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Canyon City

Alf. Bond, jr., has taken a log cuttin3 contract at West Creston from John Huscroft who is operating a sawmill in that section this winter. Con. Nygaard is working for him at present.

Word has just been received from Mrs. Searle, who is wintering in California, that the climate of the south agrees with her and she is having a most enjoyable visit.

Miss Erances Knott left on Saturday on her return to Sandon, to assume charge of the school at that point.

Miss Corbett, who has been on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Knott, left for her home in Vancouver on Saturday.

A. Hale has been awarded the contract of supplying 30 ricks of wood to Canyon school for the winter's use.

A. A. Bond is at Creston this week where he is doing some replastering at the Grand Theatre in connection with the installation of talkie movies.

A unique gatheriug was that of New Year's nignt at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Knott, who entertained a party of some 20 friends, and of their guests eight were either teachers or former teachers of the public school here.

The residence of John Bedry was saved from destruction by fire Wednes day afternoon last by the prompt giving of the alarm and the equally prompt arrival of neighbors Mr. Bedry was away at the time, and the blaze was noticed by a customer at the store who quickly arrived on the scene and with the help of the neighbors managed to extinguish the blaze before much serious damage was done.

There was a representative turnout of members on Saturday night for the annual meeting of the Farmers' Institute at which F. Knott was re-elected president, with Manfred Samuelson, secretary-treasurer, and an executive of three, Matt. Clayton, Axel Bergrren and Martin Nelson. The treasurer's report showed that about $500 worth of stumping powder had been handled by the Institute in 1930. A motion was carried to purchase a life membership in Creston Valley Hospital at a cost of $25, and a meetlng is called for Tuesday night to arrange a social evening in this connection.

Lister

Alf. Wellspring was a Spokane visitor a few days last week.

Mrs. Ed. Smite was a hospital patient at Creston the latter part of the week, returning home on Saturday.

Miss Julia Hollinger is a visitor at her home here, arriving from Nelson the latter part of the week.

Lister Trading & Supply Company, Limited, is this week pntting into stock a carload of the popular Ogilvie flour and mill feeds.

The Community Society are opening the season with a bridge at the schoolhouse on Saturday night, 10th. Cards at 8.30 prompt. Admission 25 cents.

The annual meeting of Lister-Huscroft Farmers' Institute is called for Tuesday evening, January 13th, at 8.30. A. W. Sinclair is the retiring paesident.

Rev. A. Garlick of Creston took Church of England service here on Sunday morning, which closed with a celebration of Holy Communion.

School re-opened on Monday with Miss Curtis in charge, she having got back on Sunday from the holidays at Slocan City. January enrollment is 32. This is a gain of four—all members of the newly-arrived Stieb family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Langston were at home to many of their friends at a party on New Years eve, and the chief feature of which was bridge, at which the prize scores were made by Mrs. Bird and L. Littlejohn. There was also a line of games, and 1931 was welcomed in with full musical honors.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wood of Burnaby are visitors with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sinclair. They are on their honeymoon trip, having been married on the afternoon of December 31st.

After a layoff of two weeks, work has been resumed on the new highway between the Hurry corner and the Idaho boundary. Men are being employed in relays, as the crew now at work is different from the one on the job during December.

The Community Society were hosts to the children of the district at the yuletide treat which was held at the schoolhouse on Saturday afternoon. There were varied amusements for the youngsters, along with a Christmas tree from which each received a suitable present, and all remembered in the distribution of oranges, nuts and candies.

Sirdar

T. Rogers returned on Sunday from a short visit with friends in Spokane.

Sidney Rogers left on Monday for Vancouver, where he is attending college

Miss Smfth, who has been employed at the C.P.R. boarding house, left for Vancouver on Monday.

Mrs. Smith, who has had the boarding house rented for the past six months, left for Alberta on Sunday.

H. Dibley, who has been car foreman here for the past few years, left for North Bend at the first of the year.

A considerable amount of freight has passed over the new rail link between Kootenay Landing and Nelson since the first train came in from Nelson on December 31st.

The C.P.R. swich crew in the Sirdar yard and the slip tender finished on the night of December 30th.

Norman Backus was a Spokane visitor the latter part of the week, passing through on Monday to Nelson.

Jack Cameron was a visitor to Cranbrook aud Nelson the past few days.

Mrs. Dibley was a weekend visitor with Cranbrook friends.

T. Behan, the new roadmaster on the Nelson-Kootenay Landing link, is here inspecting his new district. He was formerly in Penticton.

Frank Lombardo left for Vancouver on Monday. He has been employed on the C.P.R. slip the past year.

W. Greaves left on Sunday for Calgary, Alberta.

Mrs. Rose (nee Williams) is here from Vernon to move all the furniture out of the C.P.R. boarding house, which place has been dispensed with since the passenger trains commenced running through to Nelson. Mrs. Rose is having a sale of the effects and some big bargains in furniture are available this week.

The C.P.R. passenger boat made the final trip to Kootenay Landing on December 31st. The passengers from the westbound train that day made the trip to Nelson by boat, while the passenger train went over the new link to Nelson with just the crew aboard. On New Year's Day the train service from Nelson was inaugurated.

Curlers Select Season's Skips

Ten Rinks Seen in Action and Best Season Ever Anticipated —Considerable New Material Seen on Rinks this Year.

At a wel attended meeting of the curlers Friday, skips were elected for the 1931 season as follows: M. J. Boyd, M. J. Beninger, Dick Chandler, W. J. Craig, Fred Hale, C. H. Hare, M. R. Joyce, R. M. Telford, C. B. Twigg and Dolf Weir, and with this work disposed of the skips went in session to pick the material for the ten rinks that will be seen in action this winter. For the most part the rink heads are much the same as last seeson, C. B. Twigg being the onlv graduate into the akip class. Likewise the material available has been shaken up considerably as compared with a year ago, the Telford rink being the only one to maintain its 1930 lineup intact. The season's opener is the time honored contest President vs. Vice President the winner of which is awarded the Dr. Henderson silver cup The 1931 rink construction is as follows:

Art Reed, Stan. Hendren, J. D. Perdue, W. J. Craig skip.

Geo. H. Kelly, Ted Staples, E. Marriott, R. Chandler, skip.

Dr. Olivier, W. Kernaghan, S. A. Speers, C. H. Hare, skip.

F. Putnam, Dr. Henderson, J. G. Farris, Dolf Weir, skip.

Vic. Mawson, R. Crawford, K. Littlejohn, M. J. Boyd, skip.

Sam Steenstrup, C. F. Armstrong, Reg. Watson, M. J. Beninger, skip.

E. Winchcombe, R. Millen, Lionel Moore, Fred Hale, skip.

H. W. McLaren, R J. Forbes, J. S. Clowes, C. B. Twigg, skip.

Wm. Hale, C. F. Hayes, H. H. Wilks, M. R. Joyce, skip.

L. Littlejohn, E. Cartwright, T. W. Bundy, R. M. Telford, skip

Spares: W. Fraser, C. W. Allan, Col. Mallandaine, F. H. Jackson.

This year the rinks carrying the presidential banner are in charge of R. Chandler, Dolf. Weir, M. J. Beninger, C. B. Twigg and R. M. Telford, while the vice-president is hoping for a winning combination in Skips Craig, Boyd, Hale, Hare and Joyce.

AT THE HOSPITAL

Miss Willoughby has been attached to the staff owing to the increase in hospital work and number of patients admitted.

Mrs. Geo. Bush and baby are both doing well and will be going home shortly.

Mrs. E. Botterill of Erickson is a patient for a short time.

Mrs. J. E. Healey of Erickson has been a patient for some davs.

Mrs. A. Joy of Wynndel is a patient for a few days treatment.

Mrs. P. R. Truscott underwent an operation a few days ago and is improving.

Mrs. W. E. Barner, who has been a patient for the past week, is doing nicely.

Dobie MacDonald has been admitted to the hospital for treatment.

Several patients have been operated on recently for tonsils.

Alice Siding

R. Alderson, who has spent Christmas-New Year week with Mrs. Alderson and family, left on Friday for Calgary, Alberta.

Miss Mary Barraclough has returned to Seattle after a holiday visit at the ranch with her mother and brother, Jack

Principal Freney returned on Sunday from his holidays at Rossland, and school opened on Monday with an attendance of 27 pupils.

Miss Jessie Parkin arrived home at the end of the week from a month's visit with her brother at Munarch, Alberta, and her sisters at Michel.

Quite a number of Alice Siding people welcomed in the new year a a house party given by Mr. and Mrs. T. Trevelyan on Wednesday evening last at which dancing was the big feature, to music by Bob Marshall, drums and T Trevelyan, accordeon. There was a delightful supper at midnight.

Last week's session of the Whist Club was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pease, with all the tables occupied and the prize scores made by Mrs Bourne and Victor Carr. This week the gathering is at the J. W. Parkin home.

A wedding of interest here was solemnized at Lethbridge, Alberta, the latter part of December, when John Parkin, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parkin, was united in marriage with Miss Johanna Veldhusie of Lethbridge, in the presence of a company f friends a d relatives of the contracting parties. Miss Jessie Parkin, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and the best man was Ben Veldhusie, brother of the bride. They are to live at Monarch, Alberta, where the groom is in charge of the Horne ranch.

Wynndel

Mrs. R. Price is a visitoe with Rossland friends this week.

Tom Kunst of Boswell is a Wynndevisitor this week.

Miss A Davis left last week for Riondel, where she is visiting her sister, Mrs. Cornwall.

Mrs. Hook of Spokane was a New Year's visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady.

Miss S. Benedetti returned to Boswell last week after a holiday visit at her home here, and with Cranbrook friends.

Mrs. Botts, who has been at Nelson for some time past, returned last week, coming in on Thursday—on the first train over the new C.P.R. Nelson Kootenay Landing link.

Mrs. Williams of Windermere is a visitor here this week, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Butterfield.

Ice being good at present hockey is much to the fore. On New Year's Day Creston trimmed Wynndel juniors ky a 4-3 margin. On Sunday afternoon the Wynndel seniors came back to trim Creston 5 to 3 at Wynndel.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Gregory Wednesday next, 14th, t 2.30 p.m.

The K.K. Klub have posted notices that meetings are to be resumed, commencing January 6th.

Wynndel welcomed in the new year with the firing of shotguns, blowing of stumps and ringing bells, indicating that none were sorry 1930 had passed out.

Roadwork is expected to start this week. The camp at Washout Creek has been fixed up to provide good accommodation for the workmen.

School opened on Monday morning but Principal McGregor was unable to take his place again, and a substitute teacher had to be found. Miss M. Crawford of Creston is to be in charge of the junior room, and Mrs. McGregor taking over the principal's work.

Erickson

Douglas Putnam, who has been home for the holida s, returned to Invermere on Sunday.

Mrs. Bamford left last week for Nelson where she will spend a few weeks on a visit with relatives and friends.

Robert Hetherington of Snoqualme, Wash., was a motor visitor here last week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. McMaster.

Word has just been received here of the marriage at Trail of Miss Jeanne Hall and Mr. Wallace Woodall. The marriage was solemnized on December 27th.

Miss Walker and Miss White of the Erickson school teaching staff, who were at their homes at the coast and Fernie respectively for yuletide vacation, returned on Sunday.

School re-opened on Monday morning with a record turnout of scholars in both rooms.

Mrs, E. Botterill is a patient at Creston public hospital at present.

E. Cartwright is the first in this section ro invest in a new car. He has just taken delivery of a new Chevrolet from Creston Motors.

Donald Funston, who has spent some months with Mr. and Mrs. John Hall, left at the end of the week for Salmon Arm.

Miss Madeline Putnam, who spent Christmas holidays with her parents here, left on Saturday to resume her studies at the U.B.C., Vancouver.

Walter Dodds left on Sunday to resume operations on his trap line at Cultus Creek, after spending yuletide at his home here.

Miss Ruby Martin left on Saturday to resume her studies at the Normal School at Victoria.

The court of revison in connection with the land assessments in the East Creston Irrigation District area, was held on December 29th, with the three trustees, R. J. Long, J. M. Craigie, and L. T. Leveque, comprising the court. Only five appeals had been registered, one of which was allowed in part. With such a wide area to classify and so few appeals would indicate that Assessor Leveque has done this work very satisfactorily.

Erickson branch of Christ Church Ladies' Guild had the annual meeting on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Putnam, where officers for 1931 were elected as follows: President, Mrs. R. J. Long; vice-president, Mrs. F. Putnam; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. R. Long. During 1930 the guild made its usua contributions to church upkeep in the Creston parish.

Annual Meeting

of

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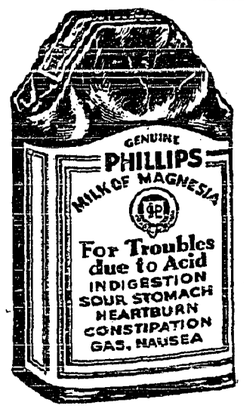

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The first month's operations in the Alberta government's new department of lands and mines yielded a total revenue of $138,203.

Alarm over the continued depletion of the halibut resources of the north Pacific is expressed in the seventh report of the International Fisheries Commission.

Tax on gasoline brought the province of Ontario $10,756,000 for the year ending October 31, last, Ontario department of highways' figures show.

The British museum announces discovery by its own and the University of Pennsylvania's expedition tour, of tombs of the great kings of the third dynasty, dating about 2400 B.C.

Cigarette consumption in Germany amounts to 32,800,000 yearly or about 500 to each inhabitant, while consumption of cigars reaches about 100 per person.

The recent visit of the Canadian trade delegation to the Orient was an immeasurable stimulant to trade relations, and should increase materially the imports and exports of China and Japan, according to G. I. Barr, general agent of the Canadian National Railways at Shanghai.

Among the Christmas gifts received by the Pope was an apparatus for recording dictation, by Thomas A. Edison. The pontiff experimented with the machine and sent a message of appreciation to the inventor, whom he also awarded the annual Papal medal in gold.

A trans-Atlantic telephone service is now available between the British Isles and all parts of Canada and Mexico. Heretofore the service extended only to the principal cities of those two countries. With the new equipment, the service will connect England to all parts of North America, including Cuba.

Canadian Petroleum

The chief petroleum producing areas in Canada are the Turner Valley field in Alberta; and the Petrolia and Enniskillen, the Oil Springs, and the Bothwell fields in southern Ontario.

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Miss E. Thomson, of Clapham, writes:—"I find that Carter's Little Liver Pills will do more to keep the complexion clear, and the skin free from blemishes, than all the face creams I have used. I found the real cause of face blemishes was usually due to liver and stomach troubles. My druggist recommended them as a specific for stimulating the liver and expelling the constipation poisons from the system."
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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 11

THE CHILDHOOD OF JESUS

Golden Text: "Jesus advanced in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and men."—Luke 2.52.

Lesson: Luke 2.

Devotional Reading: Isaiah 11.1-9.

Explanations and Comments

The Development Of Jesus, verses 40 and 52.—With these words compare and contrast the words by John the Baptist, the last words of our lesson last week. Like every one who has ever lived, Jesus began His life as a helpless Infant, and like all normal children His powers developed gradually. As a child he grew physically and waxed (grew) strong; as He increased in wisdom and stature, so he grew spiritually, in favor with God and men. He had a gradual development until He attained a perfect manhood. "At each stage he was perfect for that stage, but the perfection of a child is inferior to the perfection of a man; it is the difference between innocence and perfect holiness. —Alfred Plummer.

"You know the Child Jesus at once by a halo round his brow. There was no glory in His real life to mark Him; we know this, for in after years his brethren thought his fame strange, and his townsmen rejected Him. Gradually and gently He woke to consciousness of life and its manifold meanings; gradually, and not at once, He embraced the sphere of human duties, and he woke to His earthly relationships one by one—the Son, the Brother, the Citizen, the Master. It is a very deep and beautiful and precious truth that the Eternal Son had a human and progressive childhood."

An Incident In the Childhood Of Jesus, verses 41-51.—Before the law, Joseph was the father of Jesus, and so Luke speaks of Joseph and Mary as the parents of Jesus, and notes that every year at the feast of the Passover they went to Jerusalem. Three times in this chapter Joseph is referred to as the father of Jesus. Dr. Garvie explains that Joseph is rightly called one of Jesus' parents, for in the home he provided for him, filled a parent's place and played a parent's part. To him God committed a trust and a task.

Women were not obliged to attend the Passover, but Mary accompanied Joseph on his annual pilgrimage, and when Jesus was twelve years old He went with them. As a "Son of the Law" He was subject to its obligations respecting feasts, fasts and the like.

Unknown to them, Jesus tarried behind in Jerusalem, and they went a day's journey toward Nazareth before they missed Him, for they supposed He was with kinsfolk or acquaintances in the same caravan.

Joseph and Mary spent part of one day hunting for their Boy in the caravan, another day in returning to Jerusalem, and on the third day they found Him in the temple. There were rooms off from the temple courts where teachers, famous Doctors of Law, were wont to meet their pupils, expound the law, and answer questions. Here, among the teachers and pupils, Joseph and Mary found the lost Boy, listening and asking questions which showed such understanding that all were amazed.

Mary, too, was astonished. Dr. A. B. Bruce suggests that her astonishment points to some contrast between a previous quiet, reserved manner of Jesus and His present bearing, which was a sudden flashing out of His inner life.

And It Pays

Highest advertising rate of any periodical in the country is charged by Ladies' Home Journal, which is $9,500 for a full page. Woman's Home Companion rate is $9,400; Delineator, $9,200; Pictorial Review, and McCall's Magazine, $8,800 each; Saturday Evening Post, which has largest circulation, $8,000; Collier's, $5,500; True Story, $4,500; and Liberty, $4,250.

Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association

Announcement Is Made Of Election Of Directors For 1931

Mr. R. W. Wade, secretary, of the Canadian Sheep Breeders' Association, announces that the mail ballot closed December 15th, 1930, electing directors for the Maritimes; Manitoba; Saskatchewan; Alberta and British Columbia, resulting as following:

Maritime Provinces, A. S. McDonell, Judique North, N.S.; Manitoba, George Gordon, Oak Lake, Man.; Saskatchewan, W. C. Heron, Huntoon, Sask.; Alberta, John Wilson, Sr., Innisfail, Alberta; Geo. R. Ball, No. 2, Strathcona, Alberta; British Columbia, Leonard Higginson, No. 2, Sardis, B.C.

The directors for Ontario and Quebec will be elected at the Provincial annual meetings of the Sheep Breeders' Associations taking place in February.

Canadian Method Approved

Doctors Of Europe Commend Idea Of Expert Anaesthetists

Canadian scientists are now recognized the world over and particularly in Europe, Dr. Pierre Z. Rheaume, delegate of the Association des Medecins de Langue Francaise, from Montreal to the Paris convention of La Societe de Chirurgie Francaise, stated upon his return from Europe.

Important technical knowledge had resulted from the convention held in Paris, Dr. Rheaume said, but the most pleasing and the most interesting was the commendation of the Canadian method of making use of specialist anaesthetists. The services of these experts are often used but the presence of nurses and internes is always considered as necessary in other countries of the world.

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

Advice Of Indian Chief

"Stay awake to live long, is the advice of Chief White Horse Eagle, who claims to be 109 years old. He gave it to newspapermen, as he stopped in Chicago en route home to the Osage Indian territory in California, after a visit to Europe. "I only sleep four hours a day," he said. "People sleep too much; makes the blood sluggish."

B.C. Police Use Radio

System Covers Territory From Alaska To International Boundary

Getting your man by radio is the new method used effectively on tse British Columbia coast by the provincial police. Operating one of the most complete and successful short-wave wireless chains on the continent, the British Columbia police radio system has handled 3,600 messages, containing 180,000 words, at its seven stations in the first year of operation. Many smart captures are credited to the system, which keeps the headquarters in Victoria in touch with its far flung posts from the Yukon to the international boundary.

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May Eliminate Deadly Gas

Inventor Claims New Device Will Remove Menace Of Carbon Monoxide

Virtual elimination of carbon monoxide is claimed from a carburetor invented by John Juhasz of New York.

The device also permits the use of gasoline, kerosene or fuel oil in any automobile, motorboat or other internal combustion engines, it was reported by industrial physicists and engineers to whom it was submitted.

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To Solve Race Origin

British Scientist Goes To Africa To Discover People Of Dual Sex

Dr. Arthur Torrence, of London, England, a fellow of the Royal Society of Great Britain, has announced plans for an expedition in February to Africa, in which he said he hoped to determine the origin of the race.

"We will try to reach a people of dual sex we believe live near Lake Chad," he said. "My interest first was aroused when I encountered some of these peculiar people in Nigeria in 1924.

"I tried at that time to reach Lake Chad but was forced to turn back when advance members of my party were killed by a fierce tribe of desert nomads. I was halted again in 1926 by desert storms.

"It is my belief that the original human being was a person of dual sex. The influence of climate, the necessity of making a living and the need of looking after children, to my point of view, caused the division of the first human beings into two sexes. We hope to prove the long existence of these peoples by unearthing skeletons."

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Seeks Naturalization

Hamilton, Ont.—After residing in Canada for 75 years, John Henry Roung, a native of Germany, filed application for naturalization papers and Judge Thompson has favorably reported on his case to Ottawa officials. Roung came to Canada in 1855.

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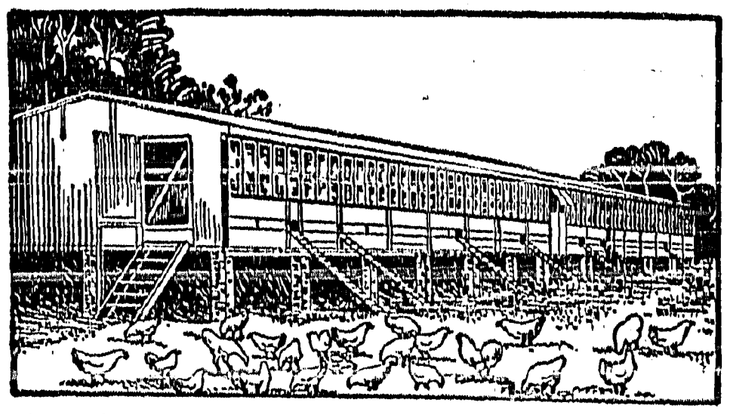

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CHAPTER VIII.

"Well," said John Maxwell, as he regarded his wife across the tea cups that night at supper, "I've got one good deed chalked up to my credit. I've arranged to keep that boy out of the vampire's clutches for one day anyhow!"

Mary smiled, and with a practiced hand dropped three lumps of sugar into his tea.

"How'd you do it, Johnny?"

"I am forced to admit that the credit's not all mine. You remember Simeon Bartlett, don't you?"

"That dear old man who lunched here one day, and who's so devoted to Gay and Nick?"

John nodded, stirring his tea thoughtfully.

"They spent the first week of their honeymoon at his camp, you know. He thinks he owns them! Well, he blew in this morning unexpectedly—had some business with me; but after lunch he came back again. Walked in and closed the door—mopped his steaming brow, and remarked that he wanted to borrow my paying teller."

"For how long?"

"Just over Monday—the holiday. Gay and the babies are going back with him tomorrow for a visit. Glad of it. If ever a girl needed a change of—something——"

"I know all about Gay. I've been there this afternon; but she didn't know that Nick was going with them. I think she was worrying at leaving him."

"Old Simeon saw that. He was going to hire Sam Hilton to take them over; but it occured to him that if Nick could get off for Friday and Saturday, he could drive the car, and at the same time keep out of mischief."

"You don't mean, Johnny, that Mr. Bartlett said anything about the — the vampire?"

Mary's eyes opened so wide that her husband laughed.

"I doubt if he ever heard the word, my dear; but he knows the breed. However, Simeon was discreet. He merely hinted that though Nick had made some engagement with his new neighbors, he thought the matter could be arranged. And I said: 'It'll be arranged if I have to go back to the days of my youth and be paying teller myself while he's away.'"

"And what did Mr. Bartlett say to that?"

John smiled in reminiscence.

"He merely grunted—at first. Then he said: 'Nick's a good boy, John Maxwell.'"

"'Too good to spend a day in company with a pair of innocent blue eyes?' I asked; and he replied: 'Ain't I heard tell that opportunity makes the thief? They's times, John Maxwell, when it ain't a bad idea to remove the opportunity. I guess we understands each other, don't we?'"

"'We do,' said I. "The entire bank is at your disposal in such a cause."

"'I ain't askin' for the bank," said Simeon. 'All I want is your payin' teller.'"

Mary laughed, and commented: "He's an old dear; but I wonder how he—well, caught on so quickly. Gay's too loyal to have given him a hint, even if her fears were aroused, which I very much doubt."

"She wouldn't have to hint much, Mary. That old man is as shrewd as a hawk. The merest word would have set him thinking, and he always thinks to some purpose. Anyway, it will do Gay good to have a change. What did you think of her?"

Mary Maxwell removed a slice of bread from the electric toaster, buttered it temptingly and passed it to her husband before she said: "Gay looked tired, of course; but what young mother isn't tired at times? Whooping cough lasts forever, and both babies had it. She was busy packing, so I produced my thimble and told her to forget I was there except when she found something that needed a stitch. Her mending had piled up fearfully, poor child!—but I vanquished everything before I left—even that pinned-up pocket! She said I was as good as a mother!"

"I don't doubt you were, my dear. Did Gay seem happy about going?"

"Almost. She said that Mr. Bartlett was like a breath of cool air; but she was homesick at leaving Nick. I'm glad he's going. It won't be so hard to say good-bye when she's once away."

"Did she mention the Hallidays?"

"Only casually, because she saw me calling there the other day. She spoke of how beautifully the woman sings. That came up when I mentioned the grand piano. I'm sorry she sings, Johnny. Nick's so fond of music."

"Do you know," said John Maxwell unexpectedly, "I believe we're all making 'much ado about nothing.' Nick was as happy as a colt let loose at the idea of going to State Line. I heard him tell Simeon that the Hallidays would probably be relieved that he couldn't go with them! Anyhow, Mary, the boy's not conceited, and that'll protect him to some extent. It hasn't yet occurred to him that Mrs. Halliday might take pleasure in his company."

But if Nick was obvious of the fact that Angela Halliday regarded him as one bright spot in what she was pleased to call "the provincialism of Bakersville," the lady's husband was not so blind. It was the next morning, that, quite without intention, he came upon her standing by the window, watching the departure of her neighbors. Gay was on the front seat of Sam Hilton's comfortable Packard; while Uncle Sim, surrounded by bags, boxes, and babies, brought up the rear. Mrs. Halliday started at her husband's step; then turning, remarked langu'dly: "The party is off."

"So I perceive."

Halliday moved nearer, and with his usual cynical expression, watched Nick stoop to lock the door, run down the path like a boy, and take the place beside his wife.

"Quite en famille," Halliday remarked.

Angela shrugged. Shrugs, which had once been an affectation with her, were now as natural as the breath of life.

"What an impossible old man," she said, referring to Uncle Sim.

"But a far from impossible young man," rejoined her husband. "Good-looking—well set-up—and not uninesting. I advise you——"

She wheeled on him angrily.

"I'm sick and tired of your advice! I can't even look out my windows without your spying on me! I heard how stealthily you came in. You thought you'd catch me waving good-bye or something. You're the most jealous——"

He interrupted her with an unpleasant laugh.

"No, my dear, I'm not jealous. I got over that stage of the game years ago. But when I occasionally take enough interest in my wife to warn her—she flies into a tantrum. Some day, if you're not careful, that bobbed-haired freak you've got in the kitchen will overhear you."

"What if she does? I don't want your warnings."

"But I shall continue to give them." He crossed the room swiftly and closed the door. "We'll have this out right now. I bought this place to keep you out of mischief. I supposed there was no one here sufficiently soph'sticated to appeal to you; but I might have known better. You'd find them anywhere. If I took you to a desert island some native would turn up and bask in the light of your innocent eyes. It would make no difference to you if his skin were black, or white, or yellow, so long as he worshipped at your shrine. I——"

"How long are you going to stand there and insult me?" interrupted Angela, with ominous calm.

"Insult you? Well, perhaps I have. I apologize; and admit that so far your taste in victims has been—irreproachable."

It was her turn to laugh unpleasantly.

"Not always. Not when I married you."

Hardened cynic though he was, Halliday winced as he replied: "Possibly you are right; but at least, I was not 'yellow.' I think you'll admit that I've played the game. I stuck by you when you'd estranged me from the only friend I ever cared for. If he'd married you I'd have got you your freedom—somehow—but——"

"If you think the decision lay in his hands," she broke in furiously, "you are mistaken. I wouldn't have married him if he'd been the last man left in the world. If you hadn't been the most jealous sort of a jealous fool——"

He moved a step nearer, and she stopped.

"It's not customary then, for a man to feel disturbed when he finds his wife in the arms of one he had thought a friend?"

She made no answer, and he continued: "As for the Ashley affair——"

Save for two spots that were not nature's handiwork, her face went white.

"Stop! I sha'n't listen! If you say a word more I'll—I'll——"

She had covered her ears with her hands and was shaking queerly. Her husband looked at her, but not a line of emotion crossed his face.

(To Be Continued.)

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Railways In the Air

Switzerland Building One To Go Higher Than Jungfrau Line

Switzerland can already boast that it possesses the highest railway in Europe—the Jungfrau line, which goes up 11,340 feet. But it isn't satisfied with this—a new railway connecting St. Moritz with the Piz Bernina is now to be built. It will attain an altitude of 13,390 feet. At present there are only six railways in the world which go higher than the Jungfrau line. When the Piz Bernina is built there will be only four railways in the world to beat it in altitude. The Peruvian Central Railway is the present holder of the world's record. At one point it reaches 15,865 feet — just thirty-one feet more than is attained by the runner-up, the Antofagasta (Chili) and Bolivia Railway at its highest point. But Switzerland holds a world's record in the matter of electrification that no other country can challenge. Counting lines of all gauges, Switzerland has electrified 4,834 kilometres of railway, or 88.1 per cent. of its total track.

Wonders Of Science

Remarkable Demonstration At Exhibition Of Scientific Organization

Peculiar radiations from butterfly wings and onion roots, the control of complicated machinery by shadows and sounds, explorations at distances of millions of light years, analysis and destruction of sounds and other findings of scientific work in the United States will be demonstrated at Cleveland.

The exhibit will be at Western Reserve University in conjunction with the sessions of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

Hankow, China, plans to have one of the most up-to-date telephone systems in the world.

Compares World To Gigantic Soap Bubble

Famous British Scientist Says It Is Still Expanding

The universe in which we live was likened to a fragile soap bubble by Sir James Jeans, famous British scientist, in a lecture at London, England.

"It is easy to blow a soap bubble," he said, "but far less easy to keep it in existence more than a minute or two—after that it is apt suddenly to burst and disappear. I hope I shall not startle you too much if I say that it has been discovered quite recently that the universe is something like that. As soon as the universe came into existence it started swelling and must go on expanding."

If the calculations of many astronomers as to the speed of nebulae receding is correct, he said, the universe must be expanding—"I might almost say, exploding—at a really terrific rate."

"The material universe," he continued, "appears to be passing away like a tale that's told, dissolving into nothingness before the light of day."

Start Of Aviation Warfare

First Allied Aviator Reprimanded For Shooting At Enemy

The first allied aviator to shoot at a German flier was severely reprimanded by a British general. Captain H. Weir Cook, World War aviator and director of the Curtiss-Wright flying field at Indianapolis said:

"Airplanes were used only for observation purposes at first, and when enemy fliers passed each other they waved their hands or made signs to indicate the war wasn't a personal matter with them," Captain Cook said.

"One of the British aviators took his revolver along with him on a flight one day and took a pot-shot at a German. He was called on the carpet by a general and warned that such unsportsmanlike conduct would not be tolerated.

"Other allied aviators took guns along with them, however, and finally one of them killed a German with a shotgun. That started aviation warfare."

Here's Hoping

Bruce Barton, advertising man, cites a theory that depressions usually last eighteen months, a period otherwise meausred by the average man's possession of two suits of clothes. When both pairs of pants wear out hard times end. Here's hoping there are not too many two-pants suits in circulation!

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Little Helps For This Week

"The poor always ye have with you."—John xii. 8.

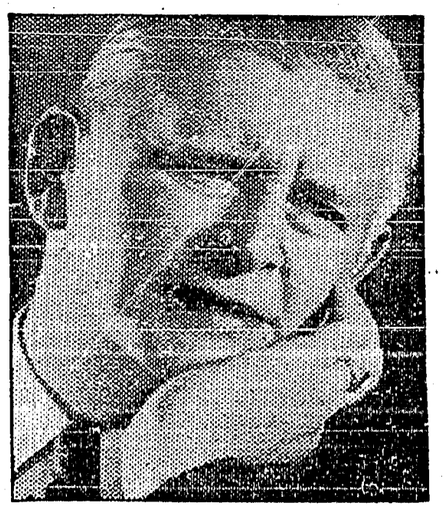
Our Lord and Master
When He departed left us in His will
As our best legacy on earth, the poor:
These we have always with us; had we not,
Our hearts would grow as hard as are the stones.

The poor are always with us. The wayfarers come to us continually, and they do not come by chance. God sends them. And as they come, with their white faces and their poor, scuffling feet, they are our judges. Not merely by whether we give, but by how we give, and by what we give, they judge us. Thank God! there are some men and women, full of the power of the gospel, who cannot rest satisfied till they have opened their very hearts, and given the poor wayfaring men the only thing which is really their own,—themselves, their faith, their energy, their hope of God.—Phillips Brooks.

The cheapness of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator puts it within reach of all, and it can be got at any druggist's.

Vacant Lot Garden Club

With a membership of 1,125, the Calgary Vacant Lots Garden Club last season used 2,500 city lots for the cultivation of vegetables and flowers, seeded ten acres back to grass and summerfallowed 25 lots, according to the report of the secretary presented at the 17th annual meeting of the club. Revenue amounted to $2,035 and expenditure to $2,587.



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The problem of how to drive away loneliness when spending Christmas in a foreign land was solved by Hon. Mrs. Victor Bruce, British aviatrix. The long-distance telephone was her friend in need.

Fro ı Grant's Pass, Oregon, U.S.A., Mrs. Bruce called her husband in London, England, chatting with him for several minutes. In addition to expressing the season's greetings, she asked about her pets and her plants, and inquired if her husband were able to keep warm during the London fog.

Damage to Mrs. Bruce's round-the-world aeroplane delayed her at Grant's Pass.

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As Others See Us

Pentieton Herald.

Apart from the situation due to the Doukhobor menace, the outlook for central selling in the scattered Kootenay communities is not altogether unfavorable. Some trouble was anticipated in the Creston area for the reason that this district has always been apart from other districts in the matter of selling. In the co-operative, for instance, the Creston growers have, for geographical and other considerations, had their own pool. It is only natural therefore that some Creston growers should be dubious about the central selling plan. It was a distinctly hopeful developement that 25 of them voted for central selling after hearing Mr. Black. If properly handled, it is said, more than fifty per cent. of the Creston growers will vote for the growers' plan when the secret ballot is taken. At the one meeting held in the Kootenay attended wholly by white growers, and where the question of local autonomy did not enter, those present voted by more than four to one for central selling. This was the meetiug held at Harrop in the Nelson district. So far as the scattered growers in the Arrow Lake and Kootenay districts are concerned it is thought that the majority of them can be induced to vote for the central selling plan, but a good deal of missionary work will have to be done if they are to be reached. As I have already said, this work cannot be left to Mr. Black to do. After the holidays are over, other organizations must get busy and, if they do, there should be no great difficulty in getting more than a 66 per cent. vote for the Growers' Marketing Scheme. After all, as The Herald pointed out in its last issue, over 80 per cent. of the fruit is grown in the Okanagan Valley district and a heavy vote of valley growers for central selling will overcome the adverse vote that is to be expected in the few districts where growers foolishly think they would be be ter off with open competitive m rketing restored or that they can do better running their own local show. It will be found that in these districts the growers who own their own land and make a living with their own hands will largely line up for the new plan.

1930 in Creston Village

As in the past the New Year's Day issue of the Nelson Daily News featured articles outlining the year's developments in the Kootenay and Boundary country, paying special attention to a review of the year's activities in all the incorporated centres contributed by the various mayors in most cases. Reeve F. H. Jackson has the following to say of the year just closed at Creston:

In the year of 1930 the biennial election of the board of conmissioners of the village municipality of Creston took place with a keen contest and a particularly large-poll, the new board elected consisted of Frank H. Jackson, chairman; Dr. G. B. Henderson and T. M. Edmondson. Miss Effie Arrowsmith is the village clerk.

The tax rate has remained unchanged at 12 mills. The taxable land values have been assessed at $169,402.60 and the taxable improvements at $252,597, making a total of $421,999.60, as compared with the total of $399,835 for the year 1929. Total revenue for 1930 was $7,539,79, a decrease of about $450 from last year, due to smaller receipts from the liquor board.

Expenditure during 1930 has amounted to $5,757.82. Of this sum $3090 was expended on streets and sidewalks and $735.33 on electric lighting. There are 38 street lights. A further installment was paid on account of the purchase price of the Fair association property. Murdock street, which runs east, from the C.P.R. track along the northern boundary of the school grounds, was opened up, as well as Creston avenue. The latter is in the eastern part of the village, runs north from Canyon road, which is the name of that portion of the transprovincial highway that passes through Creston.

More building was done than for many years past, and there is still a demand for dwellings.

The Creston Power, Light & Telephone Compauy began supplying electricity to the village early last January, and subsequently bought out C. O. Rodgers' rights in the village and surrounding district. At first the company's power plant consisted of one Diesel engine, but to satisfy the demand it has been necessary recently to instal another Diesel engine. In the summer the company made an application to develop the power at the Goat River canyon. The South Kootenay Power company also made application to develop the same power. A hearing of the water board on these applications was held in Creston last September, but to date no decision has been given out.

Some 5000 acres were sown to wheat last spring on the Reclamation Farm on the Kootenay Flats. Unfortunately a dyke broke during the high water and 1700 acres lying south of Dutchy's ridge were flooded. A very fair crop was harvested on the remaining acreage having regard to the fact that over 4000 acres of it had been put in crop for the first time. It is unfortunate that the first attempt to farm the Flats on a large scale should have been made in the year when wheat has reached record low prices. Plans are being considered of growing a more profitable crop than wheat in 1931.

Installation of the domestic water supply for the Camp Lister area was completed this year, as well as the irrigation system of the East Creston irrigation district. Encouraged by the success of these undertakings, the strawberry growing area at Wynndel is now preparing a petition for the organization of an irrigated district.

The Goat Mountain Waterworks company entered into an agreement with the East Creston irrigation district whereby an ample supply of water is being supplied to the village from Arrow creek through the works of the irrigation district.

An organized effort was made to have a hospital established here, and Dr. Olivier of Blairmore undertook the task of starting it. This was satisfactorily accomplished and is filling a long felt want. The Creston Valley Hospital association has been recently incorporated, and a board of 14 directors elected. The directors represent all the communities in the Creston valley. In addition, the chairman of the board of commissioners is the official representative on the board of directors of the village municipality, and another director is to be appointed to represent the provincial government. The hospital is a public one, and any doctor may take his patients there for treatment.

Notwithstanding the adverse business conditions of the past year, Creston has been able to maintain its past record of steady progress.

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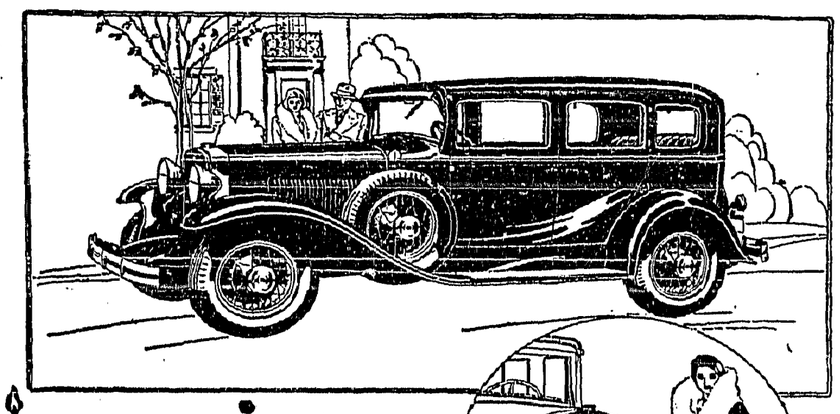

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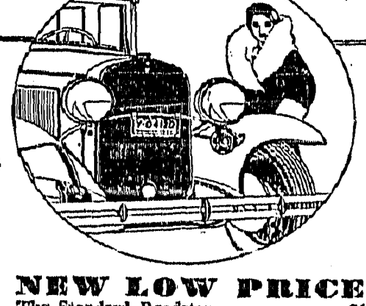

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Local and Personal

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C. C. French returned on Wednesday from a business visit to Spokane.

Miss Phyllis Hamilton, nurse in charge at New Denver hospital, spent a few days this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hamilton.

Jack Young has joined the sales staff at Creston Drug & Book Store, replacing Eric Martin, who has resigned.

A. Spencer is busy on the annual audit of the books of the village of Creston. The year closes with a cash surplus of over $1700.

Pansies in full bloom on January 7th should convince that the Lister area is within the banana belt. These were plucked on Mrs. A. S. Evans place, now occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Byrne, and plenty more of them still in full flower to convince the skeptical.

Creston village council meets in January session on Monday night at which arrangements will be made for the assessment court of revision held early in February.

Bill Hale, who is with the forestry department on Vancouver Island, arrived at the end of the week on a visit with Creston friends, and is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hendy.

Mrs. J. E. Hayden left on Sunday for Seattle, where she expects to spend the next six weeks or two months, having been ordered to a lower altitude on account of her health.

For 1930 the Valley shows a nett gain in population of 31. There were 54 births, 13 marriages and 23 deaths. Of our new citizens the preference was for girls of whom 28 were born.

The curling season opened Wednesday night playing two shifts, 7 and 9 o'clock. The opening competition is that of President vs Vice-President, in which five rinks a side are competing.

Due the vestry being unable to secure other suppld, Rev. A. Garlick has very kindly consented to continue Church of England services at the several appointments until the middle of February.

Fred Ryckman, indian constable, Cranbrook, was here on an official visit on Monday, and reports that his wards have had quite a prosperous 1930. Ten of them are operating trap lines this winter.

The miniature golf course, which has been operating in the Downey poolroom at Fourth Street and Wilson Avenue, has quit business, and Mr. Wood is again taking care of patrons at pool and billiards.

According to the official report Creston Valley honey crop for 1930 totalled 22,000 pounds. The valley boasts 575 hives of bees, and the average per hive is 80 pounds—the best showing in all West Kootenay.

Bridge and whist drive under the joint auspices of the L.O.L. and L.O.B.A., at the lodgeroom, over Mercantile store, on Friday evening, January 16th, with cards at eight prompt. Admission 50 cents.

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WHEREAS the SOUTH KOOTENAY WATER POWER COMPANY is a company incorporated by Chapter 62 of the Statutes of British Columbia, 1897, and is hereby empowered to construct and operate works for the utilization of water;

AND WHEREAS the said Company did on the 18th day of June, 1930, apply for a license to divert and use two hundred (200) cubic feet of water per second from Goat River, a tributary of Kootenay River, in the Nelson Water District, for power purpose;

AND WHEREAS the said Company has petitioned for the approval of its undertaking relative to the aforesaid application;

AND WHEREAS it appears in the pubiic interest to grant the prayer of the Company's said petition:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the undertaking of the South Kootenay Water Power Company relative to the diversion and use of Two Hundred (200) cubic feet of water per second from Goat River for power purpose, as the said undertaking is outlined in the petition of the said Company fyled with the Comptroller of Water Rights on the 30th June, 1930, is hereby approved subject to the terms and conditions of the Water Act and to the fullowing terms and conditions:

The term of every license that may be issued in pursuance of t e Company's above-mentioned application shall be limited to expire fifty (50) years from the date of issue of the license first issued in pursuance of the said application.

The construction of the works necessary to divert, and utilize the said water shall be commenced by the first day of July, 1931, and shall be carried out to the satisfaction of the Comptroller of Water Rights.

The territory wi hin which the said Compa y may distribute and sell the electrical energy generated by it from the waters of the Goat River shall be that portion of the Province of British Columbia lying within a circle having the power house, to be erected in connection with the undertaking, as centre and having a radius of twenty-five (25) miles, including the Village of Creston.

THIS CERTIFICATE does not authorize the diversion of any water or the construction of any works, nor is it an approval of the plans of any works.

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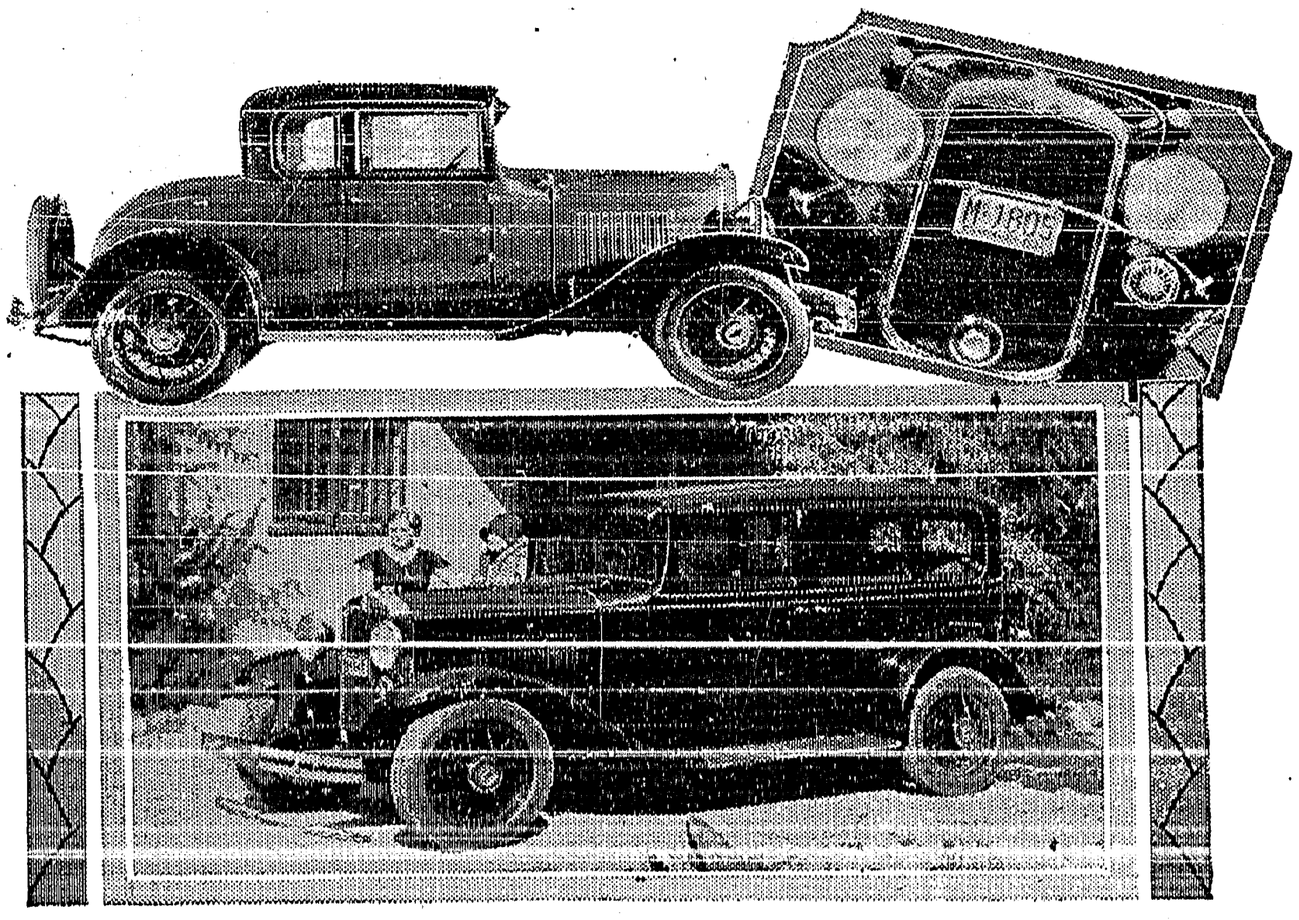

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Here is what the new Chevrolet looks like at its first public showings now being held across Canada. There are nine body types, the five-window coupe at the upper left being an addition to the line. Below is the standard sedan which shows the large, roomy effect achieved by lengthening the wheelbase to 109 inches. Wire wheels are standard equipment. Upper right shows the changed front view, the higher radiator, the chrome-plate tie-bar which arches between the headlamps, and the new horn mounted below the left headlamp. Prices of the new Chevrolet are lower than those at which the 1930 models were introduced.

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The Fight For Peace

Living, as we do, in the fourth decade of the twentieth century of the Christian era, and more than twelve years after the close of the war to end all war, the huge armaments maintained by the more civilized countries of the world continue to be a menace to the future peace of the world, and to falsify the many professions of "a will to peace" voiced by the leading statesmen of the world.

Great as the inconsistency of all nations appears to be, the inconsistency, in fact the blatant hypocrisy, of Soviet Russia stands out over and above all other countries. Here is a republic, a people's government, founded as a result of a revolt against the militaristic government of the former Czars, preaching the doctrines of world brotherhood, yet maintaining and rapidly increasing the most powerful army in the world.

Recently one of the important illustrated papers in Berlin, Germany, presented pictorially the relative strengths of the armies of Europe and the extent of their war equipment. It reveals the fact that the present peace strength of the Russian armies is 1,200,000 men, or almost double that of the next largest European army, that of France with 650,700 men, Italy coming third with about the same number; 638,300.

Russia, with its 1,200 000 able-bodied men withdrawn from productive occupations, is, at the same time, short of man-power to carry out its ambitious five-year programme, and we find Pravada, the official organ of the Communist Party, urging the recruiting of women as one means of solving the Soviet Union's growing labor problem. More than 2,000,000 additional workers are needed in 1931, says this official Government organ, to carry out huge projects of the five-year plan. After pointing out that six million women are engaged in household duties in Russian cities, it advocates securing the required labor from this source, while 1 200,000 men are kept "marking time" in a so-called peace-time army. What a travesty, what a tragedy! What denial of all the principles for which the Communist party throughout the world, with its denunciations of capitalist governments supported by armies, professes to stand.

And how is this huge Russian army equipped? With 600 heavy guns, or 200 more than Great Britain; 2,400 light guns, or more than any other country in the world, and 700 more than Great Britain; 23,000 machine guns, or 10,000 more than Great Britain; with 250 tanks, compared with 200 in Great Britain; and 1,400 war aeroplanes, or only 147 less than Great Britain, with its world-encircling empire to patrol and defend.

And whom has Russia to fear? Her nearest and most powerful neighbor, Germany, was disarmed by the Treaty of Versailles, left with an army of only 100,000 men for the maintenance of peace at home, permitted to have no heavy guns, only 288 light guns, less than 2,000 machine guns, no war aeroplanes, no tanks.

And because Communist Russia maintains, and is increasing and strengthening its huge army, and conducts a persistent propaganda in other countries against all forms of established government except their own, and continues to preach a world revolution, the other nations of Europe feel they, too, must remain armed to the teeth. The result is that Europe remains an armed camp.

The Great War taught us that, removed though Canada may be from the Old World nations, we cannot be indifferent to the situation existing. Should the scourge of war again sweep Europe, we, too, would be the sufferers. It cannot be otherwise.

The greatest present guarantee of the maintenance of peace is to be found in the League of Nations. It has prevented more than one outbreak since 1918. The real strength of the League of Nations is to be found in another league, the British Commonwealth of Nations. They are the backbone of the greater world league.

Maintenance of the League of Nations costs Canada approximately a quarter of a million dollars a year. Some people think it costs us too much, but what is a quarter of a million annually for ten million people in comparison to the annual cost to them resulting from the Great War in national debt, pensions to disabled men, soldiers' hospitalization, settlement schemes, and sundry other expenses running into millions of dollars annually?

Every Canadian, therefore, should be an enthusiastic supporter of the League of Nations. No vote of money by Parliament should be more heartily approved than the vote to maintain the League. Not only so, but every Canadian should be a booster for the League, and should exert his or her personal influence to the end that Canada will always be found to be one of the staunchest upholders of the League of Nations at all times.

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Retires From Board

Col. Vien, K.C., Severs Connection With Board Of Railway Commissioners

Col. Thomas Vien, K.C., deputy chief commissioner of the board of railway commissioners for Canada, announced his retirement from the government service. He plans to resume his law practice in Montreal.

Col. Vien was active in politics before he was appointed to the board of railway commissioners five years ago. He represented the constituency of Lothiniere, Quebec, as Liberal member for several years. He was elected first for that riding in 1917, and was re-elected in 1921.

Good judgment is the basis of all success.

Died From Exposure

Coroner's Jury Brings In Verdict In Connection With Death Of Capt. Burke

Capt. E. J. A. Burke died from starvation and exposure according to a verdict returned by a coroner's jury at White Horse, Yukon. Burke, with two companoins, Emil Kading and Bob Marten, disappeared in October while flying in the Liard River district. They began to mush towards civilization, but Burke collapsed and died November 20. His two companions were finally rescued and brought to White Horse by Pilot E. L. Wasson, and Joe Walsh, a prospector, on December 10.

To its finding the coroner's jury added a rider recommending that in future 'planes in northern British Columbia should be equipped with sufficient food in concentrated form to last for a reasonable period of time, a rifle and 50 rounds of ammunition, and snowshoes for each member of the 'plane crew. The jury also recommended that pilots be instructed in woodcraft.

Danger from Colds

Every woman beyond middle age should realize that a majority of the troubles she has to fear have their origin in what are known as common colds. Each attack lowers her vitality and reduces resistance to disease. At this season of the year every woman should see that her blood is toned up to meet the rigors of the climate and especially that strength should be restored after any cold, however slight. For this Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a reliable tonic.

These Pills are not a mere stimulant giving temporary relief. They build up the body by creating that rich red blood which imparts the glow of health; steadies the nerves, improves the appetite and digestion and make the users capable of withstanding the rigors of our Fall and Winter months. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Sinister Date

October Sixth Has Prominent Place In British Politics

One of the most sinister dates in modern politics is October 6th. Have you ever seen the list? On October 6th, 1881, Gladstone denounced Parnell, and on October 6th, 1891, Parnell died. On October 6th, 1896, Rosebery retired from the leadership of the Liberal party, and on October 6th, 1909, he resigned the presidency of the Liberal League. On October 6th, 1891, W. H. Smith died while leading the House of Commons, and on October 6th, 1903, Joseph Chamberlain opened his disastrous tariff reform campaign with his Glasgow speech.

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Met the King and Queen

Granny Peters Never Thought She'd Live To See the Day

Granny Peters has lived all her 77 years in the mean streets of London's east end—and her cup runneth over.

For she has met the King and Queen, had a cup of tea with the Queen and Princess Mary, shaken hands with Princess Beatrice and now she has shaken hands and had a talk with the Prince of Wales.

The Prince, visiting the settlement, saw a movie of Granny being presented to the Queen. "I'd like to meet her," he said.

"I never thought I'd live to see this day," wept Granny.

Every careful and observant mother knows when her child suffers from worms. She also knows that if some remedy be not speedily applied much harm will result to the infant. An excellent preparation for this purpose is Miller's Worm Powders. They drive worms from the system and set up stimulating and soothing effects, so that the child's progress thereafter is painless and satisfying.

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The principal consumers of Canadian lime are the chemical and metallurgical industries, pulp mills, and the building trades.

Do You Like Shortbread!

1 cup Purity Flour
½ cup corn starch
½ cup icing sugar
2/3 cup of butter

Mix all ingredients very carefully. Spread evenly in pan and prick with fork. Bake in moderate oven (375°) for 20 minutes, or to golden brown. Cut in squares and allow to cool while in pan. Brown sugar may be used in place of icing sugar. Be sure it is Purity Flour you use.

Purity
Plain Pastry
New Recipe

For two pie shells: 3 cups Purity Flour, 1 cup lard, ½ tspn salt, 1 cup cold water. (For richer flavor use ½ butter and ½ lard).

METHOD: Mix the flour and salt cutting in half the shortening until the mixture is like fine meal, gradually adding exact quantity of water but not a drop more. Turn out on board very lightly sprinkled with Purity Flour, roll about one quarter inch thick. Then spread balance of shortening over dough, fold over three times and roll again to required thickness. Bake in hot oven (475°). 307

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Many Unclaimed Medals

Department Of National Defence Has Large Number Still On Hand

The number of medals in the custody of the records branch of the Department of National Defence is gradually diminishing, but the number on hand is still large. The present addresses of many of the men who served in the Great War and who are entitled to the medals are unknown. Of the 66,104 "1914-15 stars" received for distribution, 1,660 still await claimants. Over 200 were issued in the past year.

A total of 415,645 British war medals were distributed for members of the Canadian expeditionary forces, and of these 55,932 are still unissued.

The records branch has found it impossible up to the present to locate 33,224 men entitled to the victory medal, out of a total of 340,245 that were earned. Of these medals, 5,861 were disposed of during the last twelve months.

Moose Jaw Postal Revenues

Revenue from the post office in Moose Jaw for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1930, reached a total of $134,986, according to the Postmaster-General's annual report, and the "Optimeter" notes that in the list of earnings of all post offices in the Dominion, the Moose Jaw office takes 19th place.

North American Gold

Ten years ago the gold output of the United States was three times as great as that of Canada. Today chiefly owing to the increase in Canada, the two countries produce almost equal quantities.

Ice From the Tropics

Product Of Carbon Dioxide Found In Oil Fields Of Mexico

And now they're importing ice from the tropics.

It is a product of carbon dioxide gas found in wells of the Tampico, Mexico, oil fields, flowing to the surface at a pressure of 1,000 pounds to the square inch. The information is contained in a bulletin of the United States navy department's bureau of engineering.

A New York concern has erected a factory which solidifies the gas into "sub-zero" ice. It has a capacity of 40,000 pounds a day. Vessels with insulated chambers of cork board a foot-thick will bring the ice to the United States.

The oldest Egyptian mummies are almost 5,000 years old.

Magnesia Best for Your Indigestion

Most people who suffer, either occasionally or chronically from gas, sourness and indigestion, have now discontinued disagreeable diets, stomach tonics, medicines and artificial digestants, and instead, take a teaspoonful or four tablets of Bisurated Magnesia after meals with the result that their stomach no longer troubles them. They are able to eat as they please and they enjoy much better health. Those who use Bisurated Magnesia never dread the approach of meal time because they know this wonderful anti-acid and food corrective, which can be obtained from any good drug store, will instantly neutralize the stomach acidity, sweeten the stomach, prevent food fermentation, and make digestion easy. Try this plan yourself, but be certain to get Bisurated Magnesia, especially prepared for stomach use.

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BIG CORPORATION TO BE CREATED TO AID FARMERS

Regina, Sask.—Before an interested audience of fully 8,000 people here, Premier Bennett delivered a message of hope to the people of Western Canada. Mr. Bennett's address was mainly directed to the farmers of the prairies. As a westerner himself, he declared, he was keenly alive to their problems and was determined to solve them and at the same time promote the national interests of Canada as a whole.

He reviewed the activities of his government since assuming office in August, the steps taken to relieve unemployment, providing funds to speed up public works, the increased protection afforded the Canadian producer by the tariff revision, and the stand taken by the government at the Imperial Conference.

Financial difficulties of the farmers of Canada will be met by the creation of a private corporation, in which banks, transportation companies, industrial concerns, insurance and mortgage companies will be shareholders, said Mr. Bennett.

The primary object of the proposed Farm Finance Corporation is to assist farmers now engaged wholly or largely in the production of grain to launch out into mixed farming.

"In this regard," said Mr. Bennett, "the suggestion made a few weeks ago by Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, is to be commended. A private organization having as shareholders the transportation companies, banks, industrial enterprises, insurance and mortgage corporations with a reasonable capital used as a revolving loan fund, will meet the necessities of the situation.

"A class of business will be transacted in which the banks cannot engage, and local supervision will ensure a minimum of risk. In the United States where the loan capital was $9,000,000 the losses of a similar organization over a considerable period of time were but $27,000."

The fact that the marketing of wheat at present prices would still leave many farmers in difficulties called for the attention of the government, said the premier. The government was therefore going to assist the provinces in providing relief.

"No citizen of this country," he said, "must suffer for lack of food, clothing, shelter or fuel. I would not have the wheat growers think it is our desire or intention to grant them more favorable treatment than any other class in the community will receive. We do not offer them charity for they do not want charity. What we offer them is that measure of relief which the circumstances of the case so fully warrant."

While fully alive to the immediate difficulties, the Federal Government was also occupied in finding permanent markets for Canadian farm products. These efforts were directed along three lines, protection of the home market, extension of trade within the empire and revision of most favored nation treaties with foreign countries.

"Our minister of Japan, Hon. H. H. Marler," he said, "is, I hope, at this very hour on his way to China to discuss with the government of that great country the purchase of millions of bushels of our wheat. Nor will the government hesitate, if necessary, to assist by providing credit facilities and by other means in its power the establishment of so incalculably valuable a channel of trade."

With European countries speeding up their grain production it was obvious Canada would have to look to the Orient for a market. Canada had the goodwill of the Orient and the government was prepared to capitalize it.

With regard to his negotiations with France, Mr. Bennett said the existing duty on wheat was practically prohibitive. Since his meeting with the French government the government had been defeated; but despite this he had advice that France would guarantee to buy a substantial quantity of Canadian wheat.

Observatory For Toronto

One Of the Finest In the World To Be Erected In Eastern City

Toronto, Ont.—An astronomical observatory which will be one of the finest in the world, will be erected in Toronto in the near future, according to an announcement to the Canadian Press recently, by Prof. C. A. Chant, head of the Department of Astrology, University of Toronto. The observatory will be erected by Mrs. D. A. Dunlap, and her son, D. Moffat Dunlap, as a memorial to the late David Dunlap, who died six years ago, and will be known as the "David Dunlap Observatory."

The outstanding feature of the observatory will be a large reflecting telescope 74 inches in diameter. There is only one of greater aperture in the world, that on Mount Wilson, in California.

Canada's Farm Loans

Over Seven Million Distributed Within Two Years

Ottawa, Ont.—At the end of the present fiscal year on March 31 next, when the organization will have been functioning a little less than two years, the Canadian Farm Loan Board will have disbursed nearly $7,000,000 in loans to farmers in six provinces of the Dominion, according to Dr. J. D. McLean, chairman of the board. Up to the present the average loan has been a little over $2,000, and it is pointed out by Dr. McLean that back of the $4,428,000 loaned up to the end of September, the government has securities in the form of lands and buildings valued at about $16,000,000.

Buried In Northland

Atlin, B.C.—Capt. E. J. A. Burke was buried Monday, Dec. 29, in the little graveyard here where other pioneers of this northland sleep. Thus was written the last chapter of an epic of the north which for months had held the interest of thousands in the outside world. Burke died November 28 of exhaustion and starvation while lost with two companions in the Liard River district.

Russian Peasants Shot Down

Vilna, Poland.—Russian peasants who had crossed the Soviet border, said they and a number of others confined to a concentration camp awaiting deportation to Siberia, had been fired upon by Soviet soldiers when they attempted to escape. Forty of the prisoners were killed or wounded, they said. They had been sentenced to Siberia, they said, for resisting collectivization measures.

Six Children Die In Fire

St. Janvier, Que.—Six of the nine children of Henri Labelle suffered a terrible death amid the flames of an early morning fire that destroyed their home in this mountain village. An overheated kitchen stove stoked heavily for the night caused the blaze. Its glowing sheet iron sides set fire to the walls of the room while the Labelle family slept on the floor above.

Repays Old Debt

Malone, N.Y.—Thirty-seven years ago Walter W. Jarvis, 66, Malone florist, and David Knight, 65, were stranded on the western plains of Canada. Jarvis loaned his companion $50 in order that the two could go to Montreal. They separated and recently Knight surprised Jarvis by walking into his florist shop and settling the debt.

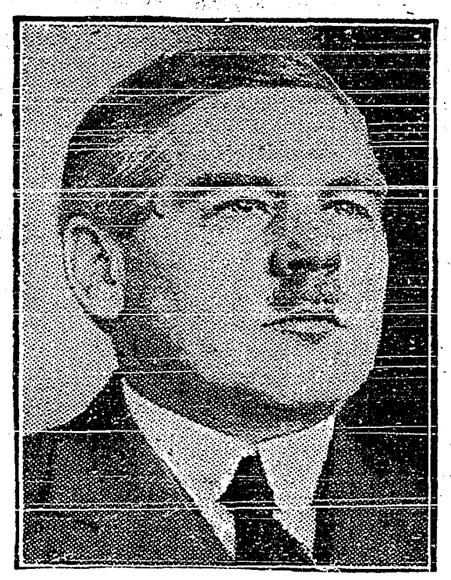
Good Market For Ayrshires

Ottawa, Ont.—"The Royal Winter Fair still maintains its reputation as being not only the great show window for Ayrshire breeders but also as one of the best market places for Ayrshire cattle," says a report of the Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' Association, which gives a detailed synopsis of the successes achieved by this breed of cattle.

Ontario Town Holds Record

Hespeler, Ont.—This town upheld the tradition of 30 years without a mayoralty election. When nominations were called for this year, no opposition was forthcoming to L. E. Wayer's candidacy. All other offices were also filled by acclamation.

MAKES CONTRIBUTION TO SCIENCE



Dr. E. F. Burton, professor of physics at University of Toronto, who, in collaboration with Arnold Pitt, assistant demonstrator, has invented instrument for rapidly measuring quantity of moisture in human and other bodies.

Governor-General Taking New Position

Willingdons Leaving For India Via England On January 16

Ottawa, Ont.—Announcement that the Governor-General and Viscountess Willingdon will leave Canada for England, and subsequently for their new post in India, on January 16, has been made at government house. Their Excellencies will leave Ottawa by special train at noon on Wednesday, January 14, for Saint John, N.B., there to board the steamer "Montclair" for England. The journey to Saint John will be broken at Quebec where Their Excellencies spent several summers, and where they may attend a reception.

Accompanying Their Excellencies will be E. C. Mieville, governor-general's secretary, and Mrs. Mieville, Capt. R. J. Streatfield and Lieut. D. H. Fuller, R.N.

Mr. and Mrs. Mieville will go to India with Their Excellencies. As a consequence of his early departure for England, the last official function of the governor-general in Ottawa was the levee held in the senate chamber of the parliament buildings at noon on New Year's day.

Free Entertainment For Blind

Toronto, Ont.—Captain E. A. Baker, general secretary of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, announced that arrangements have been made with the directors of the Famous Players' Canadian Corporation, Limited, to admit, free, blind people of Canada, together with sighted escorts, to all theatres operated by the corporation throughout Canada.

Harvesting In Alberta

Lethbridge, Alberta. — Something new in winter harvesting was reported December 30, from the thousand-acre Smith farm, five miles east of Lethbridge. Three combines were at work completing the harvesting which was started last August. The grain is perfectly dry and of fairly good color. The grain is averaging about 30 bushels per acre.

Shareholders To Meet

Emergency Meeting Of Shareholders Of Hudson's Bay Company To Be Held January 16

London, England.—An emergency meeting of the shareholders of the Hudson's Bay Company will be held on January 16, to consider the report of the special committee investigating affairs of the company for the last five months.

This report, according to the Daily Herald, will show little prospect of the company being able to earn dividends on either preference or common shares for some time to come.

The Financial Times draws attention to the proposal to segregate the Canadian stores from the company by formation of a Canadian company registered in Canada. The committee also suggested a cut in the number of the company's directors.

Attend Funeral Of Comrade

Members Of Crew Of R-100 Honor Granville Watts

London, England.—Members of the crew of the airship R-100 attended the funeral of Granville Watts, who had declined an offer to become a member of the crew of the R-101 on that vessel's ill-fated air voyage to India, which ended in disaster and the loss of 48 lives. Watts was not satisfied with the airship's condition. He was fatally injured in a motorcycle collision recently.

Watts had been on board the old R-32 when she crashed on Mount Ararat; on the R-32 when she broke her moorings in a storm and drifted for thirty hours; and on the R-100 when she crossed the Atlantic to visit Canada four months ago.

The Lowly Pedestrian

Has Equal Rights With Motorist On Highway, Says Judge

Montreal.—The humble pedestrian has found a champion in Chief Justice Greenshields, who, in rendering judgment in an automobile accident case, stated emphatically that a motor vehicle or vehicle of any kind had no superiority or right of way over "those unfortunate enough or perhaps I should say lucky enough, to use their feet as a method of locomotion. The pedestrian may at all times make use of the highway and every part thereof restrained by municipal legislation."

Four Cornered Fight

Edmonton, Alberta.—Four candidates were nominated here for the Edmonton seat in the provincial legislature made vacant by the death of Colonel C. Y. Weaver. Those in the field are: Colonel F. C. Jamieson, Conservative; Captain J. C. Bowden, Liberal; Elmer Roper, Labor; Jan. Lakeman, Communist.

Report Is Denied

Montreal, Que.—Denial that the Canadian National Railways contemplates any immediate new construction work at its Port Arthur lake terminus was made by S. J. Hungerford vice-president, in charge of operation and construction.

HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Miss Winifred Spooner, British aviatrix, while attempting to break all previous records by flying from London, England, to Cape Town in four days, had a narrow escape from death when her 'plane crashed into the sea off Belmonte Calabro recently. Miss Spooner, who was unhurt, swam ashore, more than a mile, and obtained aid for her co-pilot, Captain Edwards, who was slightly injured. The 'plane was salvaged and towed into port at Belmonte Calabro. Photo shows Miss Spooner peering from wreckage after it was towed ashore.

PREPARE FOR STRUGGLE OVER FREIGHT RATES

Winnipeg, Man. — For a freight rates battle of the future, Manitoba farmers today are lining up a solid front. It will be an agrarian body that first opens fire at Ottawa for a suitable rail and ocean freight rate on the Hudson Bay route to world markets.

Prepared to struggle with a foe, designated as "big interests" in the east, United Farmers of Manitoba are seeking signatures of every farmer in the province to a petition which will be presented to the Dominion government.

The port of Churchill, in far north Manitoba, will mean a saving of "millions of dollars" to western farmers if the Crow's Nest basis of grain rates are secured, if ocean freight rates are placed "on a comparable basis with ocean rates at Montreal," and if a fair basis of rates on general merchandise, such as binder twine, window glass, and paint, from Churchill to all southern Manitoba points is secured, says the petition. But the U.F.M. recognizes opposition.

"Powerful financial interests, centred in the competitive ports of Montreal, Quebec, Saint John and Halifax" will oppose the west's demand for a low grain rate basis, equal to the Crow's Nest rates, the petition anticipates. Large shipping firms at the Atlantic seaboard will combat any move to effect low ocean rates from Churchill.

The farm body also will ask for a "substantial reduction in the present prohibitory marine insurance rate" from the Hudson Bay Port, of 5 per cent.—"which means approximately 5 cents per bushel on wheat." The present insurance rate would alone kill the successful operation of the route, so far as any financial benefit to Manitoba and Saskatchewan farmers is concerned, asserts the petition.

"Maintenance of this excessive marine insurance rate and the maintenance of high ocean rates from Churchill is the aim and object of powerful transportation, financial and manufacturing interests centred in eastern Canada—their determination being to arrange through-transportation rates on our export farm products and our import farm necessities, on such a high basis as will equal the present cost of transportation via the ports of Montreal, Saint John or Halifax."

Once the port of Churchill is opened, the petition declares, it will be "many years" before the freight rates are changed. Thus, farmers of the west must present their demands to Ottawa in good time.

"The fact that tidewater will never be nearer to Manitoba than it is at Churchill, is full of significance to us, and it is, therefore, exceedingly important that we join in this well directed effort to increase the prosperity and purchasing power of the producers of the prairie provinces," the farm unit's petition urges.

Baldwin's New Year's Wish

Hope That Labor Government May Come To Speedy and Unlamented End

London, England.—Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin's "best and most cheerful political New Year wish for 1931" is: "May the present government come to a speedy and unlamented end," he wrote recently in a 1931 message of greeting to the people of Great Britain.

In his message he outlined Conservative plans for remedying economic conditions with an emergency tariff for the protection of manufacturers, a guaranteed price and a guaranteed market for British wheat and a scheme for the development of Empire trade.

"When the general election comes," he wrote, "and I am of the opinion that it won't be long despite the Liberal plot to keep the Socialists in power, we shall make an immediate beginning on a policy to help the process of national recovery.

Local and Personal

C. F. Armstrong was a weekend visitor at his home at Nelson.

Friday evening, January 16th, has been fixed for the annual meeting of Creston board of trade, wh ch will be preceded by the usual dinner. Col. Mallandaine is retiring president.

CHRIST CHURCH
CRESTON

SUNDAY, JAN. 11
CRESTON—7.30 p.m., Evensong.

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4.00 p.m.—CANYON.
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Christ Church annual congregational meeting is scheduled for tonight at the Parish Hall.

Wynndel's intermediate hockey team handed Creston a 5-2 beating at a game at Wynndel on Sunday afternoon.

Fred Payne, who is on the roundhouse staff at Sirdar, is spending a couple of weeks here with his mother, Mrs. E. W. Payne.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow, freshened in December, splendid butter cow. Also quantity of hay. Mrs. A. Cameron, Erickson.

Vital statistics for December show five births, no deaths and there were no marriages. Of the new arrivals four were girls.

Art Reed of the Creston Plumbing & Blacksmith Company, returned on Sunday from a two weeks' holiday with friends in Trail.

A. Comfort returned the latter part of the week from a short visit with his son at Blairmore, Alberta, and with other friends in the Pass.

Creston Farmers' Institute annual meeting is set for Wednesday, Jan. 14th, at 2 p.m., at the town hall. D. Bradley is the retiring president.

Miss Aileen Spratt was a Nelson visitor last week with her sister, Dorothea, who is on the nursing staff of the General Hospital in that city.

The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church announce a masquerade dance for Friday evening, January 20th, at the Parish Hall, to which the admission is 75 cents.

We Pledge Ourselves Anew!

AS THE NEW YEAR STARTS, we take this opportunity to renew our pledge of service and fair dealings with you. We have tried to the utmost of our ability in the past to please you, and will continue in the future, believing that you appreciate it, and will reward us with your continued patronage.

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Bridge and whist drive under the joint auspices of the L.O.L. and L.O.B.A., at t e lodgeroom, over Mercantile store, on Friday evening, January 16th, with cards at eight prompt. Admission 50 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Brown, who have spent the past six months at their ranch, near Olds, Alberta, arrived home on Tuesday and are occupying the former W. S. Watson ranch, which they purchased about a year ago.

H. Cummings, who has been in charge of game warden work at Creston for the past three months, left at the first of the week for the Fort George country, in which he will be permanently located. He is accompanied by Mrs. Cummings.

Miss Marguerite Crawford is at Wynndel this week, where she is in charge of the senior room of the public school. Principal McGregor is well enough to leave Creston hospital, but will not resume teaching until at least next week

J. E. King, a priucipal of Creston school about 20 years ago, and who was at Alice Siding in 1916-17, since when he has taught the superior school at New Denver, died in that town on December 21st. He was a native of Prince Edward Island.

Elsewhere in this issue appears the official certificate of approval in connection with the licensing of the Goat River canyon to South Kootenay Water Power Company According to it the company has until the first of July to commence work.

FULL GOSPEL TABERNACLE—Sunday: 11 a.m., Morning Worship; 2.30 p.m., Sunday School; 7.30 p.m., Evangelistic. Tuesday: 8 p.m , Prayer meeting. Thursday: 8 p.m., Evangelistic. Friday: 8 p.m., Young People. Everybody welcome.

The New Year eve dance at the Grand theatre ballroom attracted a splendid attendance, with all points in the valley sending delegations. The music was by Al. Fredericks' orchestra which was playing at top form, and the dance was much enjoyed by all.

As compared with 1929 the stork had a slightly better showing ih 1930. A year ago the total births were 49 as compared with 54 the year just closed. 1929 had 15 marriages as compared with 13 in 1930, and there were but 19 deaths in 1929 as compared with 23 in 1930.

The curlers had a meeting at the firehall on Friday night at which the 1931 skips were chosen and all arrangements made for opening the season. 40 regulars and four spare players have already enrolled and the best season in the history of the sport is looked for.

The westbound train is due at Creston at 5 44 p.m., not 5.51 as stated last week. The new all rail connection with Nelson went into effect on Thursday last. There has been a shakeup in the conductors, one of the regular runs now being taken by D. D. McLean of Nelson, who was the federal Liberal candidate last July.

Mr. E. Wickstrom's motto is "Every day alike." But he found it different on the evening of January 3rd, when a large number of neighbors took possession of his house and remained until the early hours of the morning. Everything passed off pleasantly with songs, games and refreshments—except the mishap of a broken high priced chair.

The annual meeting of Creston Valley Public Library Association is called for 3 p.m., Saturday, January 10th, at the library at the town hall at which a full turnout of members and all interested is asked as the matter of continuing the library will be up for discussion. At present memberships for three months, at 50 cents, are all that will be accepted.

The Junior Auxiliary of Christ Church had the annual meeting on Saturday afternoon at which officers for 1931 were elected as follows: President, Margaret Blinco; vice-president, Minnie Downes; secretary, Aileen Spratt; treasurer, Margaret Stapleton. Miss Wade was again chosen supervisor. During 1930 the girls placed a baptisimal fount roll in the church and on their birthdays all the babies that have been christened are sent birthday cards, and a record kept for Sunday school purposes.

The Maple Leaf Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church had their annual meeting at the December session of the auxiliary at which officers were elected as follows: President, Hughena McCreath; vice-president, Doris Beulinger; secretary, Ruth Hare; treasurer, Theo Tompkins. The attendance at the regular meetings was well maintained throughout the year. Mrs. Sherwood, who has been in charge of the girls for the past two years, was unable to accept reappointment and for 1931 Mrs. Henderson will act as supervisor.

Trinity United Church ladies' aid were guests of Mrs. Maxwell for the annual meeting on Thursday afternoon last, which attracted a large turnout, 1931 officials are muc the same as for the year just closed. President, Mrs. G. Cartwright; vice-president, Mrs. W. Hendy; secretary, Mrs W. H. Crawford; treasurer, Mrs. A. L. Palmer. The aid had their usual dinner, bazaar and teas throughout the year and the intake was fully up to 1929 standard.

The December meeting of Creston L.O B.A. was featured by the election of officers for 1931, with the following ladies chosen to take charge:

W.M.—Mrs. Spratt.
I.P.M.—Mrs. Sherwood.
D.M.—Mrs. Downes.
Chaplain—Mrs. Diana Ross.
Secy.-Treas—Mrs. Kernaghan.
Fin. Secy.—Mrs. H. H. Taylor.
D. of C —Mrs. Maud Ross.

Installation of the officers took place at the January meeting, and the ladies are starting off the year with a bridge and whist on the 16th, in aid of the orphanage fund.

The advisory committee of sever, named at the local B.C.F.G.A. meeting on December 29th, had a meeting on Monday afternoon, w ich was in charge of D. Bradley, who was elected committee chairman. All angles of central selling as they are likely to come before the convention at Kelowna on the 20th were discussed and it was finally decided that the director, W. G. Littlejoon, should return immediately after this conference and a meeting of the valley orchardists will be called for the 26th or 27th, at which Mr. Littlejohn will report and it will then be decided how many to send to Victoria to appear before the legislature's committee on agriculture. Those comprising the local committee are D. Bradley, Farmers' Institute; Jas. Compton, Creston Fruit Exchange; G. E. VanAckeran, Scott Fruit Company; Frank Putnam, Creston Growers; W. R. Long, Long Allan & Long; Col. Lister, M.P.P., and W. G. Littlejohn.

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