island the extortionate ransom of a hundred thousand pieces of eight, remained yet to be probed. That the Cinco Llagas was now in friendly hands could no longer be doubted after the proofs it had given. It remained to ascertain the precise identity of these mysterious saviours and do them fitting honor. Upon this errand went Colonel Bishop as the Governor's deputy, attended by two officers.

As he stepped from the ladder into the vessel's waist, the Colonel beheld there, beside the main hatch, the four treasure-chests, the contents of one of which had been contributed almost entirely by himself. Ranged on either side, athwart the deck, stood a score of men in two well-ordered files, with breasts and backs of steel, polished Spanish morions on their heads, overshadowing their faces, and muskets ordered at their sides.

A courtly gentleman advanced to greet him—a lean, graceful gentleman, dressed in the Spanish fashion, all in black with silver lace, a gold-hilted sword dangling beside him from a gold embroidered baldrick, a broad castor with a sweeping plume set above carefully curled ringlets of deepest black.

"Be welcome aboard the Cinco Llagas, Colonel, darling," a voice vaguely familiar addressed the planter.

"Peter Blood! Was it you then . . .?"

"Myself it was—myself and these, my good friends and yours."

"Gad's my life!" he crowed on a note of foolish jubilation. "And it was with these fellows that you took the Spaniard and turned the tables on those dogs. As Gad's my life, you deserve well for this."

"I am entirely of your opinion," said Mr. Blood. "The question is how well we deserve, and how grateful shall we find you?"

"Why—his excellency shall write home an account of your exploit, and maybe some portion of your sentences shall be remitted."

"The generosity of King James is well known," sneered Nathaniel Hagthorpe, who was standing by, and amongst the ranged rebels-convict some one ventured to laugh.

And one intervened—the brawny one-eyed Wolverstone, less mercifully disposed than his more gentlemanly fellow-convict.

"String him up from the yard-arm," he cried. Mr. Blood turned.

"If you please, Wolverstone," said he, "I conduct affairs in my own way. That is the pact. You'll please to remember it." His eyes looked along the ranks, making it plain that he addressed them all. "I desire that Colonel Bishop should have his life. One reason is that I require him as a hostage. If ye insist on hanging him, ye'll have to hang me with him, or in the alternative I'll go ashore."

(To be continued)

NERVES AND FAINTING SPELLS

Sent Woman to Bed. Great Change After Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Sarnia, Ontario. "After my girlie was born I was a wreck. My nerves were too terrible for words and I simply could not stand or walk without pains. I suffered with fainting spells until I was no longer any good for my household duties and had to take to my bed. The doctor said I should have an operation, but I was not in a fit condition at that time. My neighbor said, 'Why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? I am sure it will do you good and will save those doctor's bills.' So I was advised by my husband to try it after I told him about it. I am very thankful to say that I was soon able to take a few boarders for a while as rooms were scarce at that time. My baby is 17 months old now and I have not yet had an operation, thanks to your medicine. I have recommended the Vegetable Compound to a few people I know and have told them the good it has done me. I know I feel and look a different woman these last few months and I certainly would not be without a bottle of your medicine in the house. You can use this letter as you see fit, as I should be only too glad for those suffering as I have to know what it has done for me." Mrs. ROBERT G. MACGREGOR, R. R. No. 2, Sarnia, Ontario.

A recent canvass of women users of the Vegetable Compound report 98 out of 100 received beneficial results. This is a remarkable proof of its merit. C

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The Airtight Tins insure BIG BEN being in the same perfect condition, when you buy it, as when the tobacco left the factory.

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Chinese Geologist Finds Fossil Beetle

Age Has Been Estimated at Fifteen Million Years

In that most venerable land of odd things, China, a scarab beetle, of an age that makes King Tut's reign a mere tick of the clock age, has just been turned up.

A member of the Chinese geological survey, working in Shantung, the sacred province of North China, found the fossil beetle in rocks of the Cretaceous period, or Age of Fishes, of an age estimated at 15 million years.

This makes the scarab easily the oldest beetle in the world. Evidently the genus has been very conservative in the matter of evolution, for this primitive scarab resembles very closely his present-day nth degree great-grandchildren.

King's Lynn Is Historic

First Polar Expedition Said to Have Started From There In 1330

Prince Henry was recently created to the office of Lord High Steward of King's Lynn. This historic place was known as Bishop's Lynn in the days before the Reformation. It was during those years that the highwater mark of the ancient town's prosperity was reached, and Lynn, with her two noble churches and merchant princes, became the third port in the kingdom. From Lynn it is said the first Polar expedition on record was sent forth in 1330, and it was the birthplace of that notable adventurer, George Vancouver, who was born in the half-timbered cottage still standing in the yard of the Quaker Meeting House.

The Happiest Spot

The township of Salechio, in the province of Novara, Italy, is being hailed as the happiest spot in the world.

In 1923 none of the 400 inhabitants died.

In 1924 none of them married.

A new German airplane has one-man wings that can be taken down and folded against the fuselage in two minutes.

Some Quaint Rental Customs

Have Been Handed Down in England For Centuries

Among the strangest of England's medieval customs which have been handed down to posterity is that of the "quit rents" of six horseshoes and a bundle of faggots solemnly paid at the British Law Courts annually to the King's Remembrancer. These are for certain tenancies under the Crown. The manor Bondby, in Lincolnshire, again, is held on condition that the holder shall bear a white rod before the King at Christmas if ever the Sovereign happens to spend the festival in that county, whilst a Sussex manor costs its holder the trouble of carrying a banner across the county when the King passes through it in war array.

LITTLE HELPS FOR THIS WEEK

Take therefore no thought for the morrow.—Matt. vi., 34.

I think not of to-morrow,
Its trial or its task;
But still with childlike spirit
For present mercies ask.
With each returning morning
I cast old things away;
Life's journey lies before me,
My prayer is for to-day.

Let us take short views. Let us not climb the high wall till we get to it, or fight the battle till it opens, or shed tears over sorrows that may never come, or lose the joys and blessings that we have by the sinful fear that God will take them away from us. We need all our strength, and all the grace God can give us for today's burdens and today's battle.—Tomorrow belongs to our Heavenly Father.

—Theodore L. Cuyler.

Nothing else makes the time pass so quickly as a ninety-day note.

A bride is all right when she is well groomed.

Before School fortify Your Child SCOTT'S EMULSION

Work and Worry Weaken Many Women

NEW HEALTH CAN BE HAD THROUGH

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

They Give New Vitality and more.

The demands upon a mother's strength are many and severe; her own health trials and her children's welfare exact heavy tolls, while broken rest and much indoor living tend to weaken her constitution. No wonder that the woman at home is often indisposed through sick headache, backache, and nervous troubles. But varied as her health troubles are, the cause is simple, and relief near at hand. When well, it is good blood that keeps a woman well; when ill, she must make her blood rich to renew her health; and the nursing mother—more than any other—needs rich blood and plenty of it.

Care of diet, sufficient rest, fresh air, and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will keep a woman's health robust and regular; and because these pills make new blood abundantly, thousands of weak wives and mothers have derived prompt health-help from them.

Mrs. Stewart Grant, Stewiacke, N.S., says:—"After the birth of my first baby I did not regain my health. I could scarcely walk across the room because of the pains in my back. I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and through their use regained good health. Later an attack of influenza left me very weak, and again the pills fully restored me. I can recommend them to anyone who is weak or run-down."

DR. HAMILTON'S PILLS
—FOR—
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BOWELS.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Field Marshal Baron Grenfell, one of Great Britain's most noted military leaders is dead.

Toronto oil companies have announced an increase of two cents a gallon in the price of gasoline, effective immediately.

A new radio development to revolutionize broadcasting is predicted, following the non-carrier wave recently invented.

Roderick McKenzie, outstanding figure in organizing the United Farmers of Manitoba, is dead, following a paralytic stroke.

The United States senate has ratified a treaty with Great Britain dealing with the extradition from Canada of persons charged with violating the Harrison Narcotic Act.

Ramsay MacDonald, the former British prime minister, and the British parliamentary delegates who have been visiting Central America, have returned to England.

There will be no change in the hail insurance rates for Manitoba this year, but some slight changes will be made in certain sections of Saskatchewan and Alberta, according to an announcement made by the Hail Underwriters' Association.

Automobile accidents in the United States are increasing at the rate of 2,000 a year, says the Eyesight Conservation Council of America, which believes that defective vision is responsible for a large percentage of them.

Reginald McKenna, chairman of the board of directors of the Midland Bank and former chancellor of the exchequer, states that sterling probably will soon stand at its gold value, because the dollar, under pressure of the surplus gold supply, will have come down to the pound's level.

Increased Duty

The federal customs board decision on garments of French or other manufacture used temporarily as models while in transit through the United States will increase the duty. Value for duty shall not be less than cost to the U.S. purchaser, less deterioration allowance.

Advises Young Mothers

—The Maitland Photo Studio

MRS. CLAYTON-HURAS

Stratford, Ont.—"Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription" gives strength and is the greatest help in motherhood of any medicine I know of. I have four very healthy children and during each expectant period I took 'Favorite Prescription' and just got along fine, my strength kept up and I had no distress or suffering to speak of, which most women have to endure at this time. 'Favorite Prescription' keeps a woman in perfect physical condition all thru this trying period."—Mrs. Clayton Huras, 215 Railway Ave.

Just ask your nearest druggist for this Prescription of Dr. Pierce's in tablet or liquid form.

Write Dr. Pierce, President Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., if you want free medical advice.

Unsinkable Ships

German Engineer Claims to Have Made An Important Discovery

What is claimed to be an invention which renders ships unsinkable was given a trial on Lake Constance recently, according to the Berlin Tageblatt. The inventor, a German engineer named Libertrau, installed the apparatus in a boat with a cargo of 300 kilogrammes (660 pounds). Libertrau then sank the boat, declaring it would re-appear within an hour. This it did. The dispatch adds that details of the invention are not available.

Suffered With Rheumatism For Several Years

Saskatchewan Man Completely Relieved by Dodd's Kidney Pills

Hundreds of men in Canada have been relieved of their aches and pains by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Otthon, Sask. — (Special). — That rheumatism is caused by disordered kidneys and that Dodd's Kidney Pills will relieve it, is again proved by the case of Mr. John Chesney, a well-known and esteemed resident of this place.

"I have suffered with rheumatism for several years. One box of Dodd's Kidney Pills have given me complete relief. I am happy to be able to say a good word of your pills to all my friends."

It is astounding how many people go on suffering day after day with aches and pains, rheumatism and backaches. They suffer because they are not aware of the fact that they can get relief. Strengthen the kidneys, which are the source of the trouble and these pains vanish. Dodd's Kidney Pills act directly on the kidneys. They heal and strengthen them so that they do their full work of straining all the impurities out of the blood.

Saving Strength For South American Visit

Prince Expects to Have Strenuous Five Months' Trip

The Prince of Wales is conserving his energy these days for the strenuous five and a half months' trip to South America and the Argentine, on which he starts at the end of March. His appearance at organization dinners and other public functions, which ordinarily take up a great part of his time, have been few and far between since his sojourn in Canada and the United States.

Following his South American trip, the Prince will pay his second visit to Ireland. His first trip to Ireland was as long ago as 1911, when, with his sister, Princess Mary, he accompanied the King and Queen to Dublin in the month of July. The occasion of his coming visit will be in celebration of the bi-centenary of the Grand Lodge of Free Masons of Ireland, of which he will be installed senior grand warden.

Will Sail North Again

Shackleton's Famous Ship, "The Quest," to Penetrate Frozen Realms

Sir Ernest Shackleton's famous exploration ship, "The Quest," sturdy veteran of the Arctic, this year will penetrate the frozen realms of the polar sea. It will carry two hunting expeditions, one to the White Sea by way of Nova Zembla and Franz Josef Land, returning by way of Bear Island and Spitzbergen, and the other to the remote island of Jan Mayen, and the east coast of Greenland. Seal, polar bear and musk oxen will be the principal game sought.

Captain Schielderup, noted northern skipper and sailing master of the Oxford University Arctic expedition in 1923, will be in command of The Quest.

Banbury Cross

Mr. Lloyd George has invested £100 in a scheme to give the quaint town of Banbury, of "Banbury Cross" fame, a properly equipped market for agricultural produce and livestock to replace its ancient street market. The scheme is being promoted by A. P. McDougall, the war-time commissioner for livestock, who is organizing a company with a capital of £40,000.

The world membership of the Boy Scouts movement is now nearly 2,000,000.

Silk alpaca, which really is not a silk at all, is made from the hair of the Peruvian sheep.

Minard's Liniment for the Grippe

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Zam-Buk soon allays the inflammation and swelling, lulls the tingling pain, and soothes the maddening irritation. Where skin is broken, festered or ulcerated Zam-Buk is doubly valuable because of its great healing and antiseptic power.

Zam-Buk

Famine In Russia

Police Shoot and Kill Starving People At Astrakhan

The Moscow press is unable to ignore the famine which has engulfed 11,000,000 people in the Southern Ukraine and Lower Volga districts. Reports from the Saratov, Tsaratsin, Astrakhan, Kudan and Stavropol districts say a large percentage are eating bark and refuse.

Astrakhan was the scene of a riot when 200 starving people began a fight over possession of garbage cans at the Hotel Europe, which is occupied by local Soviet officials. The police fired upon the crowd, killing five.

Island Disappears

Considerable Loss of Life is Feared When Island off African Coast is Submerged

Port Alexander, a small isle in Angla, the Portuguese colony of West Africa, has been suddenly submerged in the sea and has completely disappeared, according to a Lisbon dispatch to the London Sunday Express.

No details have been received, but a considerable loss of life is feared, as the islet, which was 4,000 square yards in area, was inhabited by Portuguese and native settlers.

WALKED THE FLOOR FOR HOURS NERVES WERE SO BAD

Wherever there are people who are troubled with deranged nerves they will find in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, a remedy that will restore the equilibrium of these deranged centres and bring back the shattered nervous system to a perfect condition.

Mrs. W. W. Aulthouse, Woodrous, Ont., writes:—"After having a severe attack of bronchitis I was left in a very weak, run-down condition; my nerves were all broken up; could not sleep at night, and would have to get out of bed and walk the floor for hours.

"After using a box of

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

I began to feel much better, and after taking a few more boxes I could enjoy my rest as well as I ever did. I alway recommend them to all my friends.'

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Cuba has 40 broadcasting stations. There are 18 in Havana alone, more than in any city in the United States.

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Airplane With Movable Wings

A soaring airplane with movable wings has been built. It has a 20-horsepower engine and the inventor claims it is capable of flying 50 miles on a gallon of gasoline.

Cuticura Talcum For Young And Old

After a bath with Cuticura Soap and warm water Cuticura Talcum is indispensable in soothing and cooling tender or irritated skins. They are ideal for all toilet uses.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address Canadian Depot: "Cuticura, P. O. Box 2616, Montreal." Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c. Try our new Shaving Stick.

Horses Obeyed Orders

Nine Thoroughbreds on Ocean Liner Show Their Intelligence

Two days out from Glasgow, the Anchor liner California was hove to while nine thoroughbred circus horses were transferred from improvised stalls on the shelter deck to the forward inner freight square on C deck. High seas necessitated the change.

"There was a bulkhead two feet high," said Capt. Blaikie, "over which the horses had to pass to get to the companionway square. Mr. Joyce would say: 'Now, put your right foot over; now the left,' and the horses obeyed. They didn't know where they were going and stopped at the entrance to the companionway. 'Go inside,' said Mr. Joyce, and in they went. Sailors couldn't have obeyed orders better."

Airplanes Carry Precious Cargo

Diamonds and Gold Transported Quickly Over Belgian Congo

Precious stones were part of the cargo of the airplanes flying over the 1,100 miles of tropical jungle between Kushasha, the capital of the Belgian Congo, and Kutango, in the interior. No fewer than 25 aerodromes and landing grounds have been built in the swamps and jungles around the Congo, providing a continuous chain of alighting grounds. The principal "cargos" on the air route will consist of diamonds, gold and ivory, which will be brought from the interior to the capital in a single day instead of in a week as by present transport methods.

Carter Starts Work Again

Everything Sealed In Tomb Found In Good Condition

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Luxor, Egypt, says the tomb of Tutankhamen was opened in the presence of government officials and members of the antiquities department. The contents of the tomb taken out last year, were handed over to Howard Carter, the Egyptologist. Carter found everything that had been sealed when the tomb was closed remained intact.

The priceless pall of sarcophagus, which had been left outside the tomb in a thin wooden shed, however, had deteriorated probably beyond repair.

To Import Danish Hogs

Province of Alberta is Anxious to Develop Industry

At the recent meetings of the United Farmers of Alberta, the premier of the province, Hon. H. Greenfield, stated that the government proposed to import a number of Danish hogs, in an effort to develop in Canada hogs which would retain the length and quality of class which had made Danish facon famous. The government, he said, realized that Alberta could not prosper on agriculture long, and it was lending every assistance to the development of industry, and the building up of an all-round province.

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One of the foremost dairy companies of Great Britain has a long-service corps connected with it, the members being made up of employees who have been in the service of the organization for 30 years.

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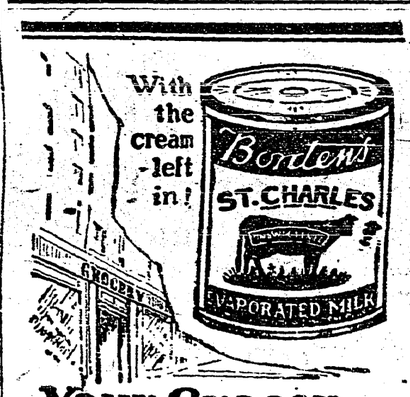

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Sunday night's service at the Methodist Church will characteristic of Easter throughout, with the sacrament of the Lord's Supper to be dispensed and a reception to new members.

Due to the regular meeting date falling on Good Friday the Women's Institute April session is transferred to Friday afternoon, 17th, at which the hall building question will be finally disposed of.

Anglican Church Services

GOOD FRIDAY
April 10

10 a.m.—Children's Service.
11 a.m.—Matins and Ante Communion.
3 p.m.—Evensong and Address.
8 p.m.—"The Witness of the Cross," in the Parish Hall.

EASTER SUNDAY
April 12

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Matins and Holy Communion.
3 p.m.—Children's Service (gift of eggs for Nelson Hospital.
7.30 p.m.—Evensong.

GRAND THEATRE
Saturday, APRIL 18

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REGULAR PRICES

W. M. Archibald of Rossland, mine manager for the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, was a visitor here for a couple of days at the end of the week looking after his fruit ranch adjoining the village.

Road superintendent Davies had the graders out at the end of the month at all points in the Valley and never in recent history have the highways been in such good shape for travel as is the case this spring.

Messrs. Geo. Johnson, C. B. Garland, Major Mallandaine, Col. Lister and R. J. Long were Nelson visitors on Tuesday, representing the Valley Conservatives at the West Kootenay nominating convention.

Walter Fisher and Dan Spiers are at preseat employed on the hard surface road crew that is operating at Rossland, where a couple of miles of rock road is being put down on the Rossland Trail highway.

Baseball practice matches commenced on Sunday afternoon, when the town team scored a win over the high school aggregation. The baseball club has been re organized, with F. Putnam president for 1925.

WANTED—Live man to go into business for himself by handling the J. R. Watkins Company products from Creston to the Alberta boundary. Apply J. R. Watkins Company, 1150 Hamilton Street, Vancouver.

The ladies are reminded of the Easter sale of plain sewing, cooking and the afternoon tea of the Methodist Ladies' Aid which is to be held at the Parish Hall on Saturday afternoon, April 11th from 3 to 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Jessie Lewis who has conducted an instrumental music studio in the Lamont building for at least the past year, has given up teaching, and left a few days ago for Calgary, Alta., where she will visit with her sister for a time.

A Children's Masquerade Party will take place on Friday, April 24th, at the Parish Hall from 6.30 to 9.30 p.m. Prizes for the best costumes, games and dancing. Admission, adults and children, 25 cents. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. C. O. Rodgers, who has been a patient in the hospital at Spokane for at least a month, returned home on Thursday of last week and friends are pleased to note that she is looking as well as enjoying her former good health.

The evening of Friday, April 17th, has been appropriated for a whist and dance under the auspices of Christ Church in the Parish Hall, with cards due to start at 8.30 prompt. The admission is 50 cents and all are invited.

W. K. Esling, former M.P.P. for Rossland, was chosen as the Conservative candidate for West Kootenay at the nominating convention at Nelson on Tuesday Major Mallandaine unsuccessfully contested the convention with him.

Revenues collected at the Creston office of the provincial police were just over $400 for March, of which amount $205 was poll tax and $128 motor license fees. To date almost $600 of poll tax has been collected at Creston police office.

A. E. Davies, local road superintendent, was a visitor at Nelson and Boswell over the weekend. At the latter place it is expected that this year will see the completion of the survey of the Kuskanook to Boswell trans provincial highway.

Bob Beaton is back again as assistant at the C.P.R. depot, re placing Walter Lawrie who is now operator at Canyon taking care of the movement of the work trains that are again on the haul of fill material between that point and Kootenay Landing.

WANTED—A HUSTLER—RELIABLE—for mail subscription agency in this district. Whole or part time. Big commission. Do not answer unless you mean business. Apply Country Circulator, THE VANCOUVER SUN, Vancouver, B.C.

There has been a considerable rush for auto licenses in the past week, some 45 autoists availing themselves of the reduced fee that became effective at the first of the month to get their new number plates and today almost 100 cars are licensed to run for the 1925 season.

With the advent of fine weather and better roads the 1925 demand for new autos has commenced, Lidgate Bros. reporting the sale of a new 1925 model Chevrolet to Wm. Kernaghan, who is sawyer at the C. O. Rodgers portable mill at Camp Lister, who took delivery of his car this week.

All interested in tennis and lawn bowling particularly are asked to bear in mind a meeting to be held on Saturday afternoon, April 18th, at which the organization of a recreation club that will feature these, amongst other things, will be discussed. Both playing and non players will be eligible, and a genuine effort is going to be made to provide popular outdoor sports for all who care to join such a club. All interested will be made welcome and are cordially invited.

Ira Carter, general manager of Curlew creameries, along with D. D. Townsend, manager of the Nelson branch, were here on a visit on Monday. Their visit was to get acquainted with the district with a view to considerably increasing the shipping of cream from Creston Valley points, and it is the intention of the latter gentleman to return in a week or ten days and make a personal visit to all the ranchers in this connection. If a sufficient supply of cream can be arranged for the firm will establish a cream receiving station at some central point, with their own man in charge.

The most enthusiastic congregational meeting Creston Methodists have had in years was that of Tuesday night, which was called for the special purpose of hearing the recommendations of the board of managers for the successful handling of the increased church attendance and the expansion of work in other lines. F. K. Smith presided, and the managing board's report was gone into thoroughly by J. W. Robinson, the outstanding features of which were the placing of a basement under the full length of the church—to include kitchen and equipment, along with an addition at the rear of the church to give an increased seating capacity. The report was most agreeably concurred in by the large turnout, and on a subscription list being passed just over $800 was pledged by those present to defray the cost of the improvements, which will likely be gone on with immediately.

Loses Residence by Fire

Dolf Weir, who a few weeks ago purchased the Winch residence on Park Road, lost his newly-acquired home by fire early Thursday morning. Just how the fire started is a mystery as the family had not yet moved in, although Mrs. Weir had been working in the house the afternoon previous, doing some painting and papering, but it was almost 3 a.m. before the flames broke out, and the structure being frame they spread so rapidly that the house was a mass of flames before the neighbors discovered the blaze. The loss will amount to $800, with little insurance.

Kitchener

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson and family have returned to Kitchener from Blairmore.

Mrs. Blimicoe of Edmonton, Alta., arrived in Kitchener on Sunday, and will make her home here in future.

On Saturday evening Hunt's hall was the scene of a very jolly dance. As usual the turnout was large and everyone had a very pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Muir and family have arrived from Yahk, and are to make their future home here.

Mr. Ennis left on Sunday for his home in Pincher Creek, Alberta.

R. McLean is a visitor at Calgary, Alberta, this week.

A wedding of much interest took place in Nelson on Thursday last, when Miss Mary Erskin, was united in marriage with Frank Belanger of Cranbrook. The happy couple returned to Kitchener on Sunday, and are to reside here for the present. Kitchener people all every good wish for the future.

Wyndel

Messrs. Middleton and Davis, who were here a short time ago conducting a series of services in the old schoolhouse, returned here last Saturday, after having visited Sirdar, Boswell, Procter and other lake points. They are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bathie, sr.

O. J. Wigen, who has been at Halcyon hot springs for his health, got back on Monday. He is very much improved by his treatment.

The directors of the Co-Operative Fruit Growers Association held a meeting on Monday and elected Elias Uri to be manager again this year.

Latest reports from Nelson hospital are to the effect that Jim Jauncey is now doing very well, and improving daily.

Mrs. K. Sadler of Cranbrook, who came here to attend the funeral of the late Harry Rosindale, returned home on Monday.

Alex. Cameron arrived on Tuesday from Coleman, Alberta, where he has spent the winter, and is busy with spring work on the ranch.

The government grader is busy in this section these days levelling off the main road, and is doing a real good job of it.

Monrad Wigen, who has been in Cranbrook hospital for about two weeks, is reported doing fine, and it is hoped that he will shortly be around again as good as ever.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Ogilvie were called to Cranbrook last Thursday to see M. Wigen, who was then in rather serious condition. He had improved on their arrival and they were able to return on Saturday.

The warm weather since the first of the month has started the snow melting in the hills, and the creeks are running wild and the water on the flats rising fast.

Alex. Lidgate of Creston was a business visitor here on Monday evening. He came down in a new Chevrolet and was demonstrating the classy 1925 model to several prospective buyers.

P. T. Owles reports that he will shortly have a supply of early spring vegetables—lettuce, radishes, etc.—and these will be on sale at the Butterfield store.

The tennis club courts are now in shape and we expect the season to open on Easter Sunday.

Rev. H. Varley will be here from Creston on Easter Monday morning when there will be a celebration of Holy Communion in the old schoolhouse at 11 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Towson and family moved to their new house last weekend. The house is on their lately acquired land above the R. Dalbom place.

The bass are running in local streams and several fine catches are reported lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells of Corbin have taken the Dewar house for the summer, arriving on Thursday last, but as their freight was delayed they have been guests of Mrs. M. Hagen. Mr. Wells is on the Winlaw payroll.

There is quite a large amount of land being cleared in the Wyndel area this year: C. Wigen, E. Uri, Mr. Botts, O. J. Wigen and J. Wigen are among the larger operators. Much new land is being set out to berries. The December blizzard appears to have done much damage to raspberries, many of the big patches having been cut down. Strawberries, however, have suffered little, and the damage to tree fruits is not as serious as at first reported.

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