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Canyon City

Miss Muriel Knott was a visitor with her sister, Mrs. Barnhart, at Glenlilly, at the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs L. W. Stephens and family are this week moving into the house on the former Geo. Davie ranch, after occupying the Halstead residence since October.

Mrs. Campbell Blair got back on Friday from England, where she has been on a holiday visit for almost six months.

A meeting of the school board is called for Saturday night at 7.30 at which the question of erecting a teacherage will be up for discussion.

The February meeting of the Farmers, Institute will also be held on Saturday night, immediately after tho close of the school board session.

The Canyon orchestra, under the leadership of Principal Stephens is holding weekly practices, each Tuesday night, at the schoolhouse, and will make their first appearance on Saturday evening, 14th, at the Farmers' Institutes benefit concert

Monday was the day the bear made his appearance to get a line on the weat er and we have it from E Nouguier the greatest living local authority on bears, that bruin was unable to see hi shadow and is remaining out—an unfailing sign winter is at an end.

Another local resident who concurs in Mr. Nouguier's observation is A. G. Samuelson who saw a robin almost a week ago, and who is also convinced there will be little, if any, more cold weather.

The United Church Ladies' Aid had their annual meeting last week, when all the 1930 officers were re-elected as follows: Presidene, Mrs. McRobb; vice-president, Mrs. D. Rogers; secretary, Mrs. W. Cook; treasurer, Miss Emma Samuelson. Financially 1930 was the best year the aid has ha l for some time.

Wynndel

Birth—On January 29th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Popovich. a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Eakin and son, George, of Vancouver, arrived last week to again take up residence on their ranch at Wynndel.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulme and family are now occupying the Ashley Cooper ranch.

J. Whittman was a business visitor at Cranbrook over the weekend.

The K.K. Klub are having a dance in the hall this Friday evening, 6th, with Al. Fredericks' orchestra music.

The February meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary is at the home of Mrs. Greig on Wednesday next, 11th, at 2.30 p.m.

A very enjoyable evening was spent on Saturday in the annex of the hall, where a social bridge drive was held. High score prizes went to Miss O. Hagen and J. Hulme, with the consolation honors taken home by Mrs. R. Price and A. Rudd.

A meeting of those of the K.K. Klub interested in the staging of a concert or play was held on Monday evening. The majority were in favor of a play, and Doug. Butterfield was chosen director for same. Several plays were suggested and it was left to the director and a named committee, Miss D. Payette, A. E. Towson and F. Hagen to select one and then name the producing cast. The play will be put on in about six weeks.

The K.K. Klub meeting on Wednesday night last was made interesting with a debate, Resolved "That married life is preferable to single life." Mrs. R. Price and Doug. Butterfield opened the argument for married, with Miss D. Butterfield and Sam Steenstrup for the opposition. Excellent arguments were put up by both sides, but the vote was in favor of the benedicts' cause.

GRAND THEATRE
FRI.-SAT., FEB. 13-14

HELLO, FOLKS! We are back again with a bang with

SOUND EQUIPMENT ALL READY TO GO

and we are going to open with THE SMILE-A-MINUTE TALKIE

'Love in the Rough'

It has Song Hits galore, Pep, Laughs, Love—its a winner, with ROBT. MONTGOMERY and DOROTHY JORDAN.

SPECIAL ACTS

COLORTONE REVUE

A Gorgeous Masterpiece bring the best Songs, Music, Dances and Talent of the presentation stage to Motion Pictures in Technicolors.

METROTONE NEWS

ALL-TALKING NEWS REEL

Kitchener

Mrs. Cavanaugh and two sons of Kimberley were weekend visitors here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson.

W. A. Hale of Spokane was a business visitor here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clemens of Spokane were Kitchener visitors this week, making the trip with Mr. Hale.

Geo. Hunt has finished hauling and decking his season's cut of cedar poles.

Mrs. A. LePage, with her young son and daughter, are this week guests of her uncle, Teddy Clauson, at Cranbrook.

Mrs. B. Johnson is on a visit with her sister at Spokane this week, making the trip by auto.

The annual meeting of the Leadville Mining Company, Limited, was held at the Kitchener Hotel on Monday evening, when the usual routine business was transacted. Messrs. C. F. Hayes, N. P. Molander, W. A. Hale, Ira Franks, E. J. West, A. G. Strudwicke were elected to the directorate.

Lister

Birth—On February 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. Hans. Lindhorst, a son.

Bert Yerbury was combining business with pleasure on a visit of a few days at Nelson last week.

Mrs. Ed. Smith left on Tuesday, for Kimberley, where she is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phillips. It is pleasing to hear that Mr. Phillips' health continues to improve.

Rev. A. Garlick was here from Creston on Sunday morning for Anglican Church service and had a good turnout of worshippers.

Lister-Huscroft Farmers' Institute members are meeting on Monday night to complete the unfinished business of the annual meeting early in January. Orders will be taken for stumping powder as it is proposed to order the first lot immediately.

The Com unity Society are having a novelty bridge at the schoolhouse on Saturday uight, February 7th, with Mrs. Powers and A. W. Sinclair the committee in charge.

Quite a number from Creston and some other points were here on Tuesday night for the February meeting of Creston Valley Post of the Canadian Legion, held in the schoolhouse.

The January report of Lister schoo shows that an average attendance of 93 per cent. was maintained for the month. Those taking highest standings were: Grade 7—Douglas McKee' Erwin Meyer. Grade 6—Clara Domke, Frank Yerbury. Grade 5—Douglas Sinclair, Clara Meyer. Grade 4—Erika Meyer, Cyril Bird. Grade 3—Margaret Sinclair, Johanna Daus. Grade 2—Alice Wellspring, Margaret Dent. Grade 1a—Elsie Ramm, Daniel Domke. Grade 1b—Antonia Reimer Herbert Stieb.

Perfect attendance—Millie Beard, Cyril Bird, Mary Daus, Margaret Dent, Clara Domke, Martha Domke, Helen Gustafson, Clara Meyer, Erika Meyer, Raymond McKee, Manning Powers, Margaret Sinclair, Elsie Ramm, Alice Wellspring, Rosematy Wolfrum.

Kitchener Has Airplane Crash

American Aviator, Accompanied by Family, Forced Down on Mondap—Humans Unhurt but Plane is Badly Damaged.

For the second time in ess than a year Kitchener has been the scene of a forced airplane landing. Monday afternoon about tw: o'clock a plane was noticed to be in trouble. Coming over Kitchener mountain it circled east and in landing on the Paulson meadows at the M7 ranch, which is covered with about two feet of snow, the plane, a Stinson cabin monoplane. broke the under carriage and turned turtle.

Harry Redmile, manager of the ranch, was close by loading hay, and immediately went to gi e assistance. He found George R. Hutchinson, Mrs. Hutchinson and their two young daughters, Kathryn Blanche, 8, and Janet Lee, 5, all badly bruised and shaken up, but otherwise undamaged. There was also a three months' old lion pup answering to the name of Governor and although his cage was smashed completely the lion cub got off without a scratch. Later Redmile motored the party to the Kitchener hotel, where they were well looked after, and were later visited by Dr. Olivier of Creston.

Mr. Hutchinson started on Monday morning from Helena, Montana, for Seattle, Wash., but running into a dense fog seems to have lost his bearings and was fortunate to get out of the mist and into clearer going as his engine was missing through shortage of gas.

He is the bearer of a Prosperity Message from President Hoover to the g vernors of all the States, having already visited 28, covering 7000 miles in the last three weeks The plane will be shipped by rail to Spokane, and after the needed repairs are effected Mr. Hutchinson and family will continue their trip to the remaining States.

Never a week passes without planes passing over Kitchener and this crash, coming so soon after the last, surely points out the urgent need of an emergency field as although no lives have been lost in either of these, other mishaps may not end so fortunately. A site was surveyed here last summer by the Canadian Royal Engineers in conjunction with the air-mail authorities and W. L. Hathaway has generously offered to give the land necessary for a landing field so that the cost would be only for preparing which, if undertaken right now. would greatly help the unemployed in this locality.

Local and Personal

O. N. Jacobson of Cranbrook was a business visitor here at the first of the week. He is promiently identified with the syndicate that proposes building a new hotel at Creston, a definite announcement concerning which is looked for next week.

Announcement is made this week that the opening presentation of the "talkies" at the Grand will take place on Friday next, February 13th and 14th, when "Love in the Rough" will be presented, along with a two reel Metrotone News.

Page McPhee, pilot of the W. M. Archibald plane, was called to Kitchener on Monday afternoon, to assist with the salvagi g of the U.S. plane belonging to Capt. Hutchinson, which was wrecked in a forced landing on the Paulson meadows that afternoon.

The big dance of the month is scheduled for Friday evening next at Canyon City in the community hall, with novelty features, and the music by A. Fredericks' orchestra. It is under Legion auspices and the admission is $1.50 per couple. supper included.

Up till the end of January 172 auto licenses have been issued at the office of Creston provincial police, accounting for a cash intake of almost $3490. This accounts for an increased payment in this respect as compared with January 1930, of $1109. At the first of February last year only 119 auto licenses had been issued.

J H. Webster has moved from the Fleetwood residence at the corner of Victoria Avenue and Hillside Road into the new house in Albert street at the north end, recently erected by Algot Anderson. Mrs. J. E. Johnston, who recently arrived from Pincher Creek, Alberta, will take the house vacated by the Websters.

This week we are denied the privilege of featuring the "Off again, on again, gone again" feature of the past few issues as to curling for the reason the weather has been altogether too mild. In fact it will take three or four nights of zero weather to get the ice in shape to resume play. As yet not a single one of the five cup competitions have been completed.

The veneer mill at the C. O. Rodgers box factory commenced operations last week and is employing a number of extra hands, including four girls who are assembling the sheets of veneer that will be used in the making of strawberry and raspberry hallocks as well as tin tops for the 1931 crop. In 1930 the Rodgers plant turned out over 950,000 pint strawberry and raspberry cups, as well as a very large quantity of the 5 and 8-pound tintops.

Christ Church Junior Auxiliary had quite a good turnout at their masquerade dance in the Parish Hall on Friday night although the number in costume was rather small and the attendance of men was lighter than usual. The prize for the best dressed lady went to Mrs. Dunc. Weston as Gipsy. Second prize was awarded Miss Lillian Trevelyan, Dutch Girl. The prize for the balloon dance was won by Misses Betty Kemp and Leah Cannady, and the spotlight waltz honors went to Miss Marie Walsh and Roy Leask (Cranbrook(. A splendid supper was served and the affair was much enjoyed by all.

Valentine Tea

and

Sale of Cooking

Under the auspices of Erickson Ladies' Guild of Christ Church at

MRS. PUTNAM'S
Erickson

WED., FEB. 11th

3.00 to 5.30 p.m.

AFTERNOON TEA
HOME COOKING
on Sale

EVERYBODY WELCOME!

Erickson

Miss Margaret Speaker arrived from Cranbrook on Wednesday last, on a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Fred Speaker.

Mrs. McMaster, who has spent the past month on o visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hetherington, at Snoqualmie Falls, Wash., arrived home on Friday.

Rev. A. Garlick was here for Church of England service at the schoolhouse on Sunday afternoon, and was favored with an unusually large congregation.

Erickson Christ Church Guild held their February meeting on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. John Hall.

Miss Merle McMaster, who has been visiting her aunt in Yahk, for some weeks, has returned home.

A number of men from this section left at the middle of the week to work on government operations near Kuskanook.

The mild weather of the past week has started most of the orchard owners at their pruning.

Erickson Christ Church Guild are having a St. Valentine tea and sale of cooking and sewing at the home of Mrs. Putnam on Wednesday afternoon, February 11th.

Alice Siding

Harry Compton who is assistant C.P.R. agent at McGillivray, arrived on Sunday on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Compton.

Fred Baker of Yahk is a visitor this week with Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly.

Miss Marion Collis is spending a few weeks on a visit with friends in Penticton.

Miss Athena Schade, who is employed at Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, arrived at the end of the week on a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Schade.

The attendance at the Sunday school continues to increase and a third teacher will be needed next Sunday if the turnout is on a par with last Sabbath.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald of Kensley, Alberta, have arrived on a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly.

The Whist Club had the best turnout of the season at last Friday night's gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pease. Ten tables were in play and the high score prizes were made by Miss Elsa Willis and Ron. Smith.

Mrs. Pope and Mrs. Marshall continue to make satisfactory progress following the painful mishaps they sustained about a week ago.

Sirdar

Mr. and Mrs. Gillie arrived home from a six weeks' visit with the former's mother. in Montreal. They have taken up residence in the J. Cameron house.

Miss Aileen Heap returned to Nelson on Saturday after a week's visit with her parents.

Mr. Leveque was a weekend visitor at Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs Ellwood Schultz of Spokane were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Heap last week.

Miss Annie Pascuzzo was visiting at her home for the weekend from Yahk

Mrs. Jim Pascuzzo arrived home on Tuesday from Trail, where she has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cooper.

Miss Rosie Pascuzzo and Mr. McDonald were Sunday visitors at Yahk.

Mrs. Parento and Miss Mary Parento arrived home Monday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Wayne, Alberta, and Kimberley. .

Miss Gwen Wilson is on a visit with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harlow, at Nelson.

Sid McCabe was a visitor from Cranbrook for the weekend at his home in Sirdar.

K.K. KLUB

DANCE

in

Community Hall
WYNNDEL

on

FRIDAY, FEB. 6

Al. Fredericks' Orchestra

Come down and get acquainted with our new hall.

Gents, $1.00 Ladies, 50c

Supper included.

102 million more cups of Salada tea were consumed in 1930 than in 1929 by the people of Canada.

Taking the Census

One of the important pieces of work to be undertaken by the Federal Government this year is the census enumeration of the people of Canada, and the compiling of a vast amount of other information dealing with the status of our citizenship, and indicating the development of the Dominion within the past ten years.

The taking of the census is a big job, and an exceedingly important one. It requires elaborate and complete organization, careful publicity to acquaint people with what is expected of them when the enumerators call, and a small army of men to gather the information required, and another large group of experts to assemble and classify the information when it is received by the Department at Ottawa.

It is quite possible that some people look upon the taking of the census as a matter of comparatively small importance, and that, at this time especially, the large expenditure of money involved could be put to much better use. Such a view, however, is not only very superficial but quite erroneous. Taking the census is important in any country, but in no other country does it have quite so pronounced an effect as in Canada, and more especially in Western Canada.

In the first place, the representative of each Province of the Dominion in the House of Commons at Ottawa is based upon the census figures. The constitution of Canada stipulates that the basis of representation in the House of Commons shall be one member for each one-sixty-fifth of the population of Quebec. That is, Quebec shall be represented by sixty-five members regardless of its population. Dividing the total population of Quebec by sixty-five gives the number of people represented by each member, and that same number of people in each of the other Provinces become entitled to a member. In other words, an absolutely fair basis of representation is thus arrived at.

Money grants to the Provinces from the Dominion treasury are also based upon population, but in the case of the Western Provinces a larger number of grants rest on this basis than is true of other Provinces. For example, grants to these Provinces in lieu of lands increase as population increases until the maximum is reached. Consequently it is important that an absolutely accurate census of our people be recorded, and especially so in the case of the West which is the most rapidly growing section of the Dominion. Increased western representation at Ottawa will likely have a profound effect upon national policies, while larger money grants will enable our provincial governments to meet the growing needs of these western communities.

The census is likewise a national stock-taking. It will reveal the extent of our growth and development as Provinces and as a Dominion within the past ten years. It will reveal to us evidences of national strength and disclose where weaknesses exist. For all these reasons it is important that every citizen fully co-operates with the enumerators and officials in making the census this year complete and accurate in every respect.

The census of 1931 will be the seventh decennial census of Canada since Confederation. It will be of interest to recall what the previous six "counting of noses" disclosed in the matter of Canada's population. Following Confederation in 1867, the first census was taken in 1871 and revealed a population of 3,485,761. By 1881 the population has grown to 4,342,810; in 1891 to 4,833,239; in 1901 to 5,371,315; in 1911 to 7,206,643, and in 1921 to 8,788,483.

It will be noted that whereas between 1881 and 1891, and between 1891 and 1901, the population increased by only half a million in each ten year period, the increase between 1901 and 1911 was nearly two million, and between 1911 and 1921 a million and a half. That is, whereas Canada's population only increased by one million in the last 20 years of the nineteenth century, it increased by three and one-half million in the first 20 years of the twentieth century.

The settlement of these Western Provinces accounted for much of this larger increase. In later years, however, there has not been the same phenomenal flow of immigration into the West, while on the other hand, the great productive and purchasing power of the West has contributed enormously to the industrial growth and prosperity of Eastern Canada. As a result, this year's census may not disclose the same ratio of increase in the West as compared with the East.

In view, however, of the important bearing which the census has upon both the economic life and the public administration of affairs of Canada it is, let it be repeated, of the utmost importance that all citizens co-operate thoroughly with the army of officials entrusted with taking this year's census in order that it may be a most efficient and reliable statistical record of the Dominion.

Canadian Construction Figures

Construction In Canada During Year 1930 Was Well Above Average

The value of all construction contracts awarded during 1930 as compiled by MacLean Building Reports, Limited, amounted to $456,999,600 as compared with $576,651,800 in 1929; and while this is a decrease of 20.7 per cent., it is to be noted that the year 1929 was the most active year for building that Canada has ever had, being 22.1 per cent. ahead of 1928. The totals for 1930 by provinces were: Ontario, $175,459,000; Quebec, $154,672,000; British Columbia, $32,987,000; Saskatchewan, $27,361,000; Alberta, $25,081,000; Manitoba, $22,010,000; New Brunswick, $11,067,000; Nova Scotia, $7,238,000 and Prince Edward Island, $1,120,000.

American investments abroad now total more than $7,000,000,000.

Cuba now has nearly 2,000 miles of federal highways.

CORNS
Lift Right Off—No Pain
PUTNAM'S Corn Extractor

Export Of Totem Poles

Investigation Is Ordered In Respect To Carload Shipment

Acting on representations from Premier S. F. Tolmie, of British Columbia, the Dominion Government ordered an investigation into the removal of a carload of totem poles shipped from Prince Rupert for a United States museum.

The car will not be allowed out of Canada pending the enquiry. The premier, on being informed of this shipment, telegraphed immediately to Prime Minister R. B. Bennett, protesting on the ground that the fast-dying art of the totem should be preserved as far as possible. Mr. Bennett telegraphed Dr. Tolmie recently, assuring him that the whole matter would be the subject of thorough investigation.

MIDDLE AGE

A Critical Time For All Women

"I am beginning to feel my age" is the confession many a woman has to make when she reaches the critical time of middle life. There is no need, however, to think you are too old to be well and happy.

Perhaps you have lost your grip on things; perhaps the old vigor and energy is lacking; you get tired easily, and your limbs ache terribly. Often your back seems ready to break and the pain is unbearable.

Your blood is at fault—it has become thin and impure and does not give the health-giving nourishment to the body. What you need is a treatment of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They will set you right. They actually make rich, red, health-giving blood and this good blood will drive out all your aches and pains.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will banish headaches, backaches, nervousness and lack of appetite, and in their place will come new energy and happiness. You can get these Pills at all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Evolution Of the Windmill

New Use For Windmill Is In Connection With Airplanes

Windmills, like many other things and people, have moved with the times. In their new guise, they may possibly not be so picturesque as their forerunners, but they are playing an important part in the industrial life.

Modern windmills pump water, also supply electric light for lighthouses.

The most up-to-date use for the windmill is in connection with airplanes. The auto-giro, or windmill 'plane, is now so far advanced that Thomas Edison, the world-famous inventor, has expressed his firm belief that this invention will revolutionize world flying.

Miller's Worm Powders will eradicate the worm evil that bears so heavily on children and is believed to cause many fatalities. They are an acceptable medicine to children and can be fully relied upon to clear the food channels thoroughly of these destructive parasites and restore the inflamed and painful surfaces to healthfulness. They are an excellent remedy for these evils.

Light Fiction

Novel reading can become a habit as harmful as tea-drinking and indulged in with as much mental benefit. It is too easy to be of value. No reading is of any cultural value unless it demands something from us. A book has to be at least a little difficult to be worth reading at all. — Everyman (London), England.

Heal your horse while it works. Apply Douglas' Egyptian Liniment to sore necks and galls. A sure, speedy treatment.

First Rogue: "How did you manage to cheat your cousin out of his inheritance?"

Second Rogue: "I just set to work with a will."

for COUGHS
Take half a teaspoonful of Minard's in molasses. Heat Minard's, inhale it. Also rub it well into your chest.
You'll get relief!
MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

Homestead Regulations

Changes Made On Recommendation Of Minister Of the Interior

Regulations governing the conversion of patented pre-emptions or purchased homesteads into soldier grants have been altered in an order-in-council noted in the Canada Gazette. Changes have been made on recommendation of Hon. T. G. Murphy, Minister of Interior, who found that several applicants are debarred from making such conversion on the ground that they had already obtained patent for their pre-emption or purchased homestead.

The new provisions are as follows:

"1. Where patent for a pre-emption or purchased homestead has been issued, or where such patent has not yet been issued, if the holder of the pre-emption or purchased homestead is permitted to convert the same into a soldier-entry grant, all sums paid on account of principal or interest in connection with the said pre-emption or purchased homestead may, upon application, be refunded to the holder of the land, or to the soldier settlement board in cases where an advance has been made under the provisions of the Soldier Settlement Act.

"2. The foregoing regulation shall be deemed to be retroactive in its application."

Deaf Children Are Happy

Little Ones At Belleville School Do Not Feel Handicap

"No finer demonstration of the rapid advance which has been made in the care and treatment of deaf children can be found than at the Ontario School for the Deaf at Belleville," says the Ottawa Journal. "No sign of sadness, no sense of handicap or futility is to be found amongst these children, and despite the fact that 90 per cent. of them cannot hear a single word, they carry on animated conversations, play games, sing and dance, just the same as other little ones who have no such handicap."

"Did you cancel all my engagements as I told you, Smithers?"

"Yes, sir, but Lady Millicent didn't take it very well. She said you were to marry her next Monday!"

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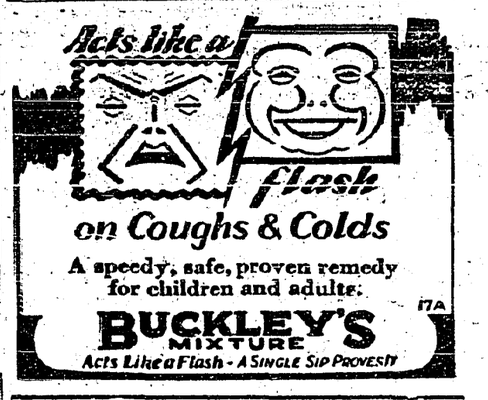
Chilblains, Frost Bite
Quickly Healed by Zam-Buk.
Ointment 50c Medicinal Soap 25c.



Means Thousands To Montreal

City Is Beginning and End Of All Trans-Canada Trains

There are no through trains in Montreal. Every train either ends or begins here. Even New York has through trains through Hell Gate Bridge, and Montreal for an inland city stands alone with Chicago in this regard. Inasmuch as you can get from east to west in the States without going through the Windy City gateway, while it cannot be done in Canada, without passing through Montreal, that phase of Montreal's railway position is unique. It is worth thousands of dollars to Montreal every year.

Montreal is the head office for the two greatest railway companies in the world.

You can go farther on one sleeper out of Montreal than from any other city except Vancouver, which of course shares Montreal's position. One can travel 2,944 miles by C.N.R. and 2,885 miles by C.P.R. without changing cars or trains.

By changing at Montreal, without leaving the station one can therefore take a journey of 3,971 miles in Canada. No wonder they speak of Canada as a land of magnificent distances!

Firewood for cooking is still used in more than half the farm homes of New Hampshire, judging from a recent survey.

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS
Price 50c a box

Felt Tired Out All Day
Could Not Sleep at Night

Mrs. Aldamond Lalonde, 2481 St. James St., Montreal, Que., writes:—"After a spell of the grippe I was left very nervous, and felt drowsy and tired out all day, and could not sleep at night. I was also troubled with my heart and did not feel at all like working. I was told about Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and after taking four boxes I was completely relieved of my trouble, and can recommend your Pills to everyone."

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Western Representatives:
HUNTER-MARTIN & CO., REGINA, SASK.

MAJORITY FOR LABOR ON TRADES DISPUTES BILL

London, England.—In a packed and excited House of Commons the government got through the second reading of the Trades Disputes Bill by a majority of 27.

The government majority was larger even than had been expected. Only seven other Liberals voted with Sir John Simon in opposition to the bill and with the Conservative opposition. One Liberal supported the bill by his vote; the rest abstained from recording their opinion.

As soon as the result of this vote was announced, Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, Conservative chief, moved that the bill be referred to a committee of the whole House.

Again the House divided. This time, however, the majority of the Liberals voted with the government, and the MacDonald majority rose to 62. The net result is—in the parlance of Westminster—that the bill will go "upstairs" for committee consideration clause by clause. The committee stage will be passed in a standing committee instead of the committee of the whole where the possibility of a government defeat on a matter of detail is always present.

The final day's debate on the bill opened in breezy style with Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill on his feet. It ambled along with the contributions of back-benchers during the dinner period and ended snappily with Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, the secretary of state for the Dominions.

Mr. Churchill described the trades unions as pampered pets heaped with privileges under the new bill. The Laborites continually interrupted Mr. Churchill with ironical cheers.

"Why," Mr. Churchill asked, in reference to levies, "why should a patriotic Conservative trades unionist have to subscribe to the political fund of the cosmopolitan Socialist? Why should a Catholic have to subscribe to a fund, perhaps, of an Agnostic or an Atheist?

These words brought a Labor storm.

"Filthy argument," one Laborite shouted.

Mr. Churchill spoke of the Liberal decision not to vote as an outrage of the first order.

"What," Mr. Churchill asked, "has become of the Liberal traditions?"

Here a Laborite interrupted, pointing at Mr. Churchill, said: "He's not a tradition; he's an extradition," and a roar of laughter went up from the House.

The Liberals had compromised on the bill, Mr. Churchill added, they might not dislike it much in the House of Commons, but they were going to hate it like poison "upstairs." Mr. Churchill finished by comparing Prime Minister MacDonald with the "boneless wonder" of a circus.

Mining Men To Meet

Delegates From All Parts Of Canada and U.S. To Attend

Ottawa, Ont.—Delegates from all parts of Canada and some from United States are expected to attend the annual meeting of the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy from March 4 to 6. Papers on the latest developments in Canada's mining industry will be delivered and many social functions have been arranged.

G. G. Duncan will present a paper on exploration work in the northwest territories, particularly around the Coppermine River; J. P. Nome will refer to developments around Great Bear Lake and John Drybrough will speak on the nickeliferous ores of the west coast of Hudson Bay.

Russian Trade Delegations

London, England.—Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, secretary of foreign affairs, informed a questioner in House of Commons that he was not aware of any negotiations looking to the establishment of Russian trade delegations in any of the Dominions.

A new law makes compulsory the establishment of a public library in every municipality of Czecho-Slovakia.

Need For Early Session

Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King Issues a Statement

Ottawa, Ont.—With the declaration that in some parts of Canada today the distress is greater than it has ever been, Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King, leader of the Opposition, has issued a statement calling upon the prime minister to shed some light on when parliament will meet. Notwithstanding that the government has had a free hand with its policies and expenditures, "conditions in Canada today are much worse than they were at the time of the calling of the special session in September last," asserts Mr. King.

"There is, at present, much more need for the regular annual session of parliament to consider the conditions of the country's affairs than there was for any special session in September," added the Opposition leader.

Mr. King remarks that "the pretext that the reassembling of parliament should wait over until the arrival in Canada of the new Governor-General cannot be taken seriously." He comments on the fact that Premier R. B. Bennett is going to Washington, and expresses the hope that "before the prime minister embarks upon further missions which take him away from Canada he will at least let the country know when it may expect the reassembling of its parliament."

No Acreage Cut

Says Manitoba Farmers Will Trust To a Turn In the Wheel Of Fortune

Winnipeg, Man.—Manitoba farmers will "trust to a turn in the wheel of I. B. Griffiths, member for Russell, fortune" next spring at seeding time, declared in the legislature as he moved adoption of the Speech from the Throne, delivered by the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. J. D. MacGregor. Farmers were uncertain, Mr. Griffiths asserted, and he doubted if many would reduce their grain acreage to any extent.

Nicholas A. Hryhorczuk, Liberal member for Ethelbert, seconded the speech-adoption motion, and debate was adjourned by Lieut.-Col. F. G. Taylor, Conservative leader.

Mr. Griffiths believed farmers who accepted the statement of Conservatives in the last Dominion election that Canada's economic depression was due to the Mackenzie King government, had learned the fallacy of those assertions. Farm product prices had crashed since election day, he said, and unemployment had increased.

With reference to the Conservative demands for an election, Mr. Hryhorczuk doubted if the people of Manitoba were prepared to change their government. But they did want co-operation of all parties, he insisted.

Precedence Given To High Commissioners

King Gives Order As To Rank On Ceremonial Occasions

London, England.—Office of the secretary of state for the Dominions announces that His Majesty has directed that the high commissioners of the Dominions in London and also the high commissioner for India will rank immediately after the British secretaries of state on all ceremonial occasions other than those when ministers of the crown are present from the Dominions.

This announcement implements the decision reached at the Imperial Conference regarding the precedence to be accorded to the high commissioners.

Position of the Dominion's representative, in relation to a minister of the crown visiting the United Kingdom from the Dominion remain unaltered, the minister being given precedence immediately before the high commissioner concerned.

Increase In Govt. Employees

Regina, Sask.—An increase of 351 in the number of employees in the various departments of the government over the number employed as at Sept. 9, 1929, is shown in a return to the order of the assembly. This return includes the employees of the liquor board, the farm loans board and the power commission.

PROMINENT CANADIAN BANKER

Sir John Aird, president of Canadian Bank of Commerce, which held a general meeting of executives in magnificent new building at Toronto, the highest in the British Empire, which will now be open to public prior to official opening ceremony.

Passengers Ordered Deported

Britishers On C.P.R. Ship Barred From Landing In Canada

Vancouver, B.C.—Two passengers off the liner "Empress of Russia," which arrived here from the Orient, Captain W. Little and L. Mercer, have been ordered deported by an immigration board of inquiry. Appeals have been lodged in Ottawa against the rulings.

Captain Little was just discharged from the Indian army and was on his way to join relatives in Toronto. Mercer, from Shanghai, an engineer of the steamer "Hedwig," which was wrecked a few months ago off China, said he intended to settle in Canada.

The deportations were ordered under the government regulation which bars all but practical farmers and wives of bona-fide Canadian residents from entering the country.

Manitoba Seed Fair

Will Be Held In Conjunction With Winter Fair On March 16

Brandon, Man.—Judging by early inquiries, the provincial seed fair to be held in conjunction with the Manitoba Winter Fair, March 16 to 20, will be larger than ever. Now in its seventh year, the seed fair has grown by leaps and bounds and it cramped the generous show space in the Arena building last year. As the fair is an opportunity for growers of surplus grain, grass or clover seeds to get in touch with prospective purchasers, the exhibition is expected to have more than its usual interest in March.

Claim Commander Was Drunk

Crew Of Canadian Vessel Testify Against United States Officer

New York.—Seamen from the Nova Scotia power boat "Josephine K." appeared before the coastguard board of inquiry to testify that Boatswain Karl Schmidt of the "CG-145" was drunk when he boarded the Canadian vessel after its capture near Ambrose Light. Schmidt, who had admitted he fired the shots, one of which fatally injured the boat's master, William Cluett, Lunenberg, N.S., was in court and heard witnesses swear that after the capture he continued drinking in the forecastle of the rum-runner.

Louis Selig, who described himself as an able seamen from Halifax, N.S., gave the main testimony for members of the crew. Schmidt, he said, seemed "good and drunk" when he saw him shortly after the "Josephine K." was boarded. The boatswain had pointed a gun at Allan Falkenham, Lunenburg; and maintained he would have to shoot because Falkenham's name did not appear on the ship's crew list. Schmidt, he said, staggered, his face was red and his eyes "glaring." The commander of the "CG-145" stayed in the forecastle several hours, and while there consumed six bottles of ale and two drinks of rye whiskey, during which time all members of the "Josephine K's" crew had an opportunity to witness his condition.

Seaman Allan Falkenham said he thought Schmidt drunk; that he waved a gun and told him he would shoot him if he didn't belong to the ship. Harry Jewell said: "He was falling all over himself, and rolling around."

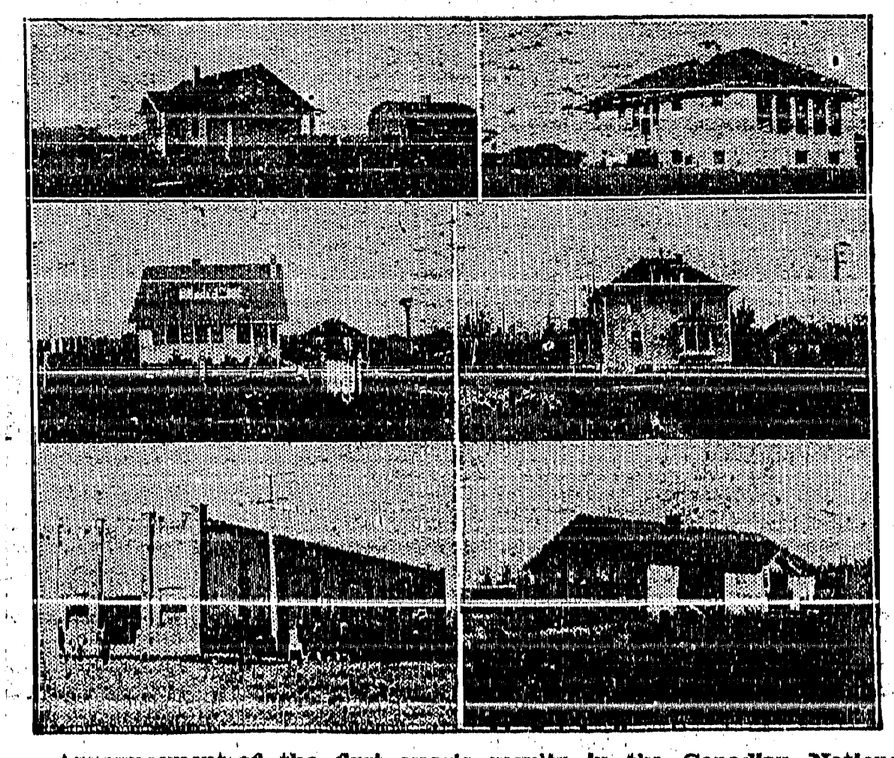
Heads Canadian Flying Club

Manager Of Royal Bank At Fort William Elected President

Montreal, Que.—H. R. Richards, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada in Fort William, Ont., was elected president of the Canadian Flying Club Association at the close of the annual convention here. He succeeds J. A. Sully, of Winnipeg. Other officers were elected as follows: Vice-president for the Maritime provinces, R. J. R. Nelson, manager of the Halifax Shipyards, Halifax, N.S.; vice-president representing Ontario and Quebec, A. Sidney Dawes, Montreal; vice-president, representing the western provinces, James A. Bell, president of the Edmonton Flying Club, Edmonton, Alta.; treasurer, H. P. Crabb, Winnipeg, president of the Winnipeg Flying Club.

All meetings of the association were held in camera and no public announcements were made at the close, beyond the list of officers.

Winning Alberta Communities in C.N.R. Progress Contests



Announcement of the first year's results in the Canadian National Railway community progress competitions for European settlements in Alberta, showed Norma Ukrainian community near Vegreville to be first, Lloyd-George Scandinavian community near Camrose second, The Pines Ukrainian settlement at Mundare third, Liberty Municipality near Leduc fourth, and Unity Municipality near Radway fifth. Pictures show left to right, farm home of J. Federuk near Vegreville, Brookside school near Vegreville, farm home of Frank Mohler in Lloyd-George district, farm home of S. W. Shenkel in Liberty, the community hall in the Ukrainian settlement at Mundare, and the Clotford school in Unity Municipality.

TEST SHIPMENTS OF GRAIN FROM PORT CHURCHILL

Ottawa, Ont.—Test movement of two or possibly three cargoes of grain, about 750,000 bushels, will be shipped through the port of Churchill the middle of next September, according to present plans. A conference held here with representatives of shipping interests indicated that there will be no difficulty getting private steamship companies to undertake the movement. A statement issued on the conference by the Department of Railways and Canals, follows:

"Arrangements for the proposed test movement of grain from the port of Churchill, on Hudson Bay, were under consideration at a conference held in the office of the minister of railways and canals. The meeting was arranged at the instance of the minister, Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, who is taking a warm personal interest in the whole undertaking, and was attended by the principal officers of his department and by representatives of Canadian Government Merchant Marine, and Canadian National Steamships.

"Dr. Manion was assured by his officers that from present indications the port facilities would be sufficiently advanced to admit of the test movement by about the middle of September, the date by which the contractors of the elevators have agreed to have them complete. The movement will dislocate to a certain extent the dredging and dock extension program for the present season, and for that reason will probably be restricted to the shipment of two or possibly three, cargoes of grain approximating about three-quarters of a million bushels.

"The shipping trade is greatly depressed at present, and from inquiries already received, vessel owners are evincing considerable interest in the possibilities of the Hudson Bay route. No great difficulty, therefore, is anticipated in interesting private vessel owners in the business that the test movement will afford and considerable prestige may be expected to accrue to the steamship company having the honor of handling this first commercial movement of grain out of Western Canada's new port.

"It is too early as yet to speak definitely as to either freight or insurance rates, but arrangements are being made to see that that aspect of the situation is thoroughly canvassed, and at the proper time the minister expects to be in a position to meet any eventuality which may develop. Meanwhile, both he and the officials of the department feel that there is no question but that it will be possible to demonstrate, this coming fall, that the facilities of the port will be available and capable of taking care of the business which will be attracted to the port on the inauguration of the route at the opening of the 1932 season of navigation."

Asking Lower Freight Rates

B.C. Government Will Back Growers and Canners In Fight

Victoria, B.C. — The government will get behind British Columbia growers and canners in their fight for lower freight rates to the prairies. Premier S. F. Tolmie has instructed Leon J. Lander, K.C., government rate counsel, to co-operate with the growers and canners in commencing proceedings before the railway commission immediately.

Vegetable growers of British Columbia, backed by the canning industry, appealed to the government in strong terms recently to rescue them from a threatened reduction in growing acreage, by about 50 per cent. this year, by an immediate reduction in freight rates from here to prairie markets.

To this end a large delegation urged the cabinet to appoint counsel, and file an immediate application with the railway commission for a cut in western rates to the level of those prevailing from Ontario to the prairies.

It was expected the government would follow this plan and launch a new rate fight without delay.

A long distance order for newspapers

A Victoria newspaper printed a story about a New York man's aeroplane trip to Alaska. Some time later that gentleman wanted to get some copies of the newspaper.

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CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, FEB. 6

About Fruit Marketing

Now that the orchardists have had the prospective benefits of central selling outlined by F. M. Black, the author of the fruit growers newest marketing policy, and some of its disadvantages equally carefully displayed by Gen. Harmon and others, and the two delegates to the convention at Kelowna have reported fully on what further light was thrown on the plan at the annual convention of the B.C. Fruitgrowers Association, if anyone hereabouts has not co .e into possession of all the facts in the matter the fault cannot be charged to lack of opportunity to secure all such information.

And after hearing it all it is most satisfactory to know that Creston Valley has not changed its mind in the least as to the absolute necessity of Creston, for good and sufficient reasons, being left somewhat of a free agent as the case of the pool legislation of a year ago.

In the matter of local autonomy some are more radical than others, but all are agreed that the principles underlying the now quite famous Littlejohn resolution provide a basis upon which it should be possible to give Creston the consideration it can demonstrate it is entitled to without in any way lessening the efficiency of central selling in the other fruit districts, should the provincial government see fit to enact such legislation, and the orchardists as a whole give it the necessary two-thirds or whatever support may be required to assure it becoming law.

In the much talk one hears about fruit marketing in general it is hard to understand the objection taken by some to the (so far indefinite) proposal of the government to bring in central selling legislation. If this were the first time anything of the sort had been considered expressions of surprise might be in order, but when it is remembered that four or five years ago the legislature enacted the Fruit Marketing Act and set up a committee of control that very arbitarily fixed prices at which tree fruits could be sold, as well as just as definitely regulating sizes to be marketed and dates on which varieties could move, the proposed central selling law is not so very much more undemocratric.

And last year the legislature went a step further and compelled orchardists in all districts, except Creston, to put their tree fruit product through a central pool, with the grower of the real high class fruit compelled to share whatever profits there may have been with the orchardists who were not quite so particular in seeing to it that their product was of the same uniformly high standard.

Further, the legislation creating the board of control and the pool became effective without the growers being directly consulted. With central selling the grower will at least have a chance to record a vote for or against the proposal, and to use his influence in doing what he can to have his neighbor take similar action.

Whether or not the suggested favorable total vote of 66 per cent. is the proper margin of safety is a debatable point. Those sponsoring central selling have most likely set that figure in the hope that in case of revisal upward 75 per cent. will be agreed upon.

And in connection with this all important vote it should be stipulated that 66, or 75, or whatever per cent, may be agreed upon shall be that exact proportion of the ballots sent out, which, we are told, is the procedure followed in Australia when a similar plebiscite was taken.

At the B.C.F.G.A. meetings in December and last Monday opinion was quite general that if Creston's interests in the proposed new legislation are to be safeguarded it will be necessary to have someone from here at Victoria to represent the district before the agricultural committee when the bill is being considered.

At the December meeting Col. Lister made it quite clear that unless Creston was prepared to have some one at the capital to argue its case before the committee there was little or no chance of its claim for what will probably be termed special consideration getting serious, if any, attention. It is to be hoped that after the care that has been taken to get Creston's case squareley before the B.C.F.G.A. meeting at Kelowna the far more important on-to-Victoria movement is not to be forgotten.

Government Must Soon Declare its Policy on Fruit Marketing

While Premier Tolmie wrote to the B.C. Growers' Association last night declaring that the government's attitude on marketing problems was "strictly neutral for the present" events were shaping here in such a way that the government apparently will be unable to preserve this neutrality long. Before the next month is out it will have to declare whether it stands for the immediate passage of legislation enforcing the central selling of fruit or not.

A draft of this legislation was brought to Victoria this morning by T. G. Norris, counsel for the interior committee of direction, who has handled the Fruit Growers' Co-operative legislation since its inception. Mr. Norris announced that the bill would be introduced in the house shortly after its opening. Then the fight will be on.

The government, of course, could dodge responsibility in the matter by insisting, as its predecessors did, that marketing legislation was not introduced in the first place as a government measure and must be left to the house. But this policy of evasion has been regarded with widespread dissatisfaction and besides, the government hae been placed in an entirely new position by the report of Sanford Evans, its special fruit industry investigator, who attacked not only central selling but the whole Produce Marketing Act. Having appointed Mr. Evans, and contracted a large bill in his enquiry, the government, it is felt here, will be unable to ignore his report altogether. It could not refuse to adopt a stand on the central selling legislation without ignoring the Evans report.

A possible way out for the legislation for the present session appeared this morning when Mr. Norris conferred with members of the government and high officials here privately. At these conferences it was suggested that the growers were putting the cart before the horse in seeking to introduce the central selling bill now before they have taken a vote among themselves.

Up to now, it was pointed out, the house has nothing to guide it concerning the attitude of the growers except a vote of some forty delegates to the Fruit Growers' Association meeting. It was suggested to Mr. Norris that a general vote be taken before the house is asked to rule finally on the central selling issue. If thehouse adopted this attitude, it might be possible for it to avoid reaching a vote at all this session which, with most members is a consummation devoutly to be wished.—Vancouver Province.

M. J. Lizak wishes to announce that he has taken over the shoe repair business of B. Morabito, and is continuing the business at the old stand. Satisfaction guaranteed, prices moderate, and work done when promised.

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By L. M. SIMPSON, Agent.

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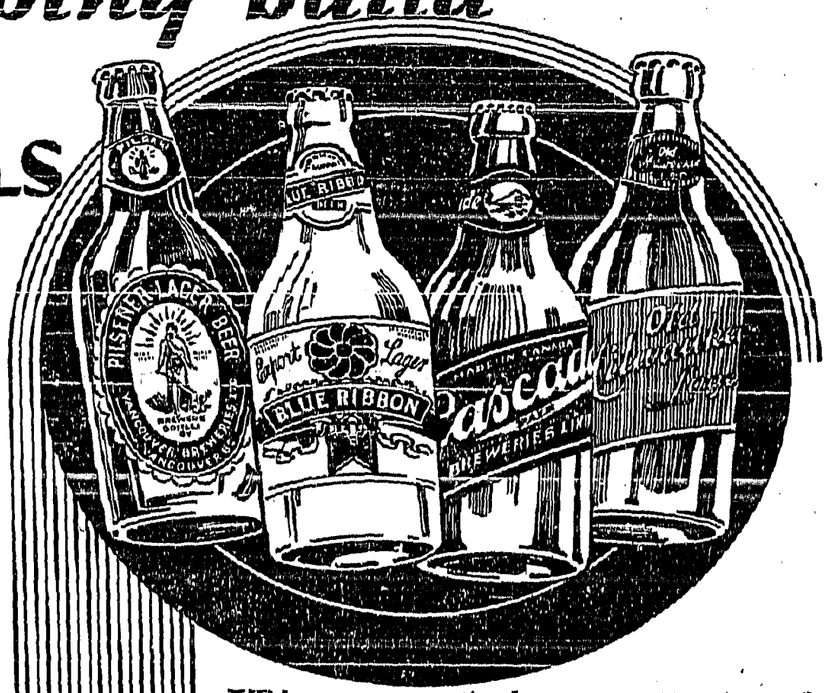

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January School Report, Creston

Divisions 1 and 2 Have Highest Average Attendance—Division 3 Enrollment Heaviest—All Rooms Show Quota Attendance

Division 1—E. Marriott, Principal.
Number attending during month 32.
Average daily attendance, 30.
Proficiency: Grade 8—Doris Crosby, Daisy Trevelyan, Molly Moore. Grade 7—Eleanor Spratt, Ethel Sutcliffe, Charlie Taylor.
Perfect attendance—E. Armitage, I Bourdon, O. Connatty, R. Dickson, J. Downes, H. Johnson, E. LaBelle, Y. LaBelle, H. Lewis, M. Moore, H. McCreath, D. Palmer' E. Spratt, D. Trevelyan, C. York, B. Ferguson, L. McLaren.

Division 2—Miss Meldrum, teacher.
Attendance, 96.4.
Proficiency—Grade 6: Theo Tompkins, Irving Ferguson, Robert Willis. Grade 7—George Dodd, Godfrey Vigne, Frank Brady.
Perfect attendance—Bill Bourdon, Edward Brady, Clarence Embree, Irving Ferguson, Stuart Hilton, August Morabito, Frank North, Rachel Morrow, Clara Schmidt, Theo Tompkins, Margaret Torchia, Treasa Torchia, Robert Willis, Everett Walker, Douglas Alderson, Lily Brixa, Arthur Dodd, Mary Perdue, Godfrey Vigne.

Division 3—Miss Wade, teacher.
Pupils attending, 43.
Attendance, 91.09.
Proficiency: Grade 5a—Beryl Palmer and Billy Craig equal, Richard Trevelyan, Billy Weir. Grade 4a—Irene Brady, Francis Bourdon, Ruby Palmer.
Perfect attendance—Irene Brady, Francis Bourdon, Ruth Davis, Maisie Ferguson, Charlie French, Russell Gabelhei, Egon Hollm, Billy Kernaghan, Willie Krygsveld, Wilfred LaBelle, Phyllis Lowther, Helen McCreath, Irwin Nickel, Mary Ross, Jessie Spratt, Campbelle York, David Armitage, Billy Craig, Gladys Davies, Doris Hendy, Iona Hills, Tom Lewis, Beryl Palmer, Clara Paulson. Norman Phillips, Leona Schmidt, Edra Walkey, Dennis Iles, Pauline Klein, Billy Weir.

Division 4—Miss Learmonth, teacher.
Enrollment, 37.
Average attendance, 30.05.
Proficiency: Grade 4 Junior—Lottie Klein, James Bourdon, Billy McFarland. Grade 3 Senior—Elena Androsoff, Vernon Donaldson, Bernard Connatty
Perfect attendance—James Bourdon, Bernard Connatty, Lorna Donaldson, Verno Donaldson, Corinne Doneau, Marguerite Grant, Walter Hills. Tinus Krygsveld, Ethel Morrow, Billy McFarland, Georgina Paulson, Ariel Schade, Thelma Stewart, Bill Vigne, Robert Vigne, Mary Watson, Ardrey Weir, Thomas Johnston, Donald Iles, Lottie Klein.

Division 5—Miss Hobden, teacher.
Enrollment, 36.
Average daily attennance, 33.72.
Proficiency: Grade 3b—Kenneth Hester, Arthena LaBelle, Jack Hall Grade 2a—Margaret Cribb, Olga Hurack, Ellen Morabito. Grade 2b—Dorothy Schmidt, Eileen Pendry and Agnes Lovestrom equal, George Bourdon.
Perfect attendance—Holmer Bailey, George Bourdon, George Crawford, James Edwards, William Edwards, Kenneth French, Jack Hall, Lillian Hendren, Bert Macfarland, Ernest Hills, Olga Hurack, Robert Kernaghan, Iky Krygsveld, David Macfarland, Ethel McLaren, Ellen Morabito, Maud Ross, Tom Ross, Rose Stewart, Edna Willis, Helmut Patalla.

Division 6—Miss Holmes, teacher.
Enrollment, 34
Average daily attendance, 30.43.
Proficiency: Grade 1a—Helen Dizvigola, Jean Bailey. Grade 1b—Jean Bunt, Willie Rodgers. Grade 1c—Oscar Pettersen, Luella Hintz.
Perfect attendance—Russell Biccum, Conrad Brunham, Orman Brunham, Jean Bunt, Wilma Donaldson, Helen D'zvigola, Mary Gabelhei, Fred Hurack, Willie Hurack, Kurt Patalla, Oscar Pettersen, Katherine Rentz, Willie Rodger, Elva Strong, Katheryne, Timmons, Leslie Tooze, Blanche York.

Erickson School Report

Miss J. White, principal of Erickson school, issues the following report for January n Division 1, names in order of merit:

Grade 8—Betty Kemp, Sadie Fraser, Roy Penson, Milton Fraser, Rodney Putnam, Maurice Kelsey, Otto McMaster.

Grade 6—Patsy Dodds, Muriel Penson, Evelyn Speaker, Margaret Murphy, Peter Obeidkoff, Carol Healey, Fronk Clark, James Scott.

Grade 5—Basil Pakenham. Hazel Beam, Gwen Putnam, Jack Fraser, Lawrence Leadbetter, Marion Healey, Peter Heric, Mac McMaster.

Miss Walker's report for Division 2 for January is as follows, names in order of merit:

Grade 4—Yvonne Putnam, Leona Heric, Margaret Bundy, Olive Speaker, Elvaline Clark, Kenneth Tompkins.

Grade 3—George Carr, George Cameron, James Carr, Stella Tompkins, Bertha Fraser, Joan Heric, Roy Cartwright, Steve Bullock, Anton Neumann, Grace Pakenham.

Grade 2—John Richardson, Mildred Fraser, Zane Beam, John Cowley, Martha Neumann, Eric Pakenham, Moira Pakenham.

Grade 1—Annie Pasdnekoff, Anita Heric, Rose Leadbetter, Beryl Tompkins, John Murphy, Emil Neumann, Tom Cowley, Norma Bundy, Alice Healey.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A general world disarmament conference will be called in the latter part of January, 1932, the League of Nations Council has decided.

Marshal Henri Philippe Petain, defender of Verdun, became one of the French immortals by election to the French academy, succeeding Marshal Foch.

His once Imperial Majesty, William Hohenzollern, on January 27, celebrated his 72nd birthday quietly at Doorn House in the Dutch village of his exile.

Maintenance of the present wage scale throughout industry is vital to the return of prosperity, is the belief of John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America.

Captain Einar-Paal Lundborg, Swedish aviator who rescued Captain Nobile in the disastrous Italian flight, is dead of injuries received in an aeroplane crash.

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Switzerland Has Leaning Tower

The Tower of Pisa isn't the only leaning one in the world. Switzerland has a leaning tower, too, right in St. Moritz. It is the tower of the old town church, which has a very pronounced slant. It dates from 1573, and is the only part of the old church now standing.

Was In Bed All Summer

"I have to work in the store and do my own housework, too, and I got nervous and run-down and was in bed nearly all summer. The least noise would make me nervous. I was told to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have taken seven bottles. It has made me stronger and put more color into my face. I am looking after my store and housework and my four children and I am getting along nicely now."
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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 8

JESUS THE WORLD'S TEACHER

Golden Text: "As ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them likewise."—Luke 6.31.

Lesson: Luke 6.

Devotional Reading: Proverbs 3. 13-18.

Explanations and Comments

The Law Of Love, verses 27-31. —But I say unto you that hear: here Jesus turns from the worldlings upon whom He has been pronouncing His woes, to His followers, and counsels them to be ruled by love in their treatment of their enemies. The Greek word for "love" in our text is carefully chosen. It is not demanded that we should love our enemies with a natural and spontaneous affection ("philein"), but with a supernatural Christian love that comes by grace ("agapan"). At the time when Jesus uttered these words, revenged wreaked upon an enemy was considered noble. How Cicero gloated over the misfortunes of an enemy; he thought himself fortunate on his death bed that he could say that no one had done more good to his friends nor more mischief to his enemies!

The Goodness Expected Of Christ's Followers, verses 31-35a. If you love them that love you, if you do good to them that do good to you, what kind of thanks have you, what kind of reward do you deserve? for even sinners love those love them. Love given for love is only glorified selfishness. Show your love by unselfishness, by loving your enemies as well as your friends; by doing good to those who do evil to you as well as to those who treat you well; by lending to those from whom nothing will be received as well as to those who will return the favor. And the great argument is that even sinners do good to those that do good to them, lend to sinners expecting to receive as much in return. Of followers of Christ far more is expected.

Kindness and Mercifulness, 35b, 36. —Do all things—love your enemies, do them good, and lend, never despairing—and your reward shall be great—ye shall be sons of God, for He is kind toward the unthankful and evil. Be merciful even as your Father is merciful.

"It is an attribute of God Himself,
And earthly power doth then show likest God's
When mercy seasons justice."
—Shakespeare.

Be Charitable In Judgment and Generous In Giving, verses 37, 38.—Judge not, and ye shall not be judged; and condemn not, and ye shall not be condemned; release, set free, a debtor or offender, and ye shall be released. These are general statements which are not to be taken without qualification. The example of Jesus Himself shows when judging and condemning is a duty. Read Matthew 18.15; 2 Tim. 4.2. Apply the Golden Rule, and judge others as you would that others should judge you.

"An otherwise beautiful character is often made almost repulsive by the single bad habit of censoriousness. It is one of the temptations of the good to indulge in harsh judgment of the faults of others. Cultivating a stern conscience merely for the sake of flaunting goodness is no more Christlike, and no more heart-enriching and satisfying, than giving to make a display with money."

Moose Jaw Board Of Trade

Instructive Film Is Shown At Annual Meeting Held Recently

At the annual meeting of the Moose Jaw Board of Trade on January 15th, a novel and instructive feature was the showing of a film made by the Provincial Government dealing with the natural resources of the province. This film, it is said, proved a revelation to many of the members who were not fully aware of the extent and variety of the resources of the province.

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"Daughter," said the father sternly, "I don't like that young man you go out with."

"Yeah?" retorted daughter. "Well, don't worry, you're simply poison to him, too."

Children's Colds Best Treated Externally

Stop them overnight without "dosing"—rub on at bedtime

VICKS VAPORUB

OVER 17 MILLION JARS USED YEARLY

British Machine Wins

Belgian Government Places Order For Fighting Airplanes

In a competition held in Belgium to select fighting aeroplanes for the Belgian Air Force the winning machine was the British "Firefly II.," designed and built by the Fairey Aviation Company, of Haydes, Middlesex, England, and driven by a Rolls-Royce engine of 550-h.p.

It is claimed that this machine is the fastest aircraft of its type in the world, with a speed of more than 200 miles an hour, even when carrying full military load.

The Belgian government has ordered 45 of these machines.

Bird Banding

Obtaining Information Regarding Life History and Migration Habits Of Native Birds

Through the voluntary efforts of persons throughout Canada and the United States, aluminium bands or rings are being placed on the legs of wild birds in an endeavor to obtain information concerning the migration and life histories of our native birds. Bird banding is a co-operative effort in which the National Parks of Canada Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa, and the Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C., take joint action.

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Octopus Caught Off B.C. Coast

An official report states that over 55,000 pounds of octopus were caught in 1928, and over 28,000 pounds in 1929, off British Columbia. They are the incidental product of other fishing operations, taken, for the most part, in the nets of small draggers.

British Empire Fair

Forty-Eight Canadian Firms and Institutions Will Have Exhibits At Buenos Aires

Forty-eight Canadian firms and institutions have advised the Department of Trade and Commerce of their intention of exhibiting at the British Empire Fair to be held in Buenos Aires from March 14th to April 27th, which will be opened by H. R. H. the Prince of Wales. Every province is contributing displays. There are nine firms from Montreal; these include the two transcontinental railways, the Royal Bank of Canada and the Sun Life Assurance Company, which are national in character. Seven firms have their headquarters in Toronto, seven in Brantford, three in Hamilton, two in Weston and three in Ottawa, though the latter include the Department of Agriculture and the National Art Gallery.

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These biscuits—made with Purity Flour—will keep moist for several days and may be re-heated without getting dry.

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THE DUSTY HIGHWAY

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CHAPTER X.—Continued.

"Close the door, Julie. There's a draught through here and it's going to rain. What time do you expect Mrs. Halliday? I suppose she wanted you tonight because of her company. Will they be here to supper?"

"Who? Mis' Halliday ain't got no company. She an' Nick" (Julie, who had cleaned house for everyone in Bakersville since Nick was a little boy, wouldn't have deigned to say "Mr. Hastings"), "started soon as they et breakfast. Mr. Halliday's away. Not comin' back till tomorrow. He's buryin' his ma."

Gay sat down rather weakly on the stairs.

"I know, but—but I thought she had company. I supposed that was why she didn't go to the funeral."

"You supposed wrong then. I heard her tell Mr. Halliday that seein' his ma had never liked her, she didn't see no reason why she should go. I felt kind o' sorry for him, because 'twas plain he was feelin' bad. He said: 'Angela, I'd like you to go with me. What will Mary think?' Mary's his sister—an invalid. She can't walk; but just then they see me in the next room and stopped talkin'."

Gay sat very still on the stairs. Her knees felt as though they wouldn't hold her up.

"Perhaps," she suggested, "perhaps they were to pick up her friends at the station."

But Julie's answer dashed this hope.

"No, they went in the small car, not the new one. Besides, Mis' Halliday put up the lunch, and she only put up enough for two; stuffed eggs, cold chicken, salad sandwiches (every one in a separate piece o' paper and the crusts sliced off), spice cake, and ——"

A flash of lightning and terrific crash of thunder interrupted. Little Nick, always nervous at any sudden noise, cried out, and even Sonny, who had been taught not to mind the storms, scuttled close to his mother's skirts like a frightened chick.

"Gee!" said Julie. "Glad I come over when I did. Say, let's get out o' this dark hall. I'll turn on a light in the sittin' room."

Gay arose, her knees still strangely weak, and lifted her baby.

"Sonny, dear little boy, you go to Julie. There's nothing to be afraid of. Don't you remember what Daddy told you about Rip Van Winkle and the nine-pins? They must be having a splendid game today—Rip and the little brown men."

"I wish Daddy'd tum," said the boy wistfully. "I wish he'd tum."

Tears sprang to Gay's eyes.

"Maybe he'll come soon, darling," she comforted; but Julie, with characteristic tactlessness observed:

"And most likely he won't. They was goin' clear to Mason's Falls. Them hills is awful. That's why she wanted Nick to go, I guess, though I should think she'd ha' stayed at home, seein' that she wouldn't go to her mother-in-law's funeral. 'Tain't no time to be gallivantin' seems to me. Say! sometimes, Gay, they fight like cats and dogs—her an' him."

"You—you ought not to tell me about it, Julie," Gay protested, though her thoughts were far away.

"Well, I ain't no gossip, but things is queer there. I ain't married myself, but I've cleaned house for most every married pair in Bakersville, and I'll tell the world" (Julie, who read the Sunday comics, was nothing if not modern in her slang), "that what I don't know about married folks, ain't worth botherin' to find out. Some of 'em fight, but most of 'em's got a room they call 'our room,' even if it's got two beds in it 'stead o' one (and an awful waste o' sheets I call it, too), but the Hallidays—they've got rooms to themselves, and bathrooms besides. (Glory! ain't that lightin' fierce?)

"She's got the big room that was Selina Smith's spare chamber — and the next best is for visitors, only they don't have any. Mr. Halliday has the room next to mine, the one in the ell. It ain't big, but then, he don't do nothin' in it but sleep, though once" (Julie's voice dropped to a mysterious whisper), "once, Gay, and don't you ever tell this or I'd lose my place, I could ha' sworn he was cryin'! It was late one night, and I swear if he'd been a woman I'd ha' bet my last dollar on it. But then, maybe I was mistaken. It might ha' been a cat. Sometimes cats sound terrible human."

Gay shuddered—not at Julie's pitiful disclosure which she had heard only subconsciously—not at the lightning, which was very near, but at the thought that Nick had possibly deceived her. Then she flushed hotly at her own baseness. How could she even for a minute—even in the light of damning evidence, believe such a thing of Nick? Not to save his soul would he lie to her! There was some mistake. Perhaps she hadn't heard right over the wires. For a moment she clung to this solution of the mystery, only to discard it when she remembered how clear his voice had sounded, and his laugh. But he couldn't have laughed like that had his conscience been guilty. If he had gone with Mrs. Halliday alone, as Julie seemed so positive, there was some reason for it, of course, which he'd explain. What were wives for anyway, if not to trust, wholly and completely? Slowly she came back to the present to hear Julie say:

"There! I do believe the worst of it's over. I'm goin' out and clean up your kitchen. Mis' Halliday's payin' for my time so might as well use it. She don't want me for anything but an ornament to her back porch today. How do you like my hair this way, Gay? It's the latest style."

"I—I don't think I've got used to it yet," Gay answered, feeling, in spite of her foreboding thoughts, an hysterical desire to laugh.

"I'm savin' up for a permanent wave," said Julie. "Then it won't look so straggly. That's what Mis' Halliday does to hers. Say! you'd ought to see the truck on her bureau! spends enough time an' money fussin' with it! It takes her more'n an hour alone to fix her nails."

"I shouldn't think they'd ever need fixing," said Gay discouragedly, as she looked down at her own brown hands. Even the month at Uncle Sim's had not entirely obliterated the scars of toil. Nick had once said that her hands were beautiful. They were beautiful no longer—and Mrs. Halliday's were soft and white. Was Nick, perhaps, looking at them now, clasped lightly in her lap, and thinking — comparing . . . .

"Now, Sonny," Julie was saying briskly as she looked from the window, "that storm's most over. I'm goin' to help your ma, and you just stand here by the window, and if you see your pa and Mis' Halliday ride up, you run an' tell me an' I'll scoot home and let 'em in the front door."

"Oh, Julie," said Gay uneasily, "I mustn't let you use Mrs. Halliday's time to do my work."

"Now look her," said Julie sensibly, facing Gay with a hand on either hip, "a fair exchange ain't no robbery. If Nick was home he'd be helpin' you clean up and unpack, or he's changed some from the boy his Aunt Nettie trained up. And if he's drivin' Mis' Halliday's car for her, it won't hurt nobody for me to sweep the dust out o' your kitchen. Men folks is terrible careless housekeepers—the best of 'em. Now you run along and make the beds, and Sunday or no Sunday, I'll slick up down here. Mis' Halliday won't ever know a thing about it —not from me anyway."

The lightning had almost ceased, but it still rained drearily, and the house was dark. Gay glanced at the clock. It was nearly six, and her baby nodded.

"I'll give him some milk and put him to bed now, Julie," she said, "and by the time he's off Sonny'll be ready for the night. You're good to help me, but—but I'd hate to have Mrs. Halliday find you here."

"She won't find me." Julie was removing her cuffs and turning back her skirt. "I declare, this ain't no costume for cleanin', but it's sort o' nifty, don't you think, Gay? I——"

"Man tumin'," called Sonny from his watch tower.

Julie and Gay both turned to the window to see a taxi stopping before the house next door.

"Glory!" came breathlessly from Julie, "it's him! She didn't expect him till tomorrow. I got to run. What'll he think when I tell him she's been off all day with another feller? Sorry I can't stay, Gay; but likely he'll want some supper. If the storm gets worse again I'll run over, I . . . ."

Julie was still talking as she ran out the door and through the gap in the hedge. Gay, watching in a petrified silence, saw James Halliday take out a latch key and open his front door. Suddenly she visioned the lonely home-coming after his sad errand —she remembered Julie's disclosure of those sounds in the night that "might have been a cat," and now, to come home to find his wife gone a-pleasuring—gone "with another feller," as Julie put it—gone with Nick——

(To Be Continued.)

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Little Helps For This Week

"In Thy light shall we see light."—Psalm xxxvi. 9.

We older children grope our way
From dark behind to dark before;
And only when our hands we lay,
Dear Lord, in Thine, the night is day,
And there is darkness nevermore.

Reach downward to the sunless days,
Wherein our guides are blind as we,
And faith is small and hope delays;
Take Thou the hands of prayer we raise,
And let us feel the light of Thee.
—John Greenleaf Whittier.

A man who looks toward the light sees no shadow; a man who walks toward the light leaves darkness behind him. People get in darkness by turning away from the light. They hide in obscure corners; they bury themselves in nooks, where the Sun of Righteousness cannot reach them; they close their blinds and shutters, and wonder that they have no light. A house may be dark, but it is not the fault of the sun. A soul may be dark, but it is not because the Light of the World does not shed beams abroad.—Armory.

Winnipeg Building Permits

The total of Greater Winnipeg building permits for the year 1930, amounted to $9,235,457, which includes the cities of Winnipeg and St. Boniface, and seven municipalities.

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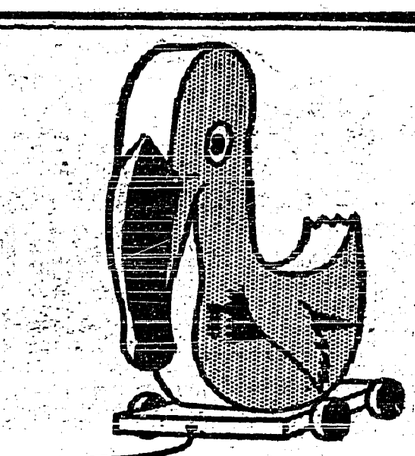
India Will Enter Exhibit

India will exhibit at the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference in Regina in 1932, according to word received from M. S. A. Hydari, I.S.C., secretary of the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research, New Delhi, conveyed through the office of His Excellency the Viceroy. Grain and fodder crops will constitute the display.



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Local and Personal

Gordon McPhail, principal of Kitchener public school, was a weekend visitor with Creston friends.

Grand Theatre

Admission Prices

Owing to the higher cost of Talking and Sound Pictures we find that we are forced to slightly raise our prices, as follows:

ADULTS . . . . . *60c.*
CHILDREN, 12 YEARS and Over . *60c.*
CHILDREN up to 12 Years . . *25c.*

No Children (except babies in arms, 2 years and under) admitted free.

CHILDREN with 25c. TICKETS when not accompanied by their parents must occupy the front row seats.

J. L. Rodgers was a business visitor at Nelson the fore part of the week.

FOR RENT—Five-room house, partly furnished. G. J. Bayle, Northport, Wash.

WANTED—Secondhand kitchen stove small size, state price, Otto Kockott, Creston.

Mrs. S. A. Speers left on Monday on a visit with her son, Harold, and other friends at Trail.

FOR SALE—Five-room house and five lots, about 25 fruit trees. G. J. Bayle, Northport, Wash.

FOR SALE—One R.O.P. White Leghorn cockerel, Darbey & Son strain, $2. V. Mawson, Creston.

Vital statistics for January record five births, no marriages and one death. Of the newcomers three were girls.

COWS FOR SALE—Young Jersey cow, milking, and Jersey heifer 10 months old. Robt. Stark, Creston.

POTATOES FOR SALE—For seed or table use, Green Mountain variety, $1.50 sack delivered. Percy Boffey, Creston.

Rev. M. Daly, pastor of the United Church, Rossland, was a Friday visitor at Creston, a guest of Rev. R. E. Cribb.

Mr. and Mrs. St Denis of Canal Flats arrived at the end of the week on a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pendry.

Cash revenues collected at Creston office of the provincial police for January totalled $3560, of which amount $3489.50 was paid in for auto licenses. Police court revennes were just under $35.

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Mrs. A. L. McPhee of Kaslo was a visitor here this week a guest of her son, Page McPhee, pilot of the W. M. Archibald plane.

Rehearsals commenced this week on Trinity United Church dramatic club's "Are You a Mason," which will be presented early in March.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Mary V. Busk of Creston to Noel J. Aronald Wallinger at Calgary, Alberta, on Saturday, January 31st.

The mild weather that featured January is continuing on into February despite Foster's prediction that the first half of this month was to be decidedly cold.

FOR SALE (or will trade for hay)—Set bobsleighs, in good shape. Wood sawing outfit without engine. Also coal heater. C. Hollm (J. Hobden ranch), Cre ton.

FOR SALE—Garage, $50, and frame barn, $150; both situated at rear of Mrs. J. F. Rose residence. Apply S. A. Speers, executor estate J. F. Rose. Creston.

St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church Ladies' Auxiliary announce their St. Valentine tea at Mrs. Henderson's Saturday, February 14th. 3 to 5.30 p.m. All welcome.

FOR SALE OR RENT—40 acres, all under cultivation and every foot irrigated; if desired can be had in 10 or 20-acre tracts. Apply to owner, E. NOUGUIEF, Canyon, B C.

Erickson Ladies' Guild of Christ Church are having a St. Valentine tea and sale of cooking at the home of Mrs. Frank Putnam on Wednesday afternoon, 3 to 5.30 o'clock.

So great was the Saturday morning rush for bread at Frasers' bakery that the supply ran out before noon. Same price will prevail to-morrow but the supply will be larger.

All who have entered appeals against the village assessment are reminded of the court of revision which sits on Monday morning at the town hall, commencing at 10 o'clock.

FOR SALE—4 geese, 7 ducks, 1 milch cow, to freshen March 1st; team horses, weight 2700 lbs.; household furniture and fairly complete line farm implements. A. E. Hurry, West Creston.

The C.P.R. siding formerly used by Putnam, Palmer & Staples, Limited, is beginning to fill up with railway ties, which are coming in from the Samuelson operations at West Creston.

Quite a number from town were at Lister on Tuesday night for the February meeting of the local post of the Canadian Legion, which was in charge of President W. V. Jackson.

The local Masonic Lodge has appropriated Wednesday evening next, 11th, for the annual at home when the members will entertain their wives and lady friends at bridge in the lodgeroom.

LOST—On Kootenay flats dark red heifer, 2 years old, branded 55 on left ribs, hole in left ear. Reward to party giving information leading to recovery. John R. Miller, (Alice Siding), Creston.

The village council meets in February session on Monday night at which the 1931 assessment roll will be confirmed and this year's tax notices will be issued. The 1931 rate is the old reliable 12 mills.

Last Saturday we ran out of Bread before noon and disappointed many customers. We will have a larger supply this week and again offer a

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All interested in the public library should be out for the meeting in the town hall on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Uuless more support is forthcoming than in the past two years the library will be closed.

The Presbytery of Kootenay of the Presbyterian Church in Canada will have its regular spring meeting in St. Stephen's Church, Creston on February 17th, at 2.30 p.m. Ministers and elders from all parts are expected.

The Girls' Go Getter Club of Trinity United Church are having a silver tea at the home of Mrs J. L. Rogers on Saturday, February 14th, from 2.30 to 5 o'clock. There will be a musical programme, and all are invited.

To-night's social attraction is the bridge in the Parish Hall under the auspices of the Erickson ladies' committee, with the proceeds to go to Creston public hospital. The admission is 50 cents, and cards at 8.15 prompt.

Creston board of trade has its February meeting on Tuesday night. A big membership is hoped for this year, as in May or June Creston will be the convention centre for the Associated Boards of Trade of Eastern British Columbia.

Monday was groundhog day—the day the bear comes out to size up the weather. As the day was cloudy thoughout it is presumed bruin was unable to see his shadow and has remained abroad in the land, indicating that winter is now over.

Creston and District Women's Institute meet in February session on Friday afternoon next, 13th. With all the members enrolled in January due to each bring along a new member, an interesting session is looked for. Striking the 1931 committees will be the chief business.

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