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August Session Board of Trade

All records for attendance at a board of trade meeting in Creston in at least six years were shattered at the August session on Tuesday night last, at which the features was a statement by Geo. P. Horsely of Nakusp, who, that afternoon, had staked a water right on Goat River canyon with the intention of going ahead with the development of that splendid power to serve Creston and district with electric light. The meeting was in charge of President Allan and the other business of the evening, which was largely routine, was quickly disposed of in order to have ample time to discuss with the visitor the proposed light service.

Mr. Horsely was introduced by Chairman Gibbs of the light committee, and in businesslike fashion stated that he had spent some time previous in ascertaining the possibilities of the canyon power, as well as the Creston district as a customer for electricity, and was so favorably impressed that he had been able to interest other capital along with his own to an extent where the financing the project was not worrying him. He outlined the installation of the plant at Nakusp about three years ago, and how, in that time, it had grown from a revenue producer of less than $2000 a year to just a little over $6000 yearly at the present time, and was confident the outlook at Creston was some better than at Nakusp.

His plan is to ultimatley electrify the whole valley, and for a start will serve Erickson and Creston. Rates quoted for light and power were a revelation to the board as to reasonableness, and the cost of wiring premises were even more satisfactory. No figures were given us to the probable cost of the power plant and other works at the canyon, but it has been learned that Mr. Horsley is well qualified to supervise the whole project, the undertaking here being similar to the one at Nakusp, except that it is on a larger scale.

Work on construction cannot start until the expiry of at least sixty days which is required to allow for advertising, the hearing of objections to the giving of the water right (if any), and the issuing of the permit by the department. In the meantime Mr. Horsely will be busy getting a line on the whereabouts of the needed equipment, and will be back shortly to complete final arrangements for the formation of the necessary company to handle the development, and in which some local capital will be needed, though just how much the visitor was not prepared to say, nor was he pressing this angle of the undertaking at all.

Before the meeting adjourned Major Mallandaine took occasion to introduce a vote of appreciation of the services rendered the board by O. B. Garland, who left at the end of the week to go into business at Nelson. For at least six years Mr. Garland has been prominently identified with all phases of board effort and in his departure the organization loses one of its most active members. In acknowledging the vote Mr. Garland assured that he had done only what every live citizen should be pleased to lend a hand with—and must participate in if the community is to advance in proportion to its opportunities.

Erickson

Mrs. G. W. Harrison left on Friday for South Vancouver on a visit with her husband who is in a hospital there, and whose condition improves very slowly.

Mrs. Sam Fraser got away on Monday on an extended visit with friends in Halifax and other Nova Scotia points.

R. Thurston is spending a couple of weeks at Ainsworth, where he is one of a survey party in charge of Chas. Moore of Creston.

The carpenters are busy this week on addition to the E. Cartwright residence where a second story is being added to the present home.

Erickson challenges Kuskanook to equal the local record for egg plant production, Paul Stinson having some two pound samples to offer customers on August 15th.

G. P. Smith, who is summering at his ranch here, spent a few days with friends in Spokane last week.

Mrs. Alf. Palmer was a visitor with Spokane friends a few days the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Palfreyman and Miss Cotterill got back on Sunday from a three weeks' holiday visit with friends at coast points.

Those Barred Rock pullets at the McAlpine ranch that commenced lay ing ten days short of five months of their birth are very likely birds, but at the Stinson ranch some Leghorns hatched on March 18 commenced turning out the eggs on July 28th, which is about twenty days short of the five months period and constitutes a record that will hardly be equalled this year.

The Erickson-Creston district parted company with two oldtime and esteemed citizens on Tuesday when Mr. and Mrs. James Stocks left for West Toronto, Ontario, where they expect to make their home in future. They have been continuous residents in the Valley for at least twenty years and by industry and intelligence have proven themselves horticulturists certainly without a peer, the oldtime Stocks & Jackson place being for years the showplace of the district. Both have been splendid citizens and an army of friends will hope the change will restore Mr. Stocks' none too robust health and that they may both enjoy many years of congenial retired life wherever they reside.

Canyon City

Miss Halstead and Miss Southam of Winnipeg, Man., who have been here on a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Halstead, returned home at the end of the week.

Huygens & VanAckeran have clearing operations about complete on another three acres of land which will be set out to strawberries in the spring.

A Mr. Anderson, an evangelist from Winnipeg, Man., had service in the church on Sunday night, and had a fair turnout to hear him.

Canyon Trading Company are giving prizes at Creston's fall fair of a 98 lb. sack and 49 lb. sack of flour for the best collection of two loaves bread, dozen buns and dozen biscuits made from flour purchased at their store.

Wealthy apples from the Canyon district are moving out this week. They are o k for size and of fair color and are going out crated.

Miss Muriel Knott got back at the end of the week from Vancouver, where she has been for some months past.

Due to the unfavorable weather the United Church Ladies' Aid at Mrs. Browell's, scheduled for last Friday night, had to be cancelled.

C. O. Rodgers reports that due to the ideal Mackenzie King weather this year's hay crop on his various places is the biggest he has ever taken off in the seventeen years he has been operating in this section. He will have at least 200 tons and has purchased the Blair hay baler to put it up.

Rod and Gun Club members and hunters generally will be looking with favor on the Canyon district this season surely. Within the week Jeff Knott has brought down a white owl measuring 4 feet two inches from tip to tip, and Ed. Clark was almost equally fortunate in bagging a similar bird that went 4 feet 1 inch. Still more important is the statement by John McPherson that a few days ago he saw a lynx chasing a deer, while John Wood is awarded the championship at wild animal observation with his affidavit that one morning this week he saw a white coyote within fifty feet of the store, his dog chasing the intruder off into the brush. Both these latter citizens are teetotallers and their stories are worthy of acceptation

Plans Developing Canyon Power

The first genuine effort that has been made in connection with developing the Goat River canyon to supply Creston and district with electric light and power was accomplished on Tuesday last, when after a previous investigation of the stream and a careful look into the records for many years past as kept by the water recorder at Nelson, G. P. Horsley posted the statutory notices on the stream, and is also advertising the fact, that it is the intention of a company, at which he will be head, to take and use 75 cubic feet per second for the development of electricity at a plant to be erected at the canyon.

Mr. Horsely is manager of the Nakusp Power Company, Ltd., which a couple of years ago installed a power plant to serve the needs of Nakusp and district, and from very modest beginning now has 220 customers taking light and power. To the Review Mr. Horsley stated that his registered plan of development calls for putting in a concrete dam with sluice and pen stock gate to the power house. The dam will be 70 feet high, with a width of 90 feet at the top, and the first unit to be installed will develop approximately 7500 horse power.

For a start he will distribute light and power over all the territory from the canyon into town and throughout the village after which he will build his pole line to serve the Canyon district and also Wynndel, and will give a twenty four hour service if the trade warrants continuous operation.

Light and power will be sold on the meter system, and that the rates will be modest is indicated in the fact that he hopes to be able to give Creston rates on a par with those obtaining at Nakusp where practically every home both in the village and country along the line is now electric lighted, and where some of the householders are only paying $2 a month all the year round for all the light they find it needful to use. Where power is used the rate will be the same as that paid in Nelson, which city operates its own hydro system. The cost of wiring a house should not exceed $4 for each light put in, except where stitches are desired, in which case the installation charge is more. In any service that will be provided Mr. Horsely intends to see to it that provision is made for "Juice" on certain days a week for ironing and washing.

Wynndel

Mrs. A. Joy and family, who accompanied Mr. Joy when he went to Saskatchewan to harvest his crop there, returned home last week, and report having had a fine trip. Crops in that section are also reported good.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cooper and son were Nelson visitors a few days last week.

M. Wigen started the yearly run at his box factory on Monday, and is now turning out boxes of all descriptions.

Mr. Vankoughner, who was seriously hurt while working in the woods this summer and who has been in Trail hospital for a long spell, returned to his home here on Sunday. He manages to get along fairly well on crutches, although far from being his oldtime self.

Mrs. and Miss Cuell and Mrs. and Miss Rose, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Wall this summer, left for their homes in Calgary, Alta., on Monday.

Jack and Charlie Penson and Billy Robinson got away last week for the prairie, travelling in the former's Ford. Latest reports are that they are at Claresholm, Alberta, and have jobs. Crops are good in that section, they report.

The bass are biting better than ever this year, and some very fine catches are being brought in, although very few real large ones are being taken.

W. H. Browne of Victoria was here on Thursday issuing the needful permits to all who wish to cut hay on the flats this year. Cutting will start on Monday, 24th.

A. Towson left on Sunday for Cranbrook, where he is on the fruit inspection staff again this year.

Mrs. R. Uri and family, who have been visiting at Nakusp, returned on Friday last.

All the farmers are overhauling their haying outfits and getting camp equipment in shape for haying, which starts on Monday.

The Trail Rangers spent a few days in camp at Kuskanook, returning on Tuesday night.

Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. Slingsby and Mrs. Irving, with their families are camping at Kuskanook, and all the reports indicate they are having a good time.

Miss Dorothy Butterfield, who has been holidaying at Wilmer, returned home on Thursday.

John Moody, who has been driving team for Vic. Johnson, got away in his "bug" on Saturday for Wisetown, Sask., where he figures to take in the harvest.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at Creston on Wednesday, August 19th, when Miss Hazel Gregory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gregory, was united in marriage with Einer, third son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Andestad. Only relatives of the contracting parties attended the ceremony. The young couple returned to Wynndel leaving on the afternoon train on a wedding trip to Nelson and points west, after which they will reside at Wynndel.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

School Matters at Canyon

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—As a result of a rumor that has been current for some time past, to the effect that Miss Wood had applied for the position of senior teacher in the Canyon School, said position being occupied by Mr. Holthammer; I have received a communication from Miss Wood, asking me to deny this statement. As secretary of the Canyon School during the past term, I am in a position to know that no such application was turned in to the Board, neither was the matter ever considered or discussed by the Board, during my term as secretary. Miss Wood states in her letter to me that she, at no time in her term of teaching on the staff at this school, entertained any thought or hope of getting the position referred to above.

A. D. POCHIN.

Hay Cutting to Start on Monday

The expanding acreage planted to berries bringing an increased demand for hay for mulching, and the passing of the Reclamation Farm into new hands precipitating the withdrawal of the usual tonnage of hay cut on shares in that area, are incidents that applicants for permits to cut hay on Kootenay Flats this year should not overlook; factors that are bound to bring a reduced tonnage to the individual haymaker should the expected increased demand for permits eventuate.

W. H. Browne, grazing ranger, who is here from Victoria, to supervise haying affairs again, is busy this week on the flats putting back the stakes which were washed out in the unusually high water that prevailed this year. He has just been advised that grazing commissioner Mackenzie has approved of the recommendations made by the Stockbreeders' Association at the annual meeting in May, and for this year the charge on rushes is reduced to 35 cents a ton as compared with half a dollar last year while the hay rate will remain at 50 cents.

Mr. Browne has not traversed the whole area as yet but his impression is that the crop will be equally as good as in 1924. Some cuts look better and some are patchy but on the whole it should average up much the same. He was at Wynndel on the 20th issuing permits, and those in the Creston district will get their permits on Saturday, 22nd, at the Creston Hotel, and at present it looks as if cutting can be started on some of the locations by the 24th.

The records show that in 1924 about 123 permits were issued and for the most part were used, accounting for a total cut of hay and rushes of just under 1900 tons. Due to an unusually fine first cut of clover and alfalfa on the bench lands this year the demand for feed from the flats may show a falling off, but at that the decreased demand is hardly likely to offset the increased tonnage asked due to the on share cuts on the big farm last year having to be provided for.

If cutting gets under way on the 24th harvest will be just about a month later than in 1924, when the first mowing was done on July 23th. The rains during July and August should assure the minimum of danger from the putting up of dirty hay, the downpours having been ample to remove all sediment left by the receding flood waters.

Alice Siding

John Parkin, who has been home on a two weeks' visit, left on Saturday for Michel.

Frank Simister has completed his building contract at Sirdar, returning at the end of the week.

Guy Constable was a business visitor at Bonners Ferry and Boundary county points the fore part of the week.

J. C. Martin got away on Saturday last for Saskatchewan, where he will spend the next couple of months at harvesting.

H. Oakley is a business visitor at Nelson this week, leaving on Sunday.

Local fishermen report considerable luck on the weekend visit to Duck Creek, in which section the run of red fish is on.

Fred Simister of Lundbreck, who has been a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simister, is away on a camping trip at Twin Bay.

John Marshall has the lumber on the ground for an addition he is putting on his residence here.

Will Vaneas arrived home from Butte, Montana, at the end of the week, and will be here for the haying season.

Reports indicate that the hay cuts in this section will average up almost as good as in 1924. Some look better and some are patchy.

A Romance of the Spanish Main

CAPTAIN BLOOD

By 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.

CHAPTER XXIII.—Continued.

"Perhaps it will be best." M. de Rivarol took up a paper. "Before going further, I have to observe that M. de Cussy has exceeded his instructions in admitting you to one-fifth of the prizes taken."

"That is a matter between yourself and M. de Cussy, my general."

"Oh, no. It is a matter between myself and you."

"Your pardon, my general. The articles are signed. So far as we are concerned, the matter is closed."

"But, nom de Dieu! It is your concern, I suppose, that we cannot award you more than one-tenth share."

"You are quite certain of that, M. le Baron; that you cannot?"

"I am quite certain that I will not."

"In that case," said Blood, "it but remains for me to present my little account for our disbursement, and to fix the sum at which we should be compensated for our loss of time and derangement in coming hither. That settled, we can part friends, M. le Baron. No harm has been done."

"What the devil do you mean?"

"Is it possible that I am obscure? My French, perhaps, is not of the purest, but—"

"Oh, your French is fluent enough; too fluent at moments, if I may permit myself the observation. Now, look you here, M. le Filibustier, you have accepted service of the King of France, you and your men. The first obligation of an officer is obedience. You are not to conceive yourselves, as you appear to be doing, my allies in the enterprises I have in view, but my subordinates. In me you behold a commander to lead you, not a companion or an equal."

"Oh, be sure that I understand," Captain Blood laughed. He was recovering his normal self amazingly under the inspiring stimulus of conflict. The only thing that marred his enjoyment was the reflection that he had not shaved. "I forget nothing, I assure you, my general. I do not forget, for instance, as you appear to be doing, that the articles we signed are the condition of our service; and the articles provide that we receive one-fifth share. Refuse us that, and you cancel the articles; cancel the articles and you cancel our service with them. From that moment we cease to have the honor to hold rank in the navies of the King of France."

Captain Blood rose, his officers rose with him. Captain Blood bowed.

"M. le Baron!" said he.

"You shall be advised of my resolve," M. le Baron retorted.

That resolve proved to Captain Blood's way next official business brought these two together. Wolverstone was the cause of Captain Blood hunting audience with the admiral while he sat at dinner. The Old Wolf had retorted with his ready fist a mocking Frenchman's remarks and had been flung in jail. M. de Rivarol bade his visitor be admitted.

There entered now into his presence a spruce and modish gentleman, dressed with care and somber richness in black and silver, his swarthy, clear-cut face scrupulously shaven, his long black hair in ringlets that fell to a collar of fine point. In his right hand the gentleman carried a broad black hat with a scarlet ostrich plume, in his left hand an ebony cane. His stockings were of silk, a bunch of ribbons masked his garters and the black rosettes on his shoes were finely edged with gold.

"Your people have arrested the wrong man, M. de Rivarol," Captain Blood began. "Instead of the French officer, who used the grossest provocation, they have arrested Captain Wolverstone. It is a matter which I beg you to reverse without delay."

"Sir, you—you are insolent! But of insolence that is intolerable!"

"M. le Baron, you waste words. Justice is justice in the New World as in the Old. That justice I invite you, with submission, to administer."

"With submission?" snorted the baron in furious scorn.

"At the same time I will remind M. le Baron that my buccaneers number 800; your troops 500; and M. de Cussy will inform you of the interesting fact that any one buccaneer is equal in action to at least three soldiers of the line."

"My superior officer! You! Why, you are just a common pirate."

"You will do me the favor to wait in the ante-room, M. le Capitaine. I desire a word with M. de Cussy."

When the door had closed, the baron loosed his fury upon the head of M. de Cussy.

"So, these are the men you have enlisted in the King's service, the men who are to serve under me! What explanations do you offer me, M. de Cussy? I warn you that I am not pleased with you. I am, in fact, as you may perceive, exceedingly angry."

The Governor seemed to shed his chubbiness. He drew himself stiffly erect.

"M. le Baron, it was folly to have arrested the buccaneer captain. It would be madness to persist. We have not the forces to meet force."

M. de Rivarol condescended to be mollified. It was necessary that he should save his face.

"Very well," he said. "Be so good as to recall this Captain Blood."

The Captain came in, assured and very dignified. M. de Rivarol found him detestable; but dissembled it.

"M. le Capitaine, I have taken counsel with M. le Gouverneur. From what he tells me, it is possible that a mistake has been committed. Your captain shall be released."

Captain Blood bowed.

"And now, sir, you have had the night for reflection in this matter of the articles. Am I to understand that you confirm or that you repudiate them?"

"I have considered that, too," he announced. "And while my opinion remains unaltered, I must confess that since M. de Cussy has pledged us, it is for us to fulfill the pledges. The articles are confirmed, sir."

Blood and his officers were summoned a week later to a council which sat to determine their operations against Spain. M. de Rivoral laid before them a project for a raid upon the wealthy Spanish town of Cartagena, which was rich in gold loot. Captain Blood professed astonishment. Sourly invisited by M. de Rivarol to state his grounds for it, he did so with the utmost frankness.

"You mean, sir, that we are to sail across the Caribbean on an adventurous expedition, neglecting that which lies here at our very door. In our absence, a Spanish invasion of French Hispaniola is possible. If we begin by reducing the Spaniards here, that possibility will be removed. We shall have added to the Crown of France the most coveted possession in the West Indies."

Captain Blood laughed outright. He had suddenly read the Baron's mind. M. de Rivarol, intrigued by his mirth, scowled upon him disapprovingly.

"Why do you laugh, monsieur?"

"Because I discover here an irony that is supremely droll. You, M. le Baron, General of the King's Armies by Land and Sea in America, propose an enterprise of a purely buccaneering character; whilst I, the buccaneer, am urging one that is more concern with upholding the honor of France. You perceive how droll it is."

"M. le filibustier," cried Rivarol in a thick voice, "it seems that I must again remind you that I am your superior officer."

"My superior officer! You! Why, you are just a common pirate! M. le Baron, I have the honor to wish you good-day."

He stalked out, and his three captains, although they thought him mad—rolled after him in loyal silence.

Nevertheless, it was to Cartagena that they sailed in the middle of March. Volunteers and negroes had brought up the forces directly under M. de Rivarol to twelve hundred men. With these he thought he could keep the buccaneer contingent in order and submissive.

They made up an imposing fleet, led by M. de Rivarol's flagship, the Victorieuse, a mighty vessel of eighty guns. Each of the four other French ships was at least as powerful as Blood's Arabella, which was of forty guns. Followed the lesser buccaneer vessels, the Elizabeth, Lachesis, and Atropos, and a dozen frigates laden with stores, besides canoes and small craft in tow.

(To be continued)

NERVOUS BREAK-DOWN

Pains in Back and Legs Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ford, Ontario.—"I had a nervous break-down, as it is called, with severe pains in my back and legs, and with fainting spells which left me very weak. I was nervous and could not sleep nor eat as I should and spent much time in bed. I was in this state, more or less, for over two years before Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me by my neighbor. Before I had taken five doses I was sitting up in bed, and when the first bottle was taken I was out of bed and able to walk around the house. During my sickness I had been obliged to get some one to look after my home for me, but thanks to the Vegetable Compound I am now able to look after it myself. I have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine in turn with the Vegetable Compound, and I certainly recommend these medicines to any one who is not enjoying good health. I am quite willing for you to use these facts as a testimonial."—Mrs. J. SHEPHERD, 130 Jos. Janisse Avenue, Ford, Ontario.

Nervousness, irritability, painful times, run-down feelings and weakness are symptoms to be noted. Women suffering from these troubles, which they so often have, should give Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a fair trial. All druggists sell this medicine.

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Eating Up Our Income

More Than One Quarter of Earnings Go For Food

North Americans literally eat up their income. Ten years ago one-fifth of one's earnings was deemed sufficient for food. Today the figure has risen to 27 per cent.—more than one-fourth.

Last year, says Dr. Paul H. Nystrom, head of the Retail Research Association, the total estimated income on this continent was 68 billion dollars. Almost half went to retail stores. More than 18 billions went for food, tobacco and soft drinks.—Vancouver World.

"I hate this job of thinning out my eyebrows," said the girl at the mirror.

"It certainly takes a lot of pluck," said her room-mate.

Unique Cure For Seasickness

Moving Picture Director Is Conducting Experiments At Hollywood

An experiment in the filming of moving pictures for exhibition on ocean passenger liners as a cure for seasickness among passengers is being conducted at Hollywood, Cal., by Robert G. Vignola, a director.

The cause of seasickness, the director declares, is largely visual, predicated on the shifting planes which characterize the motion of a ship. The larger ocean passenger carriers are now equipped with exhibition cameras and screens, and it is Vignola's belief that pictures can be made for exhibition on shipboard which will counteract the effect of the ship's motion and save the most susceptible passenger from the horrors of mal de mer.

Steady Market For Souvenirs Of Brazil

Jewelers Carry On Large Trade With Tourists

Rare the tourist who does not leave Brazil with a souvenir in the shape of a semi-precious stone or the colorful wing of a butterfly. Some buy the stones in large numbers, for a Rio de Janerio jeweler declares he has sold approximately 4,000 aquamarines, for about $20,000, to the 385 Americans on board a tourist steamer recently in the harbor.

Large blue butterfly wings, the Mospho, mounted in glass trays, sell at the rate of about 10,000 pair a year, and there is a steady market for green beetles mounted as scarf pins.

Cost of Pensions

Canada spent $19,056,179 last year for pensions and reestablishment of veterans of the Great War, according to a report of the department in charge of this work.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Germany's reparation payments through the office of the agent totalled 100,100,000 marks during May.

The Free State Government has decided to take part in the movement for popularizing Ireland as a tourist resort.

A total of 589,254 spectators, 150,681 of whom were deadheads, attended the Olympic Games last summer, according to official figures.

The Hon. Henry Cockshutt, lieutenant-governor of Ontario, has been elected director of the Canadian Pacific Railway vice Sir Edmund Osler, deceased.

The first Baron MacDonnell, of Swinford, died June 9 in London, aged 81. He will be remembered chiefly for his tenure of office as under secretary for Ireland from 1902 to 1908, when he was Sir Anthony MacDonnell.

Official circles categorically denied the recent report emanating from Paris to the effect that a number of young Germans were enroute to Morocco to become officers under Abd-el-Krim in his war against the French.

Colonel James A. Logan, American observer on the reparations commission in Paris, has resigned for "personal and business" reasons, and his resignation has been accepted by Secretary Kellogg.

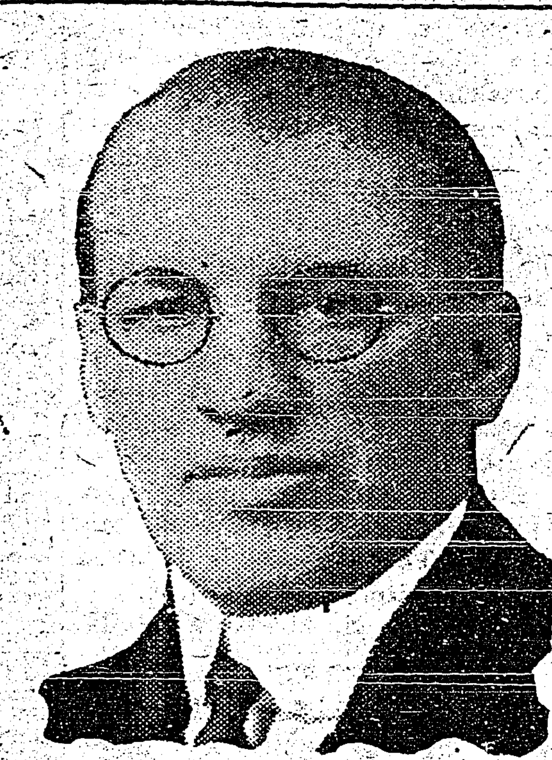
The Latvian Parliament has passed a law forbidding the sale of alcholic drinks at educational institutions, at theatres, exhibitions, fairs, in provision shops, on board vessels in inland waters, on railway trains and in railway stations.

Sores Heal Quickly.—Have you a persistent sore that refuses to heal? Then, try Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the dressing. It will stop sloughing, carry away the proud flesh, draw out the pus and prepare a clean way for the new skin. It is a recognized healer among oils and numbers of people can certify that it healed where properly applied.

Wheel Chair Tourist

James Thompson, an invalid for 10 years, is propelling his way across the country from Clovis, N.M., to New York, in a wheel chair. On arriving at Indianapolis he said he sometimes makes 35 miles a day with the assistance of lifts from trucks.

From Down-By-The-Sea



H. B. Anslow, Director of the C.W.N.A. for the Maritime Provinces, and Proprietor of The Graphic, Campbelltown, N.B. Mr. Anslow will attend the C.W.N.A. Convention at Winnipeg, on June 24, 25 and 26.

Lower Interest Rates

Considerable Foreign Money Being Loaned On Alberta Property

Alberta financiers have noticed a new influx of foreign money, which is being loaned on city property in the province at a rate as low as 7 per cent. While not much British capital has been noticeable in the west this spring, Dutch financial concerns are heavily interested in new loans.

A Nightgown That Is Practical As Well As Dainty

Almost every home sewer delights in making her own dainty undergarments. There are so many beautiful lingerie materials in the shops that there is no difficulty in finding the right material, whether it be fine nainsook, silk mull, French voiles, cotton crepe or crepe-de-chine. The gown illustrated is very easily made. It may be finished at neck edge and armholes with narrow binding and tied together on shoulders with narrow ribbon bows. The pattern includes a bertha which may be of all-over lace if a more trimmed garment is desired. No. 1029 made in sizes 36, 40 and 44 inches bust. Medium size requires 3⅛ yards of 36-inch material without the bertha; ⅝ yards more with bertha.

How To Order Patterns

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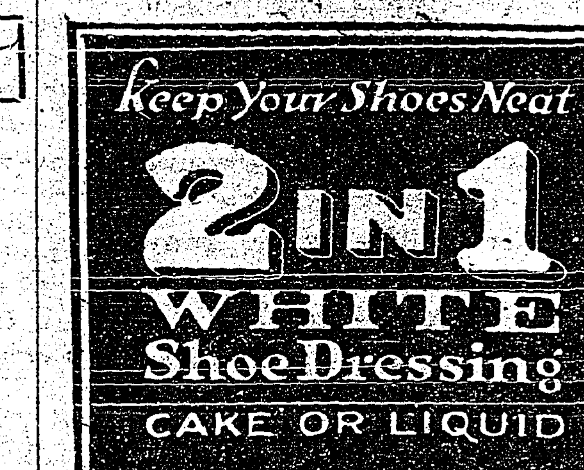

Improvements For West

Small Amounts Voted in Federal House For Necessary Work

Items for public works expenditure, in Manitoba, totalling $27,300, were passed in the House of Commons with little discussion.

The vote included the following: Dauphan Beach wharf, $6,600; repairs and improvements to harbors and rivers generally, $10,000; Netley cut-closing channel, $3,500; Portage la Prairie, sewer extension, $7,200.

A vote of $24,000 for harbors and rivers in Saskatchewan and Alberta also passed. Provision was made for dredging and cribbing at Blairmore, $5,000. Improvements in the Cowan Lake and river route, $2,300 and the Fort Resolution wharf, $7,500.

The Best Remedy For Kidney Trouble

Quebec Lady Recommends Dodd's Kidney Pills to all Sufferers With Bad Kidneys

Madame G. Boudart Was Almost Unable to Work and Found Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Val Barrette, Que.—(Special).—"I have suffered so much from bad kidneys," states Madame G. Boudart, a well-known resident of this place, "I was almost unable to work any more and it was necessary that I walked every day. I have taken several boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and am now quite well. I always keep them in the house. I take a box from time to time and that keeps me well. I advise all those who suffer with bad kidneys to do the same as I have done."

The sooner any person who perceives symptoms of these horrible and painful disorders brought about by bad kidneys, takes a reliable remedy, the better for their future welfare and happiness. Don't wait for relief to come of its own accord. See to it at once. Take Dodd's Kidney Pills. But, do it now!

Farmers To Benefit

Ontario farmers benefit to the amount of about $42,500 annually through the reduction made by the provincial government of the interest rate on farm loans from a 6 to 5½ per cent. rate now in effect. Farm loans are affected to the amount of $8,500,000.

For Sprains and Bruises.—There is nothing better for sprains and contusions than Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It will reduce the swelling that follows a sprain, will cool the inflamed flesh and draw the pain. It will take the ache out of a bruise by counteracting the inflammation. A trial will convince any who doubt its power.

American-Born Canadians

According to the figures of the last Canadian census there are 374,024 residents of Canada who were born in the United States, of whom 237,994 are naturalized Canadians. Of the total of American-born, 244,066 are to be found in Western Canada.

Cuticura

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If you have pimples or red, rough skin you can rely on Cuticura to help you. Gently smear the affected part with Cuticura Ointment; after five minutes, wash off with Cuticura Soap and hot water. Dry without irritation.

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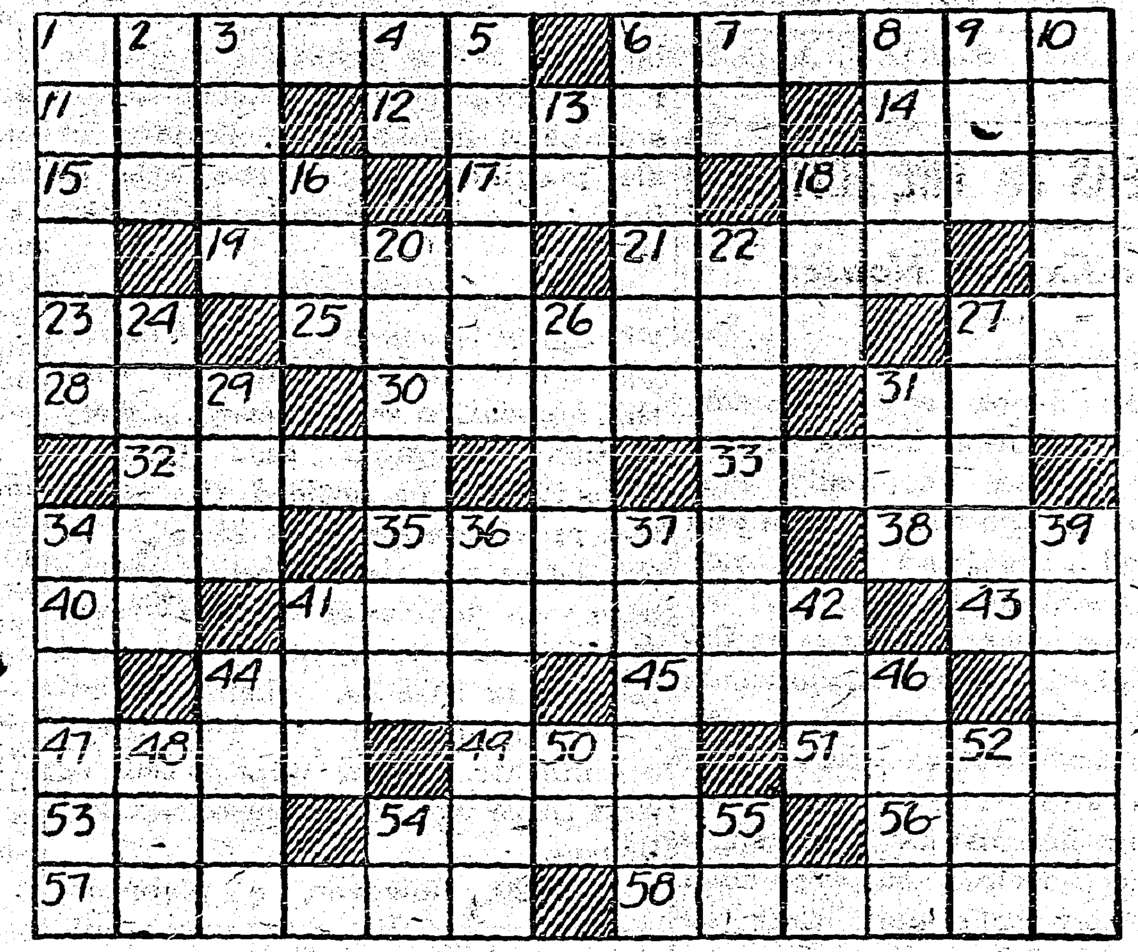
OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Horizontal

1—Most contemptible.
6—Male cat.
11—Be ill.
12—System.
14—Form of "to be."
15—Shallow receptacle for articles.
17—Electrical particle.
18—Requests.
19—Labor for breath.
21—Punctuation mark.
23—Behold.
25—Those who melt something.
27—Exist.
28—Finish.
30—Changes.
31—Distant.
32—Situation.
33—Merit.
34—Beseech.
35—Ascended.
38—Strange.
40—Preposition.
41—Pertaining to the side.
43—Pronoun (Bib.).
44—Strong breeze.
45—Toward the lee.
47—Have.
49—Manuscripts (abbr.).
51—Open space.
53—First woman.
54—Measured.
56—Merry.
57—Declaimed in extravagant language.
58—Devils.

Vertical

1—Combat.
2—Wind.
3—Dross of metal.
4—Therefore.
5—Threefold.
6—Kind.
7—Conjunction.
8—Currency.
9—Noah's vessel.
10—An assayer.
13—Accomplish.
16—Edible tuber.
18—Stupid fellow.
20—More than one.
22—Storage house for arms.
24—Attack.
26—Concise.
27—Exchange.
29—Excavate.
31—From.
34—one who bathes.
36—Noted by details.
37—Obliterated.
39—Hinders.
41—A youth.
42—Meadow.
44—Narrow valley.
46—Hence.
48—Plural of ovum.
50—Thoroughfare (abbr.)
52—To bring forth (obs.).
54—Pronoun.
55—Prefix meaning separation.

Algarsson Abandons North Pole Flight

May Try Next Year If Given Financial Support

Grettir Algarsson has definitely abandoned his flight to the North Pole for this year owing to the lateness in the delivery of his airship, according to Commander Worsley, the second in command. "We now propose," says Commander Worsley, "to proceed to Spitzbergen to carry out geographical and scientific work there in the hope of obtaining information about air currents and data as to conditions preparatory to a flight next year. The British Columbian airman needs more financial support if the expedition is to have any hope of success next year or indeed if it is to be undertaken at all.

Communists In Britain

Only 5,000 Professed Reds In British Isles

Although a certain section of the press give lurid accounts of British Communist congress held at Glasgow, other sections announce that the whole Communist movement in Great Britain has only 5,000 professed adherents, whose actions are followed with tolerant amusement by the ordinary working man and scornful contempt by the old-fashioned trades' unions leaders. The speeches at this convention appear to have followed lines already familiar to the public. One orator, a Greenock boy of 12 years of age, headed his Greenock contemporaries and proudly announced that they comprised the vanguard of a "revolutionary army."

New Mounted Police Post

Administering the Law in the Northern Parts of Canada

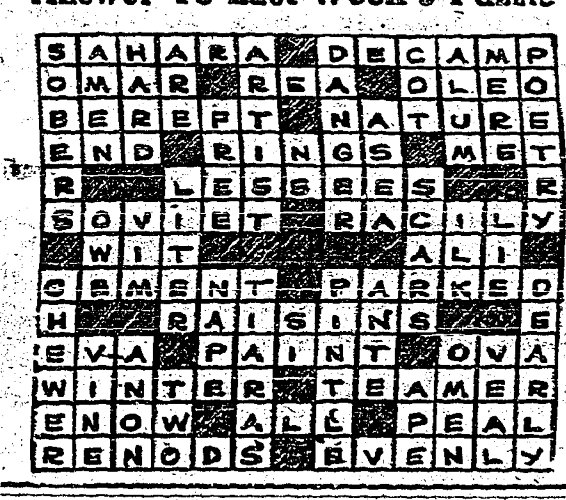
George P. MacKenzie, formerly gold commissioner in the Yukon Territory, will be in charge of the party going north this summer under the direction of the department of the interior on board the Arctic.

The Arctic will pay the usual visits to the northern outposts, and will carry Mounted Police to relieve those patrols which have been in the north since last year.

The department will continue to carry on the work of administration of the northern islands, and a new post will probably be established on Ellsmore Island.

Minard's Liniment for Corns and Bunions

Answer To Last Week's Puzzle



HEALTHY CHILDREN ARE HAPPY CHILDREN

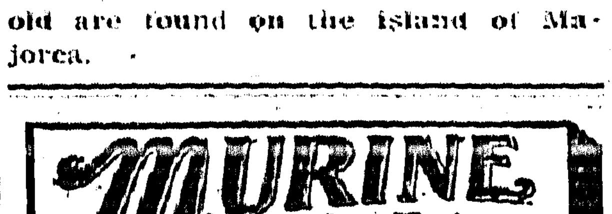
The well child is always a happy child—it is a baby's nature to be happy and contented. Mothers, if your little ones are cross and peevish and cry a great deal they are not well—they are in need of a medicine—something that will set their bowels and stomach in order, for nine-tenths of all childhood ailments arise from a disordered state of the bowels and stomach. Such a medicine is Baby's Own Tablets. They are a mild but thorough laxative which regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach and thus drive out constipation and indigestion; banish colic; break up colds and simple fevers and make the baby healthy and happy. The Tablets are guaranteed to be absolutely free from opiates or other harmful drugs—they cannot possibly do harm—always good. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Contracts For Warships

Contracts for Australia's two 10,000-ton cruisers and two submarines, have been placed in Great Britain, the amount aggregating £3,500,000.

A safe and sure medicine for a child troubled with worms is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Olive trees more than 1,000 years old are found on the island of Majorca.



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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Export Houses

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—I was not very much surprised to see Hilton Young's letter in your last issue for, really, it is not the first time that Hilton and I have had a spat, and I do not suppose it will be the last.

I was surprised, however, at the many bright ideas and suggestions he brought forth, but when one considers that it has taken him three weeks to write a reply we realize that he must have done some mighty deep diving, but even then it was mostly fool's gold that he has got hold of.

Some time ago Mr. Young asked me where I had received my information. I did not reply just then, but since several other people have also asked me, and perhaps it is just as well to let Review readers know that I got my information from that well known Tory organ, the Vancouver Daily Province. This, of course, goes to show that there are Tories who can think along sane lines.

Mr. Young has also accused me of writing my recent letter simply because I was a Liberal. Well, as long as I am accused of nothing worse than that I feel perfectly satisfied. But even this statement shows that my friend does not always hold himself close to the case for it is not very long since that he got up at one of our young people's meetings at Canyon and told the audience that I had voted for Mrs. Garland Foster at the last election. I am not going to deny this statement, but certainly Mrs. Foster was not a Liberal.

However, what little argument he and I have had in the past make very little difference. We will now turn our attention on his letter. I heard a little story not long ago of a boy in a public school who was asked to write a sentence containing the word "satiate." The sentence he handed in read, "I took Mamie Jones for a picnic last summer, and I say she ate quite a lot." It appears to me as if Hilton used the word "sale" in practically the same manner. For instance, he says, 'In 1916 the customs department issued notice to all collectors that by order of the minister of customs permission for the entry of intoxicating beverages in customs bonded warehouses was withdrawn from December, 31, 1916, in all provinces and districts of Canada where the 'sale' of liquor is prohibited under provincial law," etc. And later on he quotes Senator Dandurand as saying. "The policy of the government requires unconditional consent of the provincial authorities before granting a customs warehouse license for the storage of intoxicating liquor in bond, or before granting a license for an excise bonded warehouse for storage of intoxicating liquors in all provinces where the sale of liquor is prohibited under provincial law."

If my recollection is correct there were only two provinces in Canada that were not "dry" at the time this legislation was passed, namely British Columbia and Quebec. Thus it will be noticed that these two provinces were not included in the act at the time, and since the bars were wide open in 1917 there was no need of export houses, and later on in 1918-20, when this province was included in the "dry" column Mr. Young himself tells us that there were no licensed export houses.

In 1920, however, a plebiscite was taken in B.C. and as a result of the compaigning done by the Moderation League we have had what is generally called government control. Mr. Young knows as well as I do that goverument control means government sale and since the government has stepped into the saloon keepers' shoes we no longer are included in this part of the Customs Act, and if the federal government chooses it can license these warehouses themselves.

Why then does Mr. Manson license them? For the simple reason that under a B.C. license we have at least some way in which he can cope with the illegal traffic that is going on. Under a federal license he would not be able to do anything.

I do not know whether the attorney general issued any such licenses before the present B.C. Liquor Act was passed or not, but if they were it was by Mr. J. W. Db. Farris, and his reputation is so well known that there is no need of discussing it here. To prove the sincerity of Mr. Manson, however, I would like to point out that shortly after he had taken office he raised the export house license from $3000 to $10,000. When this law was passed the number of export houses was immediately reduced from 27 to 7, and I believe there has been a further reduction since then.

I have just mentioned the plebiscite that was taken in 1920. Shortly after this plebiscite Mr. Bowser, the ex-Tory leader, speaking at Nelson, said, "I have been told that Nelson voted 'wet'; I say they voted right." Our local M.P.P. is taking the very same point of view, and yet Mr. Young, who claims to be a supporter of the prohibition cause is willing to play follow the leader with these men.

Mr. Young also states that the Customs Act could be amended so as to abolish warehouses and still give individuals the right to import. He also says that the people of B.C. have never given their consent to prohibit importation by individuals. Neither have they given their consent to abolish the warehouses, but have voted for government control which, of course means that the government is permitted to control the liquor situation in any way they see fit.

It is quite evident Mr. Manson cannot amend the Canadian Customs Act, as this rests solely with the federal government. He could, of course, bring pressure to bear upon the federal government but to my mind this would be a very foolish step to take when by amending the Canada Temperance Act he can kill two birds with one stone, namely, abolish the warehouses and stop private importation; both, to my mind, are great steps toward the elimination of bootlegging. Besides, if some of the Conservative friends were so anxious to amend the Customs Act why did not one of the many Conservative members from B.C. introduce such legislation. If it were introduced by Liberals it would most likely be defeated by the upper chamber in the very same way as the present amendment to the Temperance Act has been. It is all very well to take plebiscites, but to my mind they are costing altogether too much money. Since 1916 we have no less than nine elections and plebiscites in B.C., and there may be another election before the year is out.

Mr. Young closes his letter by saying that I ought to train my guns on those locally. Why, hoot mon, that's just what I am trying to do, but I believe that the cheapest way to break down the fort is to bombard the bottom of it and the top will naturally topple over itself. There is not one statement in Mr. Young's letter, in which he disagrees with me in Senator Green's attitude, and since my letter was one criticizing Mr. Green, I can not see any reason why Mr. Young has written such a letter, unless he figured mine was a blow at the Conservatives. In other words it is an admission that Senator Green's attitude shows us the attidude of all the Conservatives in Canada. They are paid by the people of Canada to bring such legislation to pass as to be of benefit to the province they represent, and when such legislation is introduced they leave the house because—well, because.

Perhaps they are Tories and in need of a little protection. Yes, perhaps, and they will get it too. . . . But thanks to the upper chamber in the Canadian house this is perfectly legal. If Mr. Young can show me anything illegal about it I am quite willing to train my guns on those locally employed by the liquor houses, but, perhaps, they are Tories and are in need of a little protection—yes perhaps.

O. M. SAMUELSON.

The Courier believes a whole lot of people in Cranbrook have changed their minds since June 20, 1924, and that if another vote on the beer question were taken the town would show a substantial "wet" majority.

At Fernie the Rod and Gun Club has a membership of 173.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Bank Protection, Columbia River, B.C." will be received until *12 o'clock noon (daylight saving), Friday, August 29th, 1925*, for the construction of bank protection of Columbia River, at Revelstoke, Kootenay District, B.C.

Plans and form of contract may be seen and specifications and forms of tender obtained at this Department, at the office of the District Engineer, K.W.C. Building, Nelson, B.C., and at the Post Offices Vancouver, B.C., and Revelstoke, B.C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on printed forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with conditions contained therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent. of the amount of the tender. Bonds of the Dominion of Canada or bonds of the Canadian National Railway Company will also be accepted as security, or bonds and a cheque if required to make up an odd amount.

Note—Blue prints can be obtained at this Department by depositing an accepted cheque for the sum of $10.00, payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, which will be returned if the intending bidder submit a regular bid.

By order,
S. E. O'BRIEN,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, August 4, 1925.

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Good terms on Farm Lands and Creston improved, business and residence lots.

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I am moving owing to ill health.

I,

R. LAMONT

CRESTON

Grand Theatre Sat'y, AUG. 22

Adolph Zukor and Jesse L. Lasky present

"SINNERS IN HEAVEN"

WITH

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The story of a strait-laced girl and a confirmed woman-hater. And what happened when Fate threw them together, alone, a thousand miles from civilization. Framed in an actual South Sea setting.

MILCH COWS ASTRAY

Strayed from the premises of the undersigned at Canyon City on August 14th, 1925, two milch cows. One black and branded ⊣L on right ribs. Other is red muley carrying bell. $10 reward to party giving information leading to recovery JOHN NYGAARD, Canyon.

WATER NOTICE
DIVERSION AND USE

Take notice that G. P. Horsley, whose address is Nakusp, will apply for a license to take and use 75 cubic feet per second of water out of Goat River which flows westerly and drains into Kootenay River at Creston, B.C. The water will be diverted from the stream at a point 1600 feet downstream from the C.P.R. bridge on Block 29, of Lot 812, and will be used for power purposes upon the area described as the undertaking of the Company, within a radius of twenty-five miles of the power site. This notice was posted on the ground on the 11th day of August, 1925. A copy of this notice and an application pursuant thereto and to the "Water Act" will be filed in the office of the Water Recorder at Nelson. 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.

GEO. P. HORSLEY, Applicant.

Date of first publication of this notice is August 14, 1925

SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Province is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

Local and Personal

The largest Sunday school picnic Creston has seen in many years was that of the United Church on Wednesday, many of the parents turning out also to enjoy the day. The affair was held on the Goat River along the flats, and was favored with ideal weather.

Many friends of Mrs. Garland had opportunity of saying goodbye and good luck at an afternoon at Mrs. Mallandaine's on Friday, which was given over to music and oldtime sociability, along with refreshments, and was very much enjoyed by the whole company.

Mr. Evans of the water rights branch at Nelson, with an assistant, were here at the end of the week investigating the Goat River canyon to approve of the site Mr. Horsely has asked for the location of the power house for the proposed electric light plant at that point.

Decidedly cool weather, with about .20 of an inch of rain on Friday and Saturday, prevailed over the weekend, with Monday seeing a return to regulation August heat. The moisture was just about enough to lay the dust and freshen up the appearance of vegetation generally.

Due to a severe hailstorm late last month Kaslo growers are not sure whether any of their apple crop will grade even Fancy. Should it turn out better than expected the co-operative selling agency there announce that Chas. Moore of Creston will have charge of the packing this season.

Due to the minister of lands being away from Victoria on a trip north Guy Constable, representative of the Creston Reclamation Syndicate, has had to postpone his trip to the capita until the 26th. The syndicate has had several letters from contracting firms on the other side who wish to do the drainage work.

Grazing ranger W. H. Browne has just completed a trip over practically the whole flats area and just now it looks as if haying would commence on Monday 24th, just about a month later than in 1924. Due to the water lying so long on the flats this year the quality of the hay will hardly be up to last year's standard.

Dance that will undoubtedly attract a large crowd is announced for the Grand theatre ballroom on Wednesday evening, next, August 26th, the music for which will be furnished by the Ladies' Imperial Orchestra of Calgary, Alta. They are playing engagements at all the Crow line towns and are very highly spoken of wherever they appear. Usual prices, with supper extra.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Rock Mound Submerged Dam, Columbia River, B.C.," will be received until 12 o'clock noon (daylight saving) Tuesday, September 8, 1925, for the construction of Rock Mound submerged Dams, and removal of portion of Deer Rock, Columbia River, below Burton, West Kootenay District, B.C.

Plans and forms of contract can be seen and specification and forms of tender obtained at this Department, at the office of the District Engineer, K.W.C. Building, Nelson, B.C., also at the Post Offices Burton, B.C., Nakusp B.C., and Vancouver, B.C.

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By order,

S. E. O'BRIEN, Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, August 10, 1925.

Light and Heavy

Shoes Made to Order

New Stock of Harness

Second Hand Store in connection

A. Mirabelli

Shoe and Harness Repairing

Lister

F. Powers got away on Wednesday to Mullan, Idaho, where he is expecting to be employed for the next few months.

Geo. Chudley, who has been working around the ranch for the past month, returned to Klockmann on Monday.

Sam Lazachuk, who is working at Kimberley, arrived on Friday for a few days' stay on his ranch at Lister.

John Loubet, who a few months ago acquired a farm at Lister, got back on Friday from a trip as far south as California. He has purchased a horse and other equipment and is now busy improving his place.

Miss Frances Malthouse left a few days ago for Calgary, Alta., where she will make an extended visit with relatives.

Robert Jencks of Eburne has been secured to take charge of the Lister school the coming term. He possesses a first class certificate and comes very highly recommended as an instructor.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Malthouse of Calgary, Alberta, accompanied by Mr and Mrs. Blake and family of the same city were Friday to Tuesday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Malthouse, the men being brothers. They were travelling by auto and en route home from a visit at Washington state and coast points.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

The United Church at Grand Forks has called off its evening service during August.

One night last week fire destroyed the Cranbrook brewery at an estimated total loss of $40,000.

At Penticton the water supply was so low last week that householders could get little more than enough to cook with.

For the first six months this year the smelter at Trail has treated 180,037 tons of ore. 140 000 tons of this came from the company's own mines.

A. J. Chisholm of Kingsgate is named to succeed Harry White as collector of customs at Cranbrook, when the latter takes his new post at Vancouver.

A Wardner boy who returned an auto tourist an overcoat that had been lost and which contained a wallet with some $300 in it was given a reward of 20 cents.

The Free Press states that at least 2000 youngsters were in the Elks Children's Flag Day parade in connection with the 4th of August celebration in that town.

To put the road from Moyie to Goatfell in the shape the autoists would like will cost $75,000, and $25,000 will be needed for similar attention to the road from Curzon to Kingsgate.

The rush of tourist traffic does not appear to disturb the quiet around the Queen's Hotel building at Cranbrook in which, the Courier informs, 300 swallows have their nests this season.

Harry White, customs officer at Cranbrook, who leaves in a few days to assume similar work at Vancouver, was presented with a gold watch one night last week by the Oddfellows Lodge in that town.

ANNOUNCING PRICES AND POLICY

For the information of all the growers we have pleasure in submitting prices we have paid on all lines up till Monday, as follows—

CHERRIES—Olivets, throughout season	$2.25
Sours " "	2.00
APPLES—Transparents	1.10
Duchess	1.25
CUCUMBERS, to July 31st	1.00
TOMATOES—Field, to August 3	2.00
Vaudine Secret, to August 3	2.20
RASPBERRIES—To June 30, 3.00; to July 6, 2.75; rest of season	2.50
LOGANBERRIES, to August 3	2.50
BLACK CURRANTS, all season	2.50
RED CURRANTS, to July 3, 1.75; to August 3	1.50

BEANS, to August 3, 6c lb. PEPPERS, to August 1, 12c. lb.
POTATOES, BEETS, CARROTS, to August 3, 2½c lb.
CABBAGE, from 6c to 2½c lb.

We wish to announce that due to the fluctuations of the market it will be out of the question for us from now on to give our Cash prices a week ahead as has been our policy in the past. Prices paid each week will be submitted in future.

We also want to make it clear that commencing with the first of the month we are paying a bonus of TEN CENTS A CRATE to all growers who ship their entire crop through us. We also take this opportunity to inform that individual growers must pack their stuff up to standard or they will be docked accordingly.

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ALF. NELSON, Manager

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Canada's Tied-Up Resources

Parliament, the railways, the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Labor Unions, and public bodies generally, are still struggling with the problems involved in finding a remedy for the lack of population, recurring periods of unemployment, and slowness of development and prosperity in Canada. That there is something wrong somewhere, all admit, but no two groups are agreed as to the nature of the remedy to be applied.

The railways urge the need of larger immigration in order to overcome the lack of population without which it is argued the natural resources of the Dominion cannot be developed. It is also urged that in the matter of railways, manufacturing industries, and national equipment of all kinds, Canada is over-equipped for its present population, and that, until there is a large consuming population, the railways cannot operate to full capacity, nor can factories be fully manned and operated the year round. Thus we have advocates of a wide open door policy in immigration.

Labor Unions combat this argument and declare that so long as men are out of employment many months in the year because they cannot get work, immigration should be further restricted rather than increased. They claim that instead of bringing more people into Canada, conditions should be so improved here as to provide adequate employment and thus stop the exodus of thousands of Canadians annually to the United States.

The manufacturers have their own pet solution, the sure cure for all Canada's economic ills, namely, higher tariff protection; in other words, the erection of a Customs wall sufficiently high to keep out the manufactured goods of the British Isles and the United States. They argue that if this was done, there would be employment for all Canadian artizans and workmen, but, they contend, they cannot compete with the United States and British manufacturers. Despite these statements and assurances, the fact remains that Canada's present population is too small to absorb the output of its industries, and our manufacturers are competing successfully with United States and British manufacturers in world markets.

There is, however, a basic reason for Canada's economic difficulties and lack of development commensurate with the wealth and variety of its natural resources, but, unfortunately, nobody has the courage to frankly state the difficulty on the floor of Parliament or in open convention of the organizations to which reference has been made.

On more than one occasion in the past the statement has been made in this column that the chief ground of complaint against the Canadian manufacturer on the score of the tariff has been the use made by him of the tariff protection he has enjoyed for the past forty or fifty years; that is, that he has used the tariff merely to add to the selling price of his goods in the Canadian home market instead of using it, as Germany, United States and Japan have used their protective tariffs, to develop their natural resources for use at home and abroad. Instead the Canadian manufacturer has followed the line of least resistance and has gone on importing raw and semi-manufactured materials which by a little initiative and enterprise, and the investment of capital on the part of the Canadian manufacturer, could have been produced in Canada, thereby providing employment, keeping capital at home, reducing costs of manufacturer, and reducing the adverse balance of trade as between this country and the United States.

The reason Canada's present population is so small despite the great efforts put forth to attract immigrants; the reason why factories are not busily engaged and fully staffed all the year round; the reason there is an annual exodus of Canadians to the United States; the reason there is unemployment; the reason why our railways are not worked to capacity, is to be found in the fact that to a very large extent the natural resources of the Dominion are still lying dormant, undeveloped for use, and, most regrettable of all, are now to a great extent tied up so that their development in the near future is practically out of the question.

In the next article to appear in this column explanation will be made of this last statement and outlining what is considered to be the most serious situation confronting this Dominion and its future, and one which, unless our Federal Government and those of the Provinces which have control of their own resources lose neither time nor courage in dealing with, may result in ultimately breaking the Dominion.

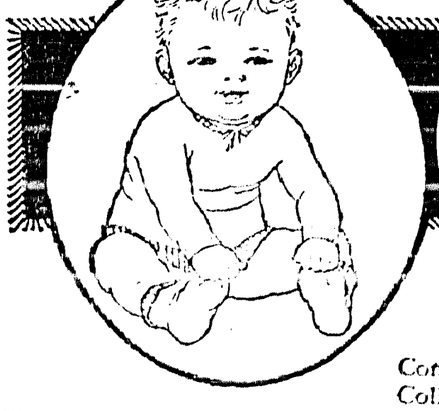
Canada Enters Butter Competition

A butter competition open to the world has been arranged for in Auckland, New Zealand. Already entries from Esthonia, Denmark, the United States, Canada, Australia and Fiji have been received. Experts state that New Zealand has a good chance of winning the championship.

Prince Earns Tenpence

The Prince of Wales drove his train for half an hour in the cotton growing areas of Nigeria. Senior railway officials thereupon presented him with a time sheet showing that the amount due to him was 10d. The Prince smilingly signed the sheet and accepted the money.

Children Cry for



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Trade With North Country

Trading More With United Kingdom and Less With United States

Canada is trading more with the United Kingdom and less with the United States, according to a bulletin issued by the bureau of statistics. Exports to the United Kingdom in the twelve months ending March were $35,000,000 more than in the year previous. Exports to the United States on the other hand, were $13,000,000 less. Imports from the United Kingdom were practically the same as the year before, the reduction being only two millions. Imports from the United States showed a drop of $90,000,000.

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For Fish Culture

Federal Government Votes Money For Fish Propagation

A vote of $370,000 for fish culture was carried in the House of Commons. In addition to a number of other items, including $30,000 for the building of fishways and clearing waters, $95,000 to assist in the conservation and development of deep sea fisheries, $2,000 for the maintenance of the fisheries intelligence bureau, and $10,000 to provide for investigations into practical and economic problems connected with fisheries.

HELP FOR TIRED NERVOUS PEOPLE

Found in the Use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Are you pale and weak, tired most of the time, out of breath on slight exertion?

Are you nervous, is your sleep disturbed so that rest does not refresh you?

Is your appetite poor, your digestion weak and do you have pains after eating?

If you have any of these symptoms you need the help of such a reliable tonic as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Read what Mr. W. W. Francis, of Calgary, Alta., says of this tonic. "After returning from overseas," writes Mr. Francis, "my whole system was in a badly run down condition. I became nervous, irritable, pale and lost weight. Of course I was given treatment and recommended many tonics, some of which I took, but with no apparent result. At last I could not even sleep. My sister, who is in England, wrote and urged me to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, and I can scarcely say how glad I am that I took her advice. My friends were surprised at my complete recovery, but I assured them it was due entirely to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I now always keep a box on hand in case of emergency."

If you are ailing give these pills a fair trial and they will not disappoint you. Sold by all dealers in medicine or sent by mail at 50 cents a box by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Crop Registration

Nearly Two Thousand Fields Were Registered In 1924

Crop registration service of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association increased by almost one hundred per cent. during 1924. In 1923 about one thousand fields were registered and in 1924 nearly two thousand. Averages of seed crops registered last year were roughly: wheat, 17,500 acres, 355,000 bushels; oats, 11,000 acres, 482,000 bushels; barley, 500 acres, 15,000 bushels; flax, 950 acres, 9,200 bushels; alfalfa, 1,000 acres, 480,000 pounds.

Many people are almost crippled with corns. But it is needless suffering which can be speedily ended with Holloway's Corn Remover.

Dickens is said to have written an entire book with one quill pen.

Regular passenger aeroplane services now are being operated in Sweden.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the House

Delegate From B.C.

Hugh Savage, Director of the C.W.N.A. for British Columbia, and Proprietor of The Cowichan Leader, Duncan, B.C. Mr. Savage will attend the Newspaper Convention at Winnipeg, on June 24, 25 and 26.

To Locate At Winnipeg

Residence of Board of Grain Commissioners To Be Changed

The residence of the board of grain commissioners was changed from the head of the lakes to Winnipeg when the agriculture committee of the House of Commons amended the residence clause in the Canada Grain Act. There was considerable discussion and a majority of the committee favored the change.

Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, Conservative, Fort William, protested strongly against the recommendation to move the board of grain commissioners from the head of the lakes to Winnipeg, pointing out that Winnipeg was only an exchange and that grain was only inspected there. At the head of the lakes, however, stated Dr. Manion, grain is weighed, stored, hospitalized, trans-shipped and finally inspected into boats.

Hon. W. R. Motherwell, minister of agriculture, disagreed with Dr. Manion. The proper place, he contended, for the location of the board of grain commissioners was at Winnipeg Mr. Motherwell declared that ninety per cent. of the disputes occurred in Winnipeg and the vicinity.

Hon. T. A. Crerar also took issue with Dr. Manion. The only sensible place, he contended, for the board to be stationed was at Winnipeg.

No Rest With Asthma. Asthma usually attacks at night, the one time when rest is needed most. Hence the loss of strength, the nervous debility, the loss of flesh and other evils which must be expected unless relief is secured. Fortunately relief is possible. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy has proved its merits through years of service. A trial will surely convince you.

Donates Trophy For Competition

Prince Sends Silver Cup to Banff Golf Club

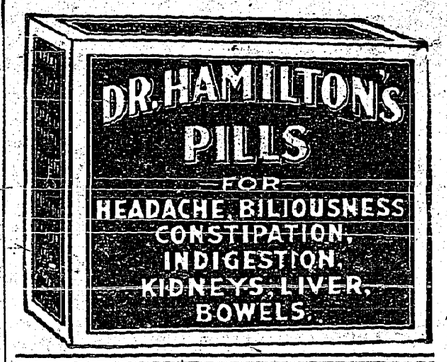
On more than one occasion the Prince of Wales, during informal visits to his ranch in Alberta, has visited Banff, Alta., and played golf on the "Roof of the World." Last year, during his flying visit to Canada, he again had a round of the links—possibly the most picturesque on the continent. And now, this season, the members of the Banff Golf Club will have the rare pleasure of playing for a trophy from His Royal Highness, a beautiful silver cup with the graceful Prince of Wales' feathers inscribed thereon, which was recently received from London. Needless to say, perhaps, how the golfers of Banff appreciate this unique compliment and how zealously the trophy will be prized and keenly competed for.

Miller's Worm Powders are complete in themselves. They not only drive worms from the system, but repair the damage that worms cause and so invigorate the constitution that it speedily recovers from the disorders of the digestion that are the result of the work of these parasitic intruders. They do their work thoroughly and strength and soundness follow their use.

Catches Huge Fish

A sturgeon seven feet six inches in length, seen several times lately at Kootenay Landing, B.C. was caught by W. T. Corman, who sank a hook baited with beef on a clothesline. It weighed 101 pounds.

Minard's Liniment for Backache



Honored On King's Birthday

Man Giving Free Blood Transfusions Has Services Recognized

B. W. Bibble, of London, a poor man, received double honors in connection with the King's birthday. He was honored by having conferred on him a medal of the Order of the British Empire, "for public services in saving life," and in addition thereto, the London Hospital elected him a life member of the hospital board.

Bibble's public services, which were thus honored by the crown and the hospital, consisted in giving of his blood for transfusion purposes at the hospital without remuneration. The customary fee for such contributions at the London Hospital is £5.

HEART TROUBLE SHORTNESS OF BREATH

Mrs. Geo. E. Bowman, Morrisburg, Ont., writes:—"I am writing you a few lines to let you know of my experience with Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. "Two years ago I became very poorly with my heart and nerves and whenever I took the least little bit of exercise my heart would start to jump and flutter. I could not walk upstairs without having to sit down and rest before I was half-way up, on account of my breath becoming so short.

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MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

and in no time I felt a great improvement, and can now heartily recommend them to all those who are troubled with any affection of the heart."

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Dairying In Manitoba

Industry Has More Than Doubled During Past Year

Dairying and livestock raising is on the increase in Western Canada and in the districts of Manitoba where mixed farming is practiced the dairy business has been more than doubled over that of a year ago. While some few points report fewer livestock being handled, the majority of districts tell of increases both in winter feeding and in dairying.

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Agricultural Possibilities Of The Canadian Northland Are Now Being Demonstrated

Steadily data are being accumulated regarding the agricultural possibilities of the Canadian Northland. Year by year further evidence is obtained showing that the limit of profitable production extends far nearer the Arctic Circle than was at one time taken for granted. The latest official department commentary on this subject is furnished by the report of the experimental sub-station at Fort Vermilion, Alberta, for 1923. Fort Vermilion is farther north than any part of Ontario, and at times the thermometer falls to more than 60 degrees below zero. The mean temperature during the crop season ranges from 6 to 10 degrees lower than during the same months at Ottawa.

Wheat seeding began at the sub-station farm on May 7, and nine varieties were sown on test plots. At harvest they yielded at the rate of from 37 to 59 bushels per acre. The results of the experiments with potatoes were even more remarkable. They show that, in the northern regions, early, deep planting produces the best results. The seed was planted from May 8 to 10, and one variety yielded as high as 419 bushels per acre. Irish Cobbler, a well-known variety, produced 339 bushels per acre.

One variety of garden corn produced a fair percentage of fully-matured though rather small cobs. Garden beans were quite successful, and a large number of other common vegetables produced excellent crops in a very short time. In fact, the short period between the dates of seeding vegetables and the dates when they became fit for use is a striking feature of the rapid growth in the north country, made possible by long hours of warm sunshine. Fine yields of sunflowers for silage were obtained, while the growing period was favorable for hay and a heavy crop harvested.

All these results are obtained under more favorable conditions and by better cultivation than is generally found on farms. Yet they distinctly show that there is a great field for the northward extension of agriculture.

Knew What He Was Doing

Mine Boy Did Not Think Much Of Foreman's Advice

A youth began work in a mine, and his first job consisted of driving one of the pony wagons used for carrying the coal to the elevator.

He got along very well indeed until one day he came to a place where the roof of the "gallery" was far too low to allow the pony to pass. Consequently, he took a pick and commenced to hack away part of the roof.

Immediately a foreman came on the scene and asked what he was doing. The lad explained that he was making a way for the pony to pass.

"Now, that's a very dangerous thing to do," said the foreman. "You might bring the whole roof down. What you ought to do is to cut away the floor."

"D'ye think I'm a fool?" retorted the lad. "It's the pony's head that won't go through—not his feet."

Wool Growers Sign Contracts

Saskatchewan and Manitoba Growers Sign Up With Association

Wool growers in Saskatchewan and Manitoba have signed twice as many contracts this year as at the same period last year, states W. Thomson, manager of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers' Association in the two provinces. With the majority of the sheep reported to have wintered in fine condition, the 1925 clip should prove of normal quality of good strength.

Rocky Mountain National Park

The season of 1924 saw more than 90,000 tourists visit the Rocky Mountain National Park, according to figures recently made public. This was an increase of about 20,000 over the previous year.

Canaries in their wild state were greyer and had louder and clearer voices than the domestic variety. They were first brought to Europe in the 16th century.

British Columbia Is Developing Rapidly

C.P.R. Officials Very Much Impressed With Existing Conditions

"After spending ten days on the Pacific coast, I can only say that judging from the amount of sound business activity noticeable there, British Columbia is launching into an era of constructive development which augurs well for her future prosperity," said Grant Hall, vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, Montreal, prior to leaving Vancouver for the east.

"Vancouver, New Westminster and Victoria are all feeling the direct benefits of the large number of important enterprises now in progress on the coast," Mr. Hall further stated, "and all three will reap monetary and publicity benefits from the unprecedented tourist traffic which will move across Canada and through the coast cities during the next three months."

Vancouver Island, the vice-president pointed out, is continually attracting more and more attention throughout Eastern Canada and the United States as the playground of the Pacific Northwest and the opening of the New Crystal Gardens later in the month should do much to increase this interest and materially augment the flow of tourists traffic across the prairies to the coast.

Value Of Newspaper Advertising

Means of Arousing Interest in Work of Victorian Order of Nurses

The value of newspaper advertising as means of arousing interest in the order's work, was emphasized at the annual meeting of the board of governors of the Victorian Order of Nurses, whose sessions were held at Ottawa recently.

The gathering was presided over by Mrs. Robert Reford, of Montreal, and representatives attended from all over the Dominion. Special attention was paid to the question of raising funds for the carrying on of the order's activities in Canada. Mrs. William Dennis, of Halifax, and Mrs. Rose, of Vancouver, took an important part in the discussions.

Decrease In Exports To U.S.

Trade Balance For April Was Unfavorable to Canada

Canadian exports to the United States were down in April and the trade balance in that month was unfavorable to the Dominion. In a statement issued by the Dominion bureau of statistics, it is shown that Canadian trade goods to the value of $27,268,410 were exported to that country while imports from the United States were $39,851,761. The exports were over $15,000,000 less than those of March, 1925. For the 12 months ended April 30 exports to the United States totalled $420,231,394 and imports from that country $507,740,355.

Saskatchewan Growing

Nearly 15,000 Immigrants Came to Province In 1924

With a total of 14,955 immigrants coming to Saskatchewan during 1924, the record for the past ten years was broken, according to statistics compiled by the Saskatchewan bureau of labor and industries. Substantial increases are recorded in the number of immigrants from most of the European countries, while the United States supplied 2,324 during the year.

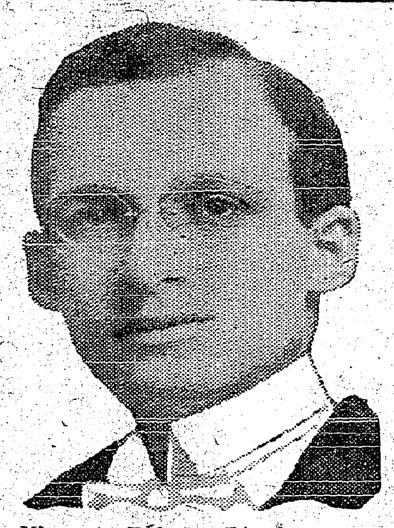
Canada's Foreign Trade

Recent figures compiled show the value of Canada's imports from all countries for 1925 to be $795,864,407, compared with $885,358,688 for 1924, making a decrease in value of $89,494,281 for 1925. The value of exports from Canada for 1925 is given as $1,090,553,749, compared with $1,052,353,665 for 1924, making an increase in value of $38,598,084 for 1925.

Women weep audibly when they are angry; silent tears mark the deepest grief.

Wise men never waste their time sharpening paring tools.

An Eastern Editor



Vincent Dubuc, Director of the C.W.N.A. for Quebec, and Proprietor of Le Progres du Saguenay, Chicoutimi, Quebec. He will attend the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association Convention at Winnipeg, on June 24, 25 and 26.

Strong For Confederation

Inhabitants of Labrador Would Favor Confederation With Canada

Confederation with the Dominion of Canada as a means of solving some of Labrador's chief problems, was advocated by Dr. W. T. Grenfell, of Labrador fame, who arrived from the Orient recently.

"I have come to this conclusion," he said, "after talking and living with the fishermen of the Labrador coast. They are 100 per cent. strong for confederation and it is my personal opinion that Labrador would be better off as a part of the big country. At present 3,000 fishermen on the coast are without a vote in any country."

Dr. Grenfell's new hospital ship, the steamship Anthony, manned and staffed by volunteer workers from various parts of the Old Country, awaits him on the Atlantic coast on his return. His trip around the world was in the nature of a furlough in celebration of his 60th birthday.

The building of an $80,000 fifty-bed hospital, on the Labrador coast, is the big item on Dr. Grenfell's programme for the present year.

Fox Farming At Brandon

Farmers Are Taking Great Interest In New Industry

Fox farming in the Brandon district is a growing industry. Many farmers are securing pairs of foxes and are starting on a small scale to experiment with the animals. Last year George H. Fradley dug out and raised 47 red foxes, 22 wolves and a number of skunk. This year he is raising several litters of black foxes, besides the red ones which he captured.

Gold Prospectors Go North

Early summer will see some scores of gold prospectors leaving for the north country, where they will range the valley of the Liard River, approximately 1,000 miles north of Edmonton.

After Mascagni had written "Cavaliera Rusticana," he threw it into the fire, but his wife rescued it.

A girl's tongue is the arrow; there's a quiver in her voice, and she soon finds a beau.

Give a business man plenty of rope and he will form a cordage trust.

The Flour Milling Industry Has Expanded Remarkably During The Past Few Years

The report of the flour milling industry of Canada, which gives the standing of this activity at the end of 1923, furnishes evidence of a fine growth, but the record, nevertheless, is inaccurate, at the present time, in view of the notable development which has taken place in Western Canada within the past two years. Occupying, at the time of the last Dominion census, the position of premier manufacturing activity from the standpoint of production, flour milling in Canada continues without much difficulty to maintain this place. The expansion which recent years have witnessed has been wrought very largely by the introduction of British capital, which is gratifying in view of the fact that, in 1921, 54 per cent. of the capital investment in Canadian flour milling was Canadian.

At the end of 1923 there were 560 flour mills and 827 grist and feed mills in Canada, a total of 1,387 mills, with a twenty-four-hour capacity of 127,148 barrels of flour. Ontario led in the industry with 679 mills, followed by Quebec with 436 mills. Saskatchewan had 66; Alberta, 61; New Brunswick, 46; Manitoba, 37; Nova Scotia, 30; Prince Edward Island, 25; and British Columbia, 7. The manner in which this industry is progressing in the prairie provinces is indicated in the fact that whilst the increase in the number of mills during the year is 23 throughout the Dominion, 18 of them are in the prairie area, and this was before the entrance of the Spillers' interest into the field.

In the year 1923 the Canadian flour milling industry utilized 85,699,645 bushels of wheat in the production of 19,075,814 barrels of flour worth $102,571,212. This was approximately 22 per cent. of the Dominion's wheat production of the year 1922-23. Other products of the industry brought the total for the year up to a value of $154,895,991. As the domestic consumption of flour in the Dominion is only about one-quarter of this, the industry is largely being expanded with a view to the export trade.

The War On Drugs

Distinct Falling Off In the Number of Addicts in Canada

The superintendent of the federal health department gives out the cheering news that there is a distinct falling off in the number of addicts to narcotic drugs in Canada. Of late years Dominion and provincial legislation and administrative effort, and police activity, have made this habit a matter of special attention, and it is to be supposed that this announcement is based upon official and dependable information gathered in all parts of the Dominion. There are few to whom the statement will not bring a sense of lively satisfaction, those few being composed of the rascals who make—or would like to make—money out of the illicit traffic, and that minority who care for nothing and nobody but themselves. To everyone who is either personally or socially concerned in the moral and physical fitness of the next generation the narrowing of the habit will be a cause for gratification and hope.—Edmonton Bulletin.

Canadian Freight Rates Are Lowest

Considerably Below Competitive Lines In the United States

That Canada enjoys the lowest freight rates of any country in the world is the claim made by executives of the Canadian Railways who have recently appeared in Ottawa in connection with the discussions of freight rates. It is also claimed that the rates on Canadian Railways are considerably below those of competitive lines in the United States. This contention is supported by the report on the wheat situation made to the president of the United States by the late Mr. Henry C. Wallace, secretary of agriculture, in which it was pointed out that Canadian farmers enjoyed great advantages over American farmers on account of the lower freight rates in Canada.

Fast Work On Farms

100-Acre Crop Is Seeded In Alberta In One Day

The record established recently at Acme when 114 horses worked in one field at one time seeding the crop of Mrs. C. W. King, has been broken at Gadsby. When the neighbors of J. B. Ball, who recently suffered a broken arm, put in his 100-acre crop, 39 outfits were at work at one time and 175 horses. The crop was put in in a single day.

Crop Outlook

According to a recent report by the Canadian National Railways, the crop outlook in Western Canada is good. Warm weather and considerable rain throughout the prairie provinces made the best possible conditions. The growth is very even at all points and sufficient moisture is now in the ground to ensure rapid progress in the three provinces.

Success In Western Canada

In a recent issue of the Calgary Albertan, Miss P. Carlyle asserts that any woman who has the ability and determination to win can make good in Canada, and says that she had a net profit from her Canadian farm of about $4,000 for her first year's labor.

Cannot Use Magnetic Compass At Pole

Twenty-four-Hour Watch Being Made For McMillan

A twenty-four-hour watch may supplant the compass when the amphibian planes assigned to the McMillan Arctic expedition fly under the midnight sun this summer in search of an unknown continent.

The "top of the earth" for flying purposes, may be regarded as flat. Since the sun circles around this region in twenty-four hours, if one lays down a watch with "24 o'clock" pointing to the Greenwich meridian, the hour hand would follow the sun around the dial. In flying, therefore, one has only to keep the hour hand toward the sun and realize that this hour hand not only marks the time, but the exact direction at that time.

"A special twenty-four-hour watch face, which makes allowance for certain variations due to latitude and has only one hand—the hour hand—which casts a distinct shadow, is being made for the use of the flyers at Commander Byrd's request."

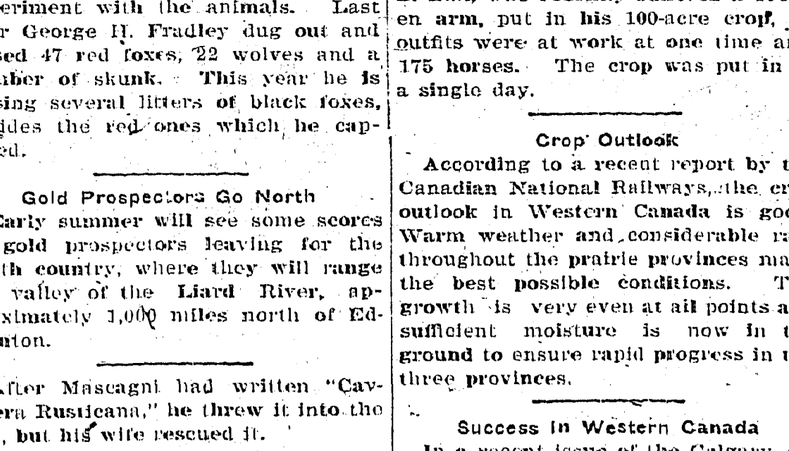
(A combined chronometer and sun dial, similar in principle to that described above, was carried by Amundsen in his North Polar flight, the fate of which is still undetermined. Amundsen's instrument was made on his design by the Geerz Instrument Company of Germany.)

Tourists For Canada

It is expected that the Rocky Mountains and Western Canada generally will this year be visited by a record-breaking number of tourists from the United States and other parts of the world. Reservations for accommodation already number about 14,000 and they are coming at the rate of about 50 a day. The beauty of the Canadian Rockies and the opportunities which they afford for holidaying and sightseeing are being more widely appreciated each year.

French Actor Dead

The death is announced of the French dramatic actor Lucien Guitry, 65, former manager of the Theatre de la Renaissance.



Monarch Of All He Surveys

One of the kings of the buffalo herd at Wainwright Park, on the Canadian National Railways east of Edmonton. This splendid specimen of the tribe brooks no interference with his family affairs from the younger males of the species

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Local and Personal

Board and room in private family for high school pupil. Enquire Review Office.

FOR SALE—A treadle grindstone with ball bearings, $10. H. Lyne, Creston.

Mrs. J. A. Lidgate is a visitor with Nelson friends this week, leaving on Sunday.

FOR SALE—One butter worker, and one Babcock cream tester. P. R. Truscott.

WANTED—Good ranch horse, weight about 1300 lbs. Clements & Young, Erickson.

FOR RENT—Cottage, nicely located, reasonable rental. Apply Mrs. Edmondson.

Mrs. C. O. Rodgers is a visitor with Spokane friends this week, leaving on Tuesday.

Rev. J. A. James got back on Saturday from a couple of days' visit at Cranbrook.

Mrs. Johnston of Spokane is a visitor here this week, the guest of Mrs. Walter Fisher

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Apply Mrs. J. Arrowsmith, Creston.

Mrs. Jas. Lockhead was a visitor with Spokane friends a few days the latter part of the week.

FOR SALE—Baby buggy, almost as good as new, $12 cash. Enquire V. Mawson store, Creston.

Miss Elsie Davies of Fernie is a visitor here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Davies.

Mrs. Henderson and family got back on Saturday after a three weeks' holiday stay with friends in Vancouver.

FOR SALE—6-room bungalow on four acres of orchard, with good buildings and water. Apply H. Lyne, Creston.

Mrs. D. W. Dow of Cranbrook was a visitor here a few days last week, with Mrs. J. W. Dow, returning on Friday.

S. R. Hart arrived from the Old Country on Tuesday and is a visitor with his sister, Mrs. H. Lyne, for a short stay.

FOUND—On August 16th, between Creston and Erickson, neck scarf. Owner can have same on applying at Review Office.

FOR SALE—Some slightly used Matriculation books, going at a reasonable price. Apply by mail to Evelyn Hurry, Creston.

Christ Church Sunday school, which has been on vacation since the first Sunday in July, is due to resume on Sunday, August 30th.

FOR SALE—Drag saw, circular saw with three saws, 3½ cut hay mower with pole, Deere potato digger. W. A. McMurtrie, Creston.

Good catches reported in Arrow Creek and Goat River upstream, and at the ferry. Bliss and bug bait at Creston Drug & Book Store.

The party of campers in charge of Mrs. Bliss got back on Thursday from a two weeks' stay at Summit Lake on the Klockmann trail, above Porthill. They report the huckleberries an unusually heavy crop this year in that section.

Lionel Moore is home for a short vacation from Silverton at present and with his brother, Charlie, spent a few days in Spokane last week.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car, all parts recently renewed, three new tires and battery last fall, little used since, $270. McMurtrie, Creston.

FOR SALE—Small cook stove, wood heater, dining table and three chairs, hand vaccum cleaner, and quantity of dry wood. Mrs. Bentley, Creston.

MILCH COW FOR SALE—Jersey Shorthorn, quiet and gentle, giving 15 quarts of milk daily, $50. Also calf, 2 weeks old, $5. Carl Wigen, Wynndel.

The extensive sidewalk building and repair campaign carried on by the village this year is now at an end, and close to $2000 has been spent on this work.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Garland left on Sunday for Nelson, where they will reside in future, quite a large crowd of friends being at the station to see them off.

Miss Ethel West, who is on the teaching staff at the business college at Medicine Hat, Alberta, is home for a couple of weeks' vacation, arriving Saturday.

WANTED—Apples, tomatoes, crab apples, and onions, in car lots. Don't sleep at the switch, write or wire us at once. Langstaff Coal Company, Moose Jaw, Sask.

MARRIED—At Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, on August 17th. Ella Mamie, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Leamy, to Mr. Horace F. Staunton of Kellogg, Idaho.

Christ Church Sunday school children have their annual picnic on Wednesday next, August 26th, at the beach along Goat River near the old bridge at Erickson.

J. W. Hamilton was a weekend visitor at Nelson, meeting Mrs. and Misses Hamilton, who returned on Monday from a six weeks' holiday with Victoria friends.

Mrs. R. M. Reid and daughter, Marion, are renewing acquaintances in Creston this week, arriving on Sunday from Macleod, Alberta, and are stopping with Mrs. M. J. Boyd.

The Attree Players, the Calgary juvenile entertainers who made their first appearance here a year ago appeared at the Grand on Thursday night last, but attracted rather a slim crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Macdonald of Summerland, who are spending the summer with Creston friends, left at the end of the week by motor on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Dow at Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bayle were Bonners Ferry visitors on Monday where they were witnesses of the marriage of the latter's sister, Miss Ella Leamy, to Mr. Horace Staunton of Kellogg, Idaho.

Kimberley Press: Bert Norris returned this week from a trip to Victoria to which city he was called on account of a curious accident to his wife. Mrs. Norris was pecked in the eye by a setting hen.

At the August session of the village commissioners the Traffic By Law was finally approved and next week we hope to be able to give a digest of its more important provisions. A speed limit of 15 miles is provided for.

Kitchener baseball team made another appearance at Creston on Sunday afternoon, when they encountered a team made up partly of intermediate material and, as usual, were defeated, the score being 12 to 11.

Arthur Gobbett got back on Friday from a visit with his sister, Mrs. Bunt, at Walla Walla, Wash., and left next day on his return to Calgary, Alberta, where he is employed in a garage. His brother, Harold, accompanied him.

Foster was miles out in his weather guess for the middle of August. According to his forecast the week centreing on the 16th was to have been the hottest of the month. In the Creston district it was the coolest of the summer so far.

The Pacific restaurant is again in charge of Jan Hing, a former proprietor, who leased it out about a year ago in order to make an extended visit in China and who, since his return earlier in the year, has been operating the Celli ranch at Erickson.

Seven teams were busy on the haul of gravel for the United Church basement on Monday. The leanto at the back has been taken down and work is being rushed on the new addition and alterations. Throughout August the attendance at the Sunday school has been close to the 80 mark and the extra room is badly needed both for worship and Sunday school work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goodwin and young daughter, of Kellogg, Idaho are here this week on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Goodwin. They tell of the arrival of another daughter to Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McLeod in that city on August 6th.

Chas. Moore, along with H. L. Crosthwait and R. Thurston, got away on Saturday for Ainsworth where they expect to remain for ten days or two weeks, taking care of some survey work on the Eden-Crescent group of mineral claims.

This is certainly a lucky year for motorists in these parts. Almost every week cars go over the bank somewhere between here and Kuskanook but so far without any serious injury. On Saturday two travellers in closed Dodge toppled over at Washout creek and although the car turned over four times, landing along side the C.P.R. track with wheels in the air, yet neither of the occupants were the worse of their experience.

Anglican Church Services

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

CRESTON
7.30 p.m.

Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 2095

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

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