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Expect 125,000 Bushels Wheat

Crop Should Average 25 Bushels to Acre—5000 Acres in Crop—Fall Wheat Cutting Starts Few Days—Onions Failure

With a continuance of the prevailing hot, dry weather wheat cutting on the old Reclamation Farm on Kootenay Flats should be under way at the end of the month or very early in August. About 5000 acres are under crop this year, some of which is estimated to yield as high as 40 bushels to the acre. Judging by last year's showing at the commencement of harvest the average for the whole area ought to run not less than 25 bushels to the acre, and possibly 30 bushels. There appears to be an ample moisture supply to assure filling, and continued hot weather is all that is asked to provide maximum yields.

Cutting will start on some 200 acres of wheat planted by L. L. Rogers of Pendelton, Oregon, on the Jared Rogers holdings last fall to try out the land for winter wheat. It has all along been contended that the land is too moist for fall wheat but this theory was disproved the past season, as the area winter killed is quite limited, and was promptly sown to spring wheat which is looking great.

In a drive along the west side of the dyked area one is struck with the improvement in the crops following continued cultivation. On the Dudley Rogers place, most of which was in crop in 1929, the 1931 stand of grain appears just a little better than that of 1930, which was a big improvement over 1929. This tract was seeded early and at the end of the week it was well headed out, the heads of good length and the grain filling nicely. A year ago this tract averaged 25 bushels to the acre and it is certain to do better this year.

On this west drive one also is impressed in like fashion with the crop on about 500 acres handled by Lawrence Bishop, which had its first cultivation in 1930 and this year shows a wonderful improvement, so striking that some crop authorities estimate it as high as 40 bushels to the acre, although this looks just a little too optimistic.

The south end of the farm, which was flooded last year after seeding was completed, shows the benefit of the 1930 cultivation, generally speaking. R. Piper, whose tract is about two miles long and a half mile wide, has a stand of wheat of such uniform growth and excellent appearance as to justify the estimate some are making of 30 bushels to the acre. Mr. Piper used packers after the crop was in and has had wonderful success in getting the necessary added moisture to give him a crop that is outstanding in the whole farm.

Messrs. Kirk, Stark and Garretson, other south end operators have splendid crops, though the latter has found some of his acreage at the extreme south end to have "soured" due to the 1930 flooding of the cultivated land, and the grain short and rather scanty.

The trio of Camp Lister Germans, who have several acres in vegetables on the Kirk holdings, have had no luck at all with onions, which were the main crop. Their experiment with sugar beets has also been a failure, dur the inroads of some insect. The operators have not been as diligent as one would expect with hand cultivation, and even the potatoes and fodder corn do not look as promising as might be expected. The gardeners are not dismayed over the onion failure, and express the opinion that if onion plants, not onion seed, is used the results will be quite satisfactory.

After a drive over the farms and placing the crop average at 25 bushels on 5000 acres, the transportation of the 125,000 bushels to Creston C.P.R. station at once looms up as the next and most serious situation confronting the wheat growers, particularly at the south end. Even if the present ferry facilities can successfully cope with the rush the haul is too far to make wheat growing profitable at present grain prices.

In connection with 1931 operations hearty commendation is due those who worked long hours with "cats," tractors graders and any kind of scraper available to put in about 200 yards of dyke at Johnson's Point, and by pumping kept the waters of the Dry Slough from everflowing the south end farms. It was a splendid bit of co-operative effort, and a very workmanlike piece of dyke.

Alice Siding

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ostromsky left at the end of the week by auto on a visit with his brother at Coleman, Alberta.

Mrs. Fred Smit , who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dick Smith, left on Friday for her home in Porthill.

Miss Mary Barraclough of Spokane is a visitor here at present, a guest of her brother, Jack Barraclough.

Mr. and Mrs. Pool of Edmonton, Alberta, are renewing acquaintances here at present, guests of her sister, Mrs. Gordon Smith.

At the inaugural meeting of the school board Guy Constable was chosen as chairman, and W. H. Mather, secretary-treasurer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Calmis, who have been visiting with her mother, Mrs Stace Smith, have left for their home in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pease, who have spent the past five months at Cloverdale, and a couple of weeks with their son, Clarence at Princeton, arrived home on Wednesday. During his holidays W. A. was busy with the erection of a house on a farm property he ownes near the former place.

All the available men in the area were gathered in on Tuesday to help fight a very disastrous fire that broke out in the Winlaw timber limit about noon, and has burned considerable timber as well as buildings.

Wynndel

Miss Dorothy Payette and her guest, Miss D. Hild of Kimberley, left last week on a trip t Trail.

Mrs. Fiorentino and son of Cranbrook, who have been visiting with the former's parents, returned home last week.

Mr. Desireau, who has been visiting his son, Leslie, in Nelson hospital, returned home last week.

R. Eakin of Vancouver was a visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Eakin.

Louis and Steve Benedetti were auto visitors to Nelson and points west last week.

Paul Ofner who has been working at Fort Steel, arrived home last week.

Rev. T. Scott of Creston took his first Church of England service at Wynndel on Sunday afternoon.

Raspberries, cherries and black currents are still moving. A mixed car of fruit was rolled on Sunday

Miss C. Wittman is a Sirdar visitor at present, a guest of Miss McCabe.

Canyon City

Birth—At Creston hospital, on July 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langston, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Kifer of Canal Flats were here for a weekend visit with her father, A. G. Samuelson

Erickson intermediate baseball team was here on Monday night for a game with Canyon City. Erickson was winner by a 5-3 score. Geo. Niblow made a very satisfactory umpire.

All the unemployed in Canyon were rounded up on Tuesday to help battle with a bad fire on the old Winlaw limits on Goat River bottom, the firr originating in the vicinity of the old mil l at Camp Lister.

The United Church Ladies' Aid enjoyed a cash intake of $24 at their annual lawn social at the home of Mrs. Knott on Saturday evening.

Canyon orchardists contributed a quantity of the cooking apples shipped in the first mixed car of fruit and vegetables loaded at Erickson on Tuesday by S ott Fruit Company, Limited.

Kimberley Wins Sunday's Game

Finishes Strong to Take a 16-12 Decision—Visitors Hit Well; Field Poorly—Home Runs and Double Plays Prominent.

Creston got off to a flying start in Sunday afternoon's game with Kimberley and up till the end of the sixth inning was leading by a margin of five to nine, but in the seventh the Kimberley batters began to find Fortin's range successfully and when that round was concluded honors were even, with the visitors annexing two in the eighth and five in the ninth to win out by a margin of 16 to 12.

Musser went in to hurl for the visitors at the close of the sixth and blanked them in the seventh and eighth, but in the final frame Creston made a great bid to save the day and on some timely hitting and untimely errors by Kimberley were able to put three runs across and had the bases full when the last man went out.

Features of the game were home runs by Jahren and Frank Romano, and a couple of fast double plays, each team getting one of them. In the fifth Christie took Mellor's grounder to force Griffith at second and got the ball over to McKelvey in time to get a put out on Mellor. Kimberley executed its double killing in the same fashion, shortstop Hall taking Boffey's bounder to touch second forcing Christie and making the play to first in time to retire Boffey.

Dicken pitched a great game for Kimberley and would have had a much better showing had his support been better. For almost seven innings he worked he had ten strikeouts Fortin found the route too long, and was relieved in the eighth by Brogan.

The weakness Kimborley displayed on the defensive, having 11 errors on the day's play, was pretty well balanced by their hitting, which totalled 21 safeties, one of them a homer by Jahren which accounted for three runs. Jahren is also credited w th a two bagger, while Musser had two triples, and Mackie and Dicken one each.

After considerable experimenting Creston has located a likely third sacker in Cletus Schade, who made his first appearance in league company on Sunday and played a great game in the field, and with a little more experience will give a good account of himself as a batter. Frank Romano continues to hit well, getting three hits on five trips to the pan, one of them a homer. Fred Boffey had a triple and a double, and Watson also hit for two bases. McKelvey's batting was below par, and Brogan also went hitless. The players and score:

CRESTON		KIMBERLEY	
Telford, rf	1	Griffith, 1b	0
Watson, c	3	Mellor, cf	2
Christie, ss	3	Hall, ss	2
Boffey, lf	2	Musser, 3b	1
Romano, cf	1	Michaley, rf	3
McKelvey, 1b	1	Thompson, c	3
Brogan, 2b	1	Jahren, 2b	2
Schade, 3b	0	Mackie, lf	2
Fortin, p	0	Dicken, p	1
	12		16

CRESTON	3	0	4	0	0	2	0	0	3	12
KIMBERLEY	0	0	1	0	1	3	4	2	5	16

Hits off Fortin, 13; off Brogan, 3; off Dicken, 7; off Musser, 5. Two base hits, Watson 2, Boffey, Jahren Three base hits, B ffey, Musser 2, Mackie, Dicken. Home runs, Romano, Jahren. Struck out by Fortin 4, Brogan 3, Dicken 10, Musser 3. Double plays, Christie to McKelvey; Hall to Griffith.

The double umpire system prevailed, "Copper" Botterill calling the balls and strokes, and Joyce handling the bases.

200 Men Fight Forest Fire

About 200 men are at present in the employ of the forestry department handling the season's most distrous blaze which broke out about noon Tuesday on what is known as the Winlaw limit south west of town. The fire originated in the neighborhood of the Land Settlement Board millsite about six miles south west of Creston and in the heavy wind prevailing at the time travelled rapidly in a northeasterly direction to a point south of the Frank Lewis ranch on Goat River bottom, where it swung up the hillside, jumped the C.P.R. tracks and travelled onto the Fotzgerald ranch where the log house on the place was destroyed, but this would appear to be the only serious loss to buildings. With the dying down of the wind the blaze is now confined to the limit itself and has spread out over a wide area of these logged off lands Many stories are afloat as to houses and buildings burned and fami ies forced to move out, but as far as the Review can learn there is nothing to the stories of property losses up to Thursday noon.

Sirdar

Sidney Rogers, who has been attending college in Vancouver, is home for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Rogers.

T. Rogers got back on Thursday from a week's vacation with friends in Calgary, Alberta.

Mrs. Gille, who has been spending the past week at Michel, returned home on Saturday.

Mr. Gille, C.P.R. operator at Crowsnest, was a Monday visitor at his home in Sirdar.

Mrs. Sid McCabe and daughter, Nettie, spent a few days last week with Mrs. Ike Lewis, Boswell.

Rev. T. Scott, Anglican rector at Creston, took his initial service at Sirdar on Sunday evening.

Mr. Bohmer, who is employed at Trail, spent last week with his family at Sirdar.

Allenby Cam of Nelson is here on a visit ith R. Dennes, who is home from Trail.

Mr. and Mrs. Strong of Tacoma., Wash., were Sirdar visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Brenton and family of Coalhurst, Alberta, were Saturday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. R. Heap.

At the annual meeting of the school district ratepayers on July 11th, R. Bleumenauer was re-elected trustee for a three year term, and J. Pascuzzo was elected for two years, succeeding John Cameron, who has removed from Sirdar. The appropriation for this year is $500. The meeting was presided over by trustee R. Heap.

Lister

Mrs. Ross, who has spent the past ten months on a visit with relatives at points in the Maritime provinces, has returned and is again with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Baker.

At the inaugural meeti g of the school board John Bird was re-elected chairman, and Mrs. Fred Powers is again secretary-treasurer.

Miss Jean Fisher of Nelson has been a visitor here the past week, a guest of Col. and Mrs. Lister.

Frank Baker left at the end of the week for Kuskanook, where he is working with the Bysouth road crew. Jock Osborne is also on the same gang

Miss Curtis, with her father and mother and sister, were visitors here from Slocan City at the first of the week, on a motor trip to Cranbrook.

Fred Powers, who is working at Boswell was home for the weekend, and was accompanied by Alex. Black, who resides near Nelson, also employed at Boswell. The latter is much taken with this section, and may become a resident.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phillips with a couple of friends, all of Kimberley, spent the weekend at the Phillips ranch here.

Frank Hollis and Mike Riedlmayer are at work on a ditching contract for C. O. Rodgers, on the former Lyon ranch.

E Biggar, who is with the Dominion poultry department at Ottawa, was a visitor at the Powers poultry farm on Wednesday last, and spoke in very complimentary terms of the flock of White Wyandottes the farm is handling.

Alf Wellspring, Geo. Jacks and R. Stevens are making regular shipments of raspberries from their Lister ranches, and will be on the shipping list until possibly the end of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Ingraham and daughter Mary, of Calgary, along with Mr. and Mrs. D. Ritchie of Arrowhead, Alberta, were motor visitors here at the weekend, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker, Mr. Ingraham being a cousin of the latter.

Wynndel Institute Fall Fair Awards

Special Attractions to Feature Children's Activities—Fair to be Held After Haying—Prize List Donations Generous.

Preparations are going steadily forward for the 1931 fall fair at Wynndel, which will again be staged under the direction of Wynndel Women's Institute. No date has been selected but it will not be held until haying is completed and garden stuff is at its best.

Prizes are coming in satisfactorily both from local as well as Creston firms and outside business houses. $25 has just been granted by the school board to be used for prizes for the children, and features of particular interest to children will receive prominent attention.

With donations already to hand it can be stated that the 1931 awards will be more generous than usual, and for the benefit of those who will be showing in the needlework and canned goods classes below will be found the list of sections in which prizes will be offered:

Buffet set, colored, embroidered.
Bedspread, colored, embroidered.
Bridge cloth, colored, embroidered.
Sofa pillow, colored, embroidered.
Piece fancy work, embroidered.
Piece cut work.
Fancy work, embroidered, plain white.
Payjamas, Palm Beach, ladies.
Payjamas, Palm Beach, child's 10 to 15 years.
Hooked rug.
Braided rug
Quilt, homemade.
Baby's knitted set, cap, coat, boottees.
Baby's crochet set, cap, coat, boottees.
Collection jam, 4, pints.
Collection jellies, 4, pints.
Collection preserves, 4, pints.
Collection canned vegetables, 4, quarts.
Collection pickles, 4, pints.
Collection, catsup, 4, any size.
Tea biscuits, 6, Blue Ribbon baking powder.
White bread, loaf, Our Best flour.
White bread buns, 6, Our Best.
Iced cake, decorated.
Layer cake, iced., Magic baking powder.
Doughnuts, 4.
Small cakes, 6.
Fruit cake.
Apple pie.
Lemon pie.
Raisin pie.
Fancy pastries, 6, small, Shamrock lard.
White bread, loaf, Royal Household flour.
Roll Jelly Cake, Malkins Baking Powder.

Outside attractions are receiving special attention and for the juveniles it is proposed to offer a good prize in the boys' mouth organ contest, and for the girls' the same consideration will be shown particularly of dolls and their buggies which are to be on parade. If it can be arranded the old reliable cocoanut "shies" will be available, and the equally popular 5-cent bran tub.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Eight Rusian army officers were killed in an airplane accident near Alabino, 30 miles west of Moscow.

Edmonton land sales for the first quarter this year amounted to $15,000 more than for the same period last year.

In Parliament Prime Minister Bennett said he did not expect to hold the position of Finance Minister at the next session.

Air mail contracts of which expiry notices on July 15 were issued by the post office department several weeks ago, have been extended until August 15.

Charles A. Lindbergh has been granted permission by the radio commission to operate a transmitter aboard his airplane on his projected flight to Japan.

Jute factories in Dundee, Scotland, are at work making a million sugar sacks. The sacks have been ordered by the government and are to be completed by December.

Organization of self-contained labor camps in the north of Canada was proposed in a resolution passed at Hamilton by the central branch of the Canadian Legion.

Announcement is made of the appointment of Lieut.-Gen. Arthur G. Wauchope to be high commissioner in Palestine, succeeding Sir John Chancellor, who recently resigned.

Appointment of H. E. Beresford as assistant director of surveys for Manitoba and Alfred Bedford Howell as chief game guardian have been officially announced by orders-in-council of the provincial government of Manitoba.

Strange News From Holy Land

32,000 Horse-Power Plant To Supply Electrical Energy In Biblical Towns

Here is strange news from the Holy Land. The first hydro-electric plant on the River Jordan south of the Sea of Galilee will soon be in operation. It was built partly by American capital and by next year its 32,000 horsepower plant will be supplying current to such Biblicial towns as Jaffa, Haifa, Nazareth and Beersheba. Meanwhile the British are building a generating plant that will supply Jerusalem, Bethlehem and the surrounding region. Before long the mountain streams of Lebanon will be producing 51,000 horsepower. — World's Work.

A portable X-ray has been designed to enable a physician to learn at once the extent of a patient's injuries who has been hurt in an accident. The machine is carried to the scene in the ambulance.

"We will be married on Saturday."
"Impossible. I am playing football that day."—Buen Humor, Madrid.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JULY 26

CHRISTIANITY SPREAD BY PERSECUTION

Golden Text: "Be thous faithful unto death, and I will give thee the crown of life."—Revelation 2.10.

Lesson: Acts 7.54 to 8.4; 11.19-21; 26.9-11; 1 Peter 4.12-19.

Devotional Reading: 1 Peter 1.3-9.

Explanations and Comments

The First Christian Martyr, 7.54-60; 8.2.—How challenging is the fortitude and grace of Stephen! In the strength of his vision of the heavens opened and of the Son of Mon standing on the right hand of God, he could meet hatred and even death with a serene and courageous spirit. How his quiet demeanour contrasts with the ruthlessness and hatred of the mob, who grind their teeth in fury, scream, rush upon him, drag him without the city walls, and stone him.

When the stoning began, Stephen knelt to pray for power faithfully to endure to the end, or it may be as the stones hurtled upon him he was thrown to his knees and was in this position as he prayed. As the stones came thick and fast, like his Master he prayed for those who stoned him. "Lord, lay not this sin to their charge," he cried; do not weigh, place not this sin in Thy balance against them. At once, we think of Christ's prayer from the cross, "Father, forgive them, for they know not what they do."

"In our lives we need Stephen's steadfast courage, and his clear-eyed faith, and his heaven-piercing hope, and his God-like charity."

And when he had said this, he died, or, as it is beautifully expressed here, "he fell asleep." And devout men buried him, and made great lamentation over him, beating their breasts as a sign of their grief. It took courage to perform this kindly act for Stephen, even if most of the mad mob had departed to wreak their vengeance on the Church in Jerusalem.

Paul's Part In Stephen's Death, Acts 8.1.—When witnesses to the stoning of Stephen laid aside their flowing robes in order to have freer liberty of action, they left them in the care of a young man named Saul. He is first called Paul in Acts 13.9. And Saul was consenting unto his death, approving all that was done. In Acts 22.20, Paul himself says, 'And when the blood of Stephen, Thy witness, was shed, I also was standing by and consenting."

Persecution Begins and the Disciples Are Driven Beyond Jerusalem, Acts 8.1, 2.—Not content with Stephen's death, the mob began a city-wide persecution of the church which was in Jerusalem, and they were all scattered abroad throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria. Nearly six years had elapsed since Jesus commissioned His disciples to go and teach all nations, yet the church was still in Jerusalem, and not a single Gentile had been invited into the church.

Paul's Share In the Persecution, Acts 8.3.—"Consenting" today, standing by while others stoned Stephen, presently, when the attempt to destroy the church became a settled policy to be systematically carried out, Paul enlisted in the task and with fury and zeal entered into every home and dragging from it men and women committed them to prison.

The Scattered Christians Preach Everywhere, Acts 8.4.—The attempt to extinguish a great fire by kicking the embers apart resulted in a new fire blazing up where each ember fell. Hitherto the apostles had done the preaching. At the time of the appointment of the seven deacons, the apostles had declared "we will give ourselves continually to the ministry of the word." But all believers scattered by persecution went everywhere preaching the word. They probably did not declare the truth at first in any set form. Simpson says, they went "gossiping the gospel." As they sought shelter in the villages and towns, in explaining why they were there, they would tell the story of the gospel. This brought to the surface latent talent and those gifted began more formal preaching. In this way, the preaching of the truth ceased to be exclusively an apostolic function.

Communicating With Planets

Nicola Tesla Discovers Means Of Transmitting Energy From One Planet To Another

Nicola Tesla, the inventor, in an interview on his 75th birthday, said after years of research he had discovered a means of transmitting thousands of horsepower of energy from one planet to another, which he believes will open the way for interplanetary communication.

"I feel," he said, "that we are nearing a period when the human mind will perform greater wonders than ever before. This is due to the continuous refinement of means and methods of observations and the ever increasing delicacy of perception."

"Keep hold of the cord of laughter's bell,
And avoid the tones that jar;
The sound of a sigh doesn't carry well,
But the lilt of a laugh rings far."

Passing Of Trader Moberley

Was Link With the Very Early History Of the West

H. J. Moberley, better known as "Trader Moberley," is dead. Apparently in good health, Mr. Moberley was walking about a few days ago. The end came after a very brief illness, death being attributed to old age, Mr. Moberley being 96 years of age at the time of his death.

Known internationally for his book, "When Fur Was King," Mr. Moberley is believed to have been the only remaining commissioned officer of the old Hudson's Bay Company. He served the company from 1854, when he came west with Sir George Simpson, then governor of the company, till his retirement in 1894, when he was factor at Ile a la Crosse Post.

Born in Barrie, Ontario, Mr. Moberley was the son of a noted captain in the British navy. His father fought in the war of 1812. Prior to joining the Hudson's Bay Company, Mr. Moberley was employed by the famous British firm of Lloyds and in their service he visited Havana, Cuba, and St. Petersburg, Russia.

He commenced his service with the Hudson's Bay Company as clerk at Norway House under Chief Factor Rowland. Edmonton was his first post and afterwards he was moved to Rocky Mountain Post, later opening up Jasper House as a trading post for his company.

He also at one time was in charge of the posts at Fort Vermillion and Peace River, and established the Fort McMurray post in the early 70's. He was in charge of transports at Portage la Loche and carried despatches ahead of the Earl of Southesk in 1859 when the earl engaged in a hunting trip through Canada. Prior to taking charge of the Ile a la Crosse Post, the veteran trader was stationed at Stanley Mission on the Churchill in northern Saskatchewan.

Houses Good Sized City

Thousands Work Or Live In Empire State Building, New York

One of the biggest houses in the evergrowing world is the Empire State Building of New York. It is a huge structure of steel and bricks and is 86 storeys high. About 25,000 people live or work in it. There are 58 passenger lifts for the 86 storeys and three kinds of express lifts. Some of these lifts run at a speed of 15 miles an hour. The passenger goes up to the nearest stopping floor to his and then transfers to a slow lift which stops at every floor. Here again, however, he can make the last part of his journey on an escalator, of which there are nearly a hundred. Six lifts entirely for goods are always in busy use.

Film Actor: Look here, if he's going to throw me into the rapids, how am I going to get out?"

Director: "Oh, that's all right. You don't appear again!"—The London Opinion, England.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

LEMON EGG-NOG

(Serves 1)

6 tablespoons milk.
½ cup cold water.
1 egg.
2 tablespoons sugar.
2 tablespoons lemon juice.
Grated nutmeg.

Combine milk, water, egg and sugar. Beat thoroughly, pour in lemon juice and mix vigorously. Serve in a large glass topped with a grating of nutmeg.

HONGKONG CHICKEN

2 cups cold cooked chicken, diced.
½ cup celery, diced.
2 onions, sliced.
½ cup crushed pineapple, drained.
1 teaspoon sugar.
Salt and pepper.
1 tablespoon butter.

Brown the celery and onions in the butter. Add the other ingredients. Heat well. Serve with fried noodles.

Manitoba Gold

Province Likely To Replace Yukon As Fourth Producer In Canada

Gold production in Manitoba for the first four months of the year exceeded the total output for 1930 by a substantial amount, and at the present rate of production the province is likely to replace the Yukon as the fourth producer in all Canada. Manitoba's gold output for the first four months of 1931 amounted to 35,923 ounces valued at $739,540, or at a rate well in excess of two million dollars annully, as compared with an output of 23,189 ounces valued at $479,359 for the whole of 1930.

Funds For Alberta

Settlement Of School Lands Case Is Satisfactory To Province

Close to ten million dollars in provincial assets, with nearly a half million a year in interest for three years, will be coming to Alberta as a result of the settlement of the school lands funds case. Hon. R. G. Reid, provincial treasurer, has been advised from Ottawa that the Dominion Government has issued a three-year debenture for $9,564,569, bearing interest at 5 per cent. until July 1, 1934, payable half-yearly.

The debentures thus issued to Alberta's credit represents accumulated principal moneys from the sale of school lands since the organization of the province in 1905. All funds from this source have heretofore been handled by the Dominion, which has retained the principal and paid interest to the province. With the transfer of the Natural Resources from Dominion to Provincial control the school lands funds now pass to the province as part of the public domain.

Negotiations leading up to this settlement have been under way for a considerable time past. The conclusion now reached is regarded as highly advantageous to the province, and both Premier Brownlee and Treasurer Reid express themselves as well pleased with the outcome.

Worked In a Circle

Teacher—"Why are days longer in summer than in winter?"

Tommy—"Because the sun shines longer."

Teacher—"Yes, but why does the sun shine longer?"

Tommy—"Because the night is so much shorter."

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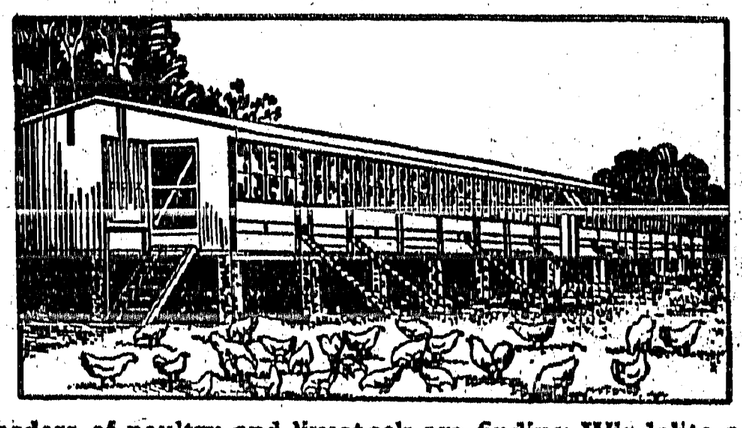

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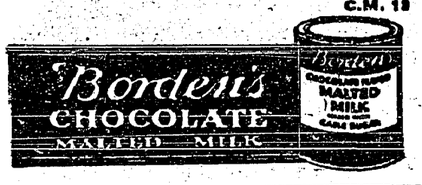

THE DUSTY HIGHWAY

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CHAPTER XXIII.—Continued

He stopped abruptly, while Angela cried, her voice sounding unnatural, like some piece of machinery long unused: "What does that mean?"

"That we go with the drift."

Myer sank down beside his wife, and taking the child into his arms, rested his cheek tenderly against her hair.

Nick looked away, thinking: "I shall never hold Gay in my arms." His throat ached intolerably, and not caring who might see, he buried his face in his arms.

Yet, after what seemed an eternity of misery, his heart lightened. He had been right. The sea was calmer — even there in the cabin it was evident. Thank God the propeller had held out through the worst violence. Perhaps now . . . . if no fresh gale swept them. . . . . .

He dared not hope; yet with the coming of day the wind died, as if spent by its own fury, and the rain became a steady downpour that fell like oil upon the troubled waters. After a long, almost breathless interval Nick looked at the Colonel, his eyes asking a question, and from the Colonel to Myer, who had risen unsteadily to his feet. The boat lurched, and he stumbled—fell—but sprang up, and without a word went out, followed by Nick. When he returned he said, his voice harsh with feeling:

"The captain thinks the worst is over. If we're far enough out so that we strike no land until the water is less disturbed; and if we have the luck to drift into some safe harbor. . . . ."

He left the sentence unfinished, while across the cabin his wife's eyes met his.

The Colonel said: "Thank God!" and his voice shook.

Angela sank back weakly, putting a hand over her trembling mouth; while from Amy Meyer, clasping her child closer, came a dry sob.

All day they drifted; yet, overcome with exhaustion, they also slept in snatches, and the hours passed, till, almost reluctantly, it seemed, the rain lessened—then ceased to fall. Slowly the clouds lifted, revealing a wild waste of restless sea. The day brightened; the waters grew more calm; and despite the fact that they were derelicts, drifting perhaps toward some perilous, hidden reef, hope sang in their hearts.

It was at dawn next day that Nick awakened suddenly from a heavy sleep. It seemed to him that the boat shuddered, and then stood still. In an instant he was on deck; but the Myers and Colonel Nowell were there before him, gazing in rapture at a wooded island a half mile off. The "Sea Bird" had struck upon the bar, which held in it in a tenacious grip from which it was never to be dislodged; but already the men were preparing to lower a boat.

Nobody spoke. No one seemed able to speak. The Colonel was plainly too moved for words. Amy was thinking with the exaltation of one reprieved: "My little Marjorie will live! She is going to live!"

Nick stood in a sort of trance. After that first enraptured moment he did not see the island, nor the palms, nor the dancing waves that looked angry no longer in the morning sunlight. He saw dimly, through tears of which he was unashamed, a lithe young figure clad in a khaki middy, a crimson tam upon her head, a crimson sweater on her arm, a bundle on a stick across her shoulder. . .

It was Angela who broke in upon this vision. She approached quietly, the only member of the party who had thought of raiment. Her gown rivaled the blueness of the sea, and of her own eyes.

"Well, that looks something like!" Her voice jarred on the atmosphere like a discordant note. "I suppose we're in some horribly out of the way spot. Why on earth couldn't we have struck a place where we'd be picked up within a week? I detest camping."

The spell that had held them all was broken. Everyone looked at her in blank amazement, even the captain who was approaching to speak to Myer. Their eyes were shocked—indignant, but Angela was unaware. She said, addressing the captain, in a manner that was a bit arrogant: "Look here, Captain, where are we anyway? How long are we likely to stay in this God-forsaken spot?"

The captain's eyes met hers, and at something in their depths her own eyes dropped. He had followed the sea for many years—encountered danger without flinching, many times; but not often had he been called upon to live through hours like those that had just passed. He was a plain man, blunt of speech perhaps, but deeply religious at heart, as are most men who have met death fact to face. His eyes left Angela's to drink of the scene before them: the rippling water—the clear sky—the fairy island set like a jewel amid the blue.

"God-forsaken?" he said.

His eyes came back to hers and hardened like steel.

"But for His goodness, Madam," he added grimly, "you would now be food for the sharks. You should be on your knees."

CHAPTER XXIV.

Halliday had been gone three weeks. "Remember," he said to Simeon in parting, "that bad news travels faster than good. If you hear nothing it will be because there is nothing to hear. Should I get any sort of clue I will send a message. I shall stop everywhere, inquire wherever there is anyone to inquire of, and explore every island. I haven't the dimmest idea how long it will take; but I shall leave nothing undone. I know you will do your best to keep up Mrs. Hastings' courage; and I know, too, how much harder a task you have before you than have I."

Three weeks, and no word of any kind.

"It seems three years," said Gay; then closed her lips as if ashamed to have admitted even as much as that. There was a fragility in her face these days that frightened Simeon; a look of waiting that was sadder than any tears. The doctor saw it, too.

"Gay, dear child," he said on leaving her one day, "you are going through a terrible experience. Tears won't hurt, you know. Sometimes they heal. Why don't you cry?"

She smiled at him wistfully.

"I'm afraid to. When I cry, Dr. Bennett, I cry so dreadfully. After the baby comes, if—if there's no news of Nick I—I'll let myself go. I don't dare to now. It would make me ill. You've never seen me cry, Dr. Bennett, or you'd understand."

"But I could cry myself when I look at her," the doctor confessed to Mary Maxwell that afternoon. "She's the bravest woman I ever saw, and I've seen many. To hear her talk so calmly about their father to those little boys—as if he had—well, just stepped out for a moment and would be right back—God! Mary, it hurts. I don't see how old Simeon Bartlett stands it."

"He stands it because he's something of a hero; but he has aged shockingly. Is there anything more that we can do for them?"

He answered with a hopeless gesture.

"You can drop in every day and appear cheerful. I wish Gay had a mother: but there! I guess you're not a bad substitute, Mary Maxwell."

Mary smiled, and said: "I've sent for Janey. I think it will do Gay good to see her. They're such close friends, and Janey's always so optimistic. She's like a breath of mountain air. She wrote me the other day that she 'felt in her bones' that Nick was coming back; and if she can instill that feeling into Gay it may help."

"Good!" said the doctor heartily. "Janey's a tonic. I always said she grinned at me when she was born!"

It was about a week after this conversation took place, that, thousands of miles away on a coral-tipped island, Nick faced one of the blackest moments of his life. He had gone for a tramp. Angela complained that he was always tramping.

"Why not?" he answered. "Someone must patrol this island. Who knows from what side a boat might appear at any time?"

"You might at least ask for company," she pouted.

"I don't want company," he replied bluntly. He was a little weary of the "injured innocence" appeal. "Besides, I can't take you because you'd get tired by half a mile of it, and I'm going farther. I think that point of land off to the south would be a good place to build a signal fire."

"But you've already built dozens! When you're not building them you're making plans for starting out with the captain in a small boat. It's absurd. If any lives are to be risked it should be the lives of those common machinists. Besides, if the captain were any good he'd know where we are."

"Look here," said Nick a bit petulantly, "haven't I explained a dozen times that a man might live on the high seas all his life, and still know very little about these islands? They're off the main line of ocean travel. He knows our latitude and longitude, of course, but his map doesn't show all the smaller islands, and we're not sure how far off the next one may be. Our food won't last forever, Angela, though waters' a far more serious problem. You sneer at the captain because he's not your sort——"

"Is he your sort?" she broke in angrily.

(To Be Continued.)

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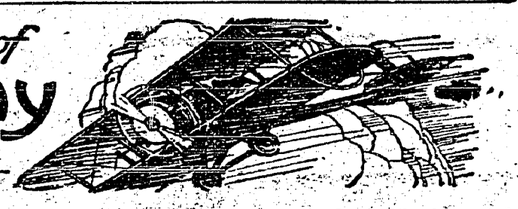

WHAT CAME BEFORE: After many adventures flying over China Captain Jimmy is forced to land behind the enemy's lines. He plans a raid on the military camp to secure gasoline and oil.

While Lieutenant Stone threw the military camp into an uproar, I whistled softly to Scottie and groped my way through the darkness toward the big, imposing tent.

Quietly I slipped under the canvas, and felt my way quietly around the sides. As my eyes grew more used to the darkness, I could see the outline of a large cot on which someone lay sleeping soundly. Scarcely daring to breathe I crept slowly forward. Then before the surprised Chinese could offer any resistance, I grabbed him and secured his arms behind his back.

Under his pillow I discovered no less than two pistols and a knife. The knife I threw away. One pistol I pocketed, with the other I induced him to follow me. Wrapped in a blanket, I shoved my captive under the tent wall, and marched him along to where the horses were held by Fu Ssu.

Once we had put some distance between ourselves and the camp, we questioned our prisoner. To our amazement, we discovered that we had secured no less a personage than General Fong as a hostage.

"Tell him" I said, "that as soon as it becomes light, he'll write me an order for 150 gallons of gasoline, twenty gallons of oil and a supply of food, and if he doesn't write the order pronto, I'll take him apart by hand to see what makes him tick."

The interpreter translated my message. "General say he no can do," said Fu Hsu. "He say you surrender now and he'll be velly easy with you."

I scowled as fiercely as I could. The poor Chinese looked so funny in his night clothes and blanket, yet he just could not forget his rank of General. Pulling out my pistols I made a number of horrible faces, expressing the dozens of doleful things that would certainly happen to him if he continued to refuse our request.

Being a sensible man, and a General he decided to yield handsomely since yield he must.

"He say 'Yes,' he can do," translated Fu Hsu; "Velly glad to do such little favor for fine gentlemen."

At daybreak I rode out to the camp with the General's written order in my pocket, and his gold signet ring on my finger, as proof of my authority.

The camp was astir and immediately we were sighted a group of mounted men galloped out and surrounded us. In a loud and commanding tone I insisted that we be taken at once to the commanding officer. To him I showed the ring and made the demands for gas, oil and food.

We got plenty of immediate action.

Burros were loaded with gas, oil and food and we set out for camp. Leading off in a round about way, it was over four hours before we shook off the last spying soldier and finally reached the 'plane.

For us, the tinned food was a real feast and even the General seemed to enjoy it. Breakfast over, we put him to work emptying cans of gasoline into the 'plane and he proved to be about average Chinese labor at that job.

Then we took off on a level spot in back of the trees and our last sight of General Fong was seeing him walking wearily back to his camp.

(To Be Continued.)

NOTE:—Any of our young readers writing to "Captain Jimmy," 2010 Star Bldg., Toronto, will receive his signed photo free.

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Little Helps For This Week

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Every day a rich reward will give;
Thou wilt find by hearty striving only,
And truly loving, thou cans't truly live.

—Harriet Winslow.

We need not go through the days of our life seking our work. God places it within our hands. And yet how often do we make the mistake of asking for a life which shall, in its form and outward course, be more spiritual and divine than that which we are obliged to live. Million occasions will come in the ordinary paths of life, in your houses and by your firesides, wherein you may act as nobly as if all your lives you visited beds of sickness and pain,—occasions varying every hour, in which you may restrain your passions, subdue your hearts to gentleness and patience, resign your own interests for another's advantage, speak words of kindness and wisdom, raise the fallen, cheer the fainting in spirit, and soften or assuage, the bitterness and weariness of the mortal lot. These acts are written in the secret book of the great account.

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Coal Survey

Province Of Saskatchewan Making Survey Of Coal and Clay Deposits

Under instructions from the Provincial Department of Railways, Labor and Industries, a survey of coal and clay deposits lying north of the Saskatchewan River is being conducted by Professor W. G. Worcester of the Ceramics Department of the University of Saskatchewan and Walter Hasting, developing engineer. For sometime these deposits have been known to exist but they have never been thoroughly investigated as to their extent, quality or commercial value.

Suspicious Old Lady (on the farm) —What's that stuff on those sheep?

Farmer—Wool.

Suspicious Old Lady—I'd bet it's half cotton.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

YESTERDAY

What is yesterday, my Dear?
Just a shadow leaving;
Worth no tribute of a tear,
Worth no moments grieving.

Brave hearts thrust aside the past
Gauds or gold it brought them;
Flinging all away at last
Save the truth it taught them.

What is yesterday, my Sweet?
Just an echo going
Down a bare, untrodden street
Where no life is flowing.

Leave it as a brave heart must
With no thought of sorrow;
Putting all your faith and trust
In a glad tomorrow.

Oslo, Norway, is to have skyscrapers.

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Local and Personal

Service at Christ Church on Sunday will be at 7.30 p.m. The rector will be at Yahk in the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Speers with Allan and Arthur, are Calgary, Alberta, visitors this week, leaving on Sunday, by auto.

Tenders for remodellieg the basement of Creston school to make room for a extra public school classroom close on Saturday.

Birth—At Creston Valley Public Hospital, on July 16th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langston, Coalhnrst, Alberta. a daughter.

PIGS FOR SALE—Yorkshire pigs, choice stock, 7 weeks old, ready July 22nd, $11 pair. J. C. Martin (Alice Siding), Creston.

FOR SALE—3 year old Jersey heifer, fresh; 3 year old Ayrshire heifer, fresh; Ayrshire bull, one year old, registered. A. Comfort, Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Argue were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hare, who are spending the summer at their cottage at Kuskanook

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Anderson left this week for a couple of weeks holiday visit with their daughter, Mrs. Kettlewell and Mrs. Dewhirst, at Kimberley.

A. E. Davies was a Cranbrook visitor on Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. C. F. Armstrong, who is a patient in St. Eugene Hospital in that town.

COCKERELS FOR SALE—White Leghorn cockerels, will average two pounds live, 25 cents each. J. C. Martin (Alice Siding), Creston.

Premier Garage reports sales of 1931 Ford sedans to Geo. Johnson and M. R. Joyce, and a Ford truck to Creston Transfer, during the past week.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Jersey heifer, 16 months old, just bred. Also small ranch horse. Will exchange for milch cow. G. Nickel, Creston.

WARNING TO DOG OWNERS—If you value your dog keep him home. Any dog caught worrying my sheep will be shot. H. N. Smith, Creston.

M. R. Joyce has just been admitted to membership in the local auto fraturnity. He has taken delivery of a 1931 Ford sedan from the Premier garage.

Miss Goodwin of Toronto arrived yesterday on a visit with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Dow, coming from Summerlanu, where she has been holidaying for a few weeks.

HORSE WANTED — Good ranch horse wanted, about 1400 lbs. H. A. Bathie, Wynndel.

Egg prices are on the upgrade again local merchants paying the poultryman 25 cents a dozen for the strictly fresh. They had been as low as 18 and 20 cents earlier in the season.

Creston had things well in hand at Sunday's baseball game with Kimberley up till the seventh innings when the visitors began hitting Fortin and won out by a 15 to 12 score.

Cutting of fall wheat on the Reclamation farm is expected to start by the end of the month or very early in August. The prevailing hot weather is just what the wheat growers are asking for.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Spiers of Nelson spent a couple of days here at the end of the week, guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G Hendren, and were accompanied by Miss Jean Spiers.

Miss Josephine Pedersen left on Thursday last for a two weeks' holiday with friends at Bonners Ferry and Sand point. In her absence Miss Josephine Allan of Yahk is in charge of the beauty shop.

The second hottest day ever recorded at Creston was Monday, when the mercury got up to 99 in the shade. About four years ago the even 100 was registered during a particularly warm July.

Lutheran Church

REV. C. BAASE, Pastor.

7 30 p.m.—Evening Service
10.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
11.00 a.m.—Service in German.

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POUND DISTRICT ACT

Whereas notice has been duly given of the intention to constitute the following district as a pound district, under the provisions of Section 3 of the "Pound District Act," namely: all that certain parcel or ract of land situated at Erickson, in the Creston Electoral District, which may be more particularly described as follows:-

Commencing at the N.W. corner of Block 17, Lot 891, Plan 698, Kootenay District; thence southerly to the intersection of the west boundary of Block 14, Lot 891, Plan 698, and the northerly boundary of the Canadian Pacific Right of Way; thence south-easterly, easterly and north-easterly following the northerly roundary of the said right of way to the east boundary of Block 24. Lot 812, Plan 730-A; thence northerly to the N.E. corner of said Block 24; thence easterly to the S.E. corner of Block 23, Lot 812; Plan 730-A; thence northerly to the N.E. corner of Block 3, Lot 6321, Plan 943; thence westerly to the N.W. corner of Block 13, Lot 6321, Plan 943; thence southerly to the N.E. corner of Block 16, Lot 812, Plan 730-A; thence westerly to the N.W. corner of Block 1, Lot 812, Plan 730-A; thence northerly to the N.E. corner of Block 31, Lot 891, Plan 698; thence westerly to point of commencement.

And whereas objection to the constitution of such proposed pound district has been received from eleven proprietors of land within such proposed district;

Therefore notice is hereby given that the majority of the proprietors of land within the above-mentioned district must, within thirty days from the posting and publishing of this notice. forward to the Minister of Agriculture their petition in the form required by Section 5 of the Pound District Act, or otherwise such pound district will not be constituted.

Wm. ATKINSON
Minister of Agriculture.

Department of Agriculture,
Victoria, B C.
July 6th, 1931.

LAND ACT

Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land

In Land Recording District of Nelson and situate in Lot 4592 and adjoining the north boundary of Lot 812 on the east bank of the Goat River, near Creston, British Columbia.

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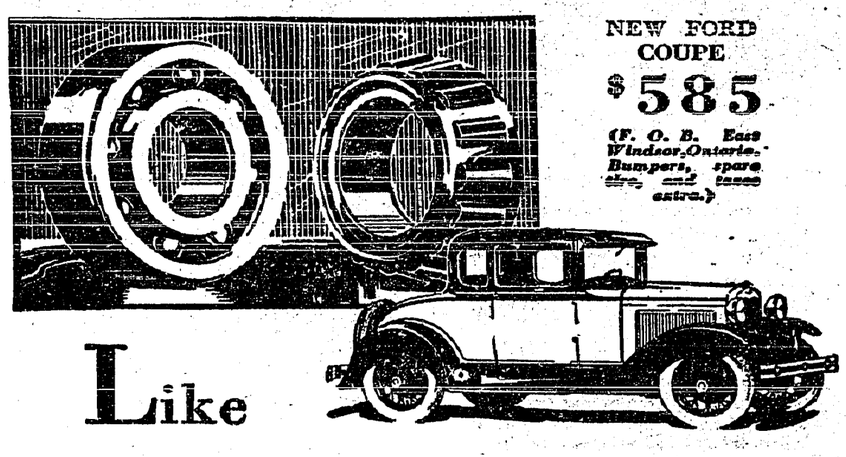

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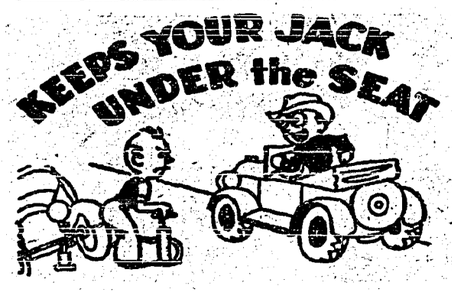

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Local and Personal

Birth—On July 19th, to Mr. an Mrs. J. P. MacDonald, a son.

Mrs. Donneau of Fernie was a visitor here this week, a guest of her sister, Miss A. H. Doyle.

SHEEP FOR SALE—Breeding ewes going at $6 per head. F. K. Smith, Creston, B.C.

Raymond Bevan returned on Saturday from a holiday visit with his sister, Mrs. Leitch, at Trail.

Birth—On July 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hislop, a son, at Creston Valley Public Hospital.

Birth—At Creston Valley Public Hospital, July 19th, to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, a son.

Miss Bryant of Kimberley was a weekend visitor at Creston, a guest of Mis Lyda Christie.

Miss Jean Fisher of Nelson is a Creston visitor this week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Christie.

Mrs Geo. Hendren is visiting with friends in Nelson, a guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Spiers.

Father L. Choinel, O.M.I., will say mass at Holy Cross Church, Creston, on Sunday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

In our report of the annual meeting of the school district last week we erred in stating the amount voted was $8550. This should have read $8850. Also in the salaries. Divisions 4 and 5 should have read $1100, and Division 6. $1000.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Greenhouse, 100 feet long, and shack. Apply J. W. Bell (F. V. Staples ranch), Erickson.

Tom Mawson of Kimberley arrived on Monday on a holiday visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mawson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hare and family have moved to Kuskanook where they will occupy their cottage for the summer months.

Amongst those who had a place in the air fleet invasion of Grand Forks and Vancouver on Monday were Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Warren, who joined the parade at Calgary, Alberta, on Sunday.

D. P. Kane of Kaslo, managing director of Kaslo and District Fifteen Hundred Club, in which many here are members, is spending a few days in the valley in quest of new members. Since its formation about eleven years ago the club has paid over $160,000 in claims and still has a membership of the required 1500.

Erickson

Misses Edith and Winnie Palfreyman, who have been holidaying at Fanny Bay, Vancouver Island, since the first of the month, arrived home at the end of the week.

Miss Clara Hunt of Kitchener spent the weekend at Erickson, a guest of Miss Marcella Sanford.

Mrs. F. V. Staples and children of Invermere, who have spent the past couple of weeks here, left for home in Invermere on Saturday.

Mrs. R. Dodds is on a visit with friends at Camp Lister this week.

Miss Wilson, and little Miss Norma Cartwright of Regina, Sask., who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. Cartwright, left on Tuesday on a visit at Nelson.

Ray Crisler has enlarged his zoo. At the end of the week he got possession of a couple of bear cubs from a Kitchener hunter.

Mrs. McKinley of Nova Scotia has arrived on a visit with her brother, Frank Putnam, coming here from a holiday stay at the coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdock McLeod and family of Trail arrived at the first of the week, on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Klingensmith.

The first mixed car of fruit and vegetables to leave Erickson this season was shipped on Tuesday by Scott Fruit Company, Limited. It consisted of cooking apples, potatoes and babbage.

TENDERS for PAINTING and KALSOMINING

Sealgd tenders will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, July 27, 1931, for: 1. Painting the outside; 2. Painting and Kalsomining the interior of Erickson School. Tenders may be submitted for the whole work or for any one of the jobs. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Work to be completed by August 20, 1931 For all information apply R. M. TELFORD, Secretary School Board, Erickson, B.C.

TENDERS FOR 40 CORDS 3-ft. WOOD

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up till Saturday, July 25, 1931, for 40 cords of 3-foot Fir and Tamarac stove wood for Creston Schools, wood to be delivered not later than December 31, 1931. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For all other information apply GEO. NICKEL, Secretary School Board, Creston, B.C.

TENDERS FOR BUILDING SCHOOL ROOM

Sealed tenders will be received up till Saturday, July 25, 1931, for all the necessary materials and supplies and labor in fitting up classroom in basement of Central Public School, Creston, work to be completed by August 22nd Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. For full information apply to Jas. Cook. Tenders should be addressed to GEO. NICKEL, Secretary School Board, Creston, B.C.

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Where Are We Astray ?

Out of the present world depression good will eventually come. This prediction can be made with absolute confidence and certainty of fulfillment because lessons are being learned and the need for reforms being demonstrated which will force action resulting in the application of remedies.

But at the present moment if the question is asked: What reform is most imperative, what action should be first taken, there are almost as many answers as there are people. There is no agreement as to what has caused world conditions; there is even less agreement as to the course of action necessary to reach solutions and to prevent a recurrence of such depressions. Mankind in its world relationships must have violated some of the fundamental laws of Nature to have brought down upon itself such a world calamity, but, if so, no one appears to be able to put their finger on the spot and declare authoritatively: "There lies the trouble."

All of which leads to the thought and the question whether our much vaunted systems of education are not very much at fault in the very foundations upon which they are erected. Much thought is expended upon the devising of a curriculum, in the preparation of text books, in the academic training of teachers, and hundreds of millions of dollars are expended in school buildings and equipment of all kinds. This has been going on for generations, yet when a world condition develops such as we are now experiencing, and from which we all suffer, the thinking of the world is confused and muddled. Statesmen, economists, financiers, world leaders in all branches of industry, all are at sea; all running around in circles; one advancing this theory as a solution only to be met by another absolutely contrary theory. No one seems to stand on solid ground, able to advance a clear case or an incontrovertible argument.

What is the basic cause of all this confusion? Is it not to be found in the fact that in our educational methods we have failed to ground our people in a true knowledge and acceptance of the immutable laws of Nature, failed to teach people to think, and to think straight, with the result that the world has been devising and trying out all kinds of artificial man-made devices and experiments, many of them in open defiance of Nature's laws, instead of remaining true to those laws.

Have we not in our educational systems devoted time and energy on many frills; have we not emphasized a narrow, even boastful nationalism; have we not placed a premium on the so-called higher education and the securing of degrees too numerous to mention, but failed to educate men and women to really think, to accurately weigh and rightly gauge the verities of the world in which we live in the full light and knowledge of those laws of Nature, ignorance and violation of which mean suffering, loss and disaster?

To illustrate: Let any two men meet and begin a discussion of present day conditions, and where does the conversation lead them within a few minutes? They begin by discussing wheat, its price, the marketing of it, whether there is over-production or under-consumption, the effect of Russia's "Five-Year-Plan" on Canada and the world, and at once they are attempting a discussion in political economy. Possibly they start by talking ordinary partizan politics, and at once they are into a discussion of tariffs, Protection versus Free Trade, currency and banking, trade treaties, markets,—in a word, political economy. Or taxation is the subject. They are agreed it is excessive, but there agreement ends. One man favors this method of raising necessary revenues; the other has directly opposite views. Again it is political economy. Or possibly they begin a discussion of religious creeds or the racial origins, characteristics, and emigration of people,—and they land in political economy.

But how many understand political economy which is affecting every nation, every home, every life today? What have our schools really taught us about it? Practically speaking, nothing. It is left as a study for the limited few who reach the higher grades, the colleges and universities, and even then it is the odd one who obtains more than a hazy idea of it.

Notwithstanding this universal ignorance of even the primary principles of the subject, we are today all talking, or attempting to discuss, political economy. The present depression has made it the current topic of conversation, the language of the street, the office and the home. And what do we know about it? How profoundly ignorant we are. And because of this universal ignorance, every quack proposal, every quixotic idea, gets a hearing, and in various quarters acceptance as a cure-all for our troubles.

The question presents itself: Should the study of political economy not be made the most fundamental of all studies for the youth of today, commencing early in the lower grades and continuing through our educational system? Let us study the verities of life; above all let us teach and train the coming generation along more practical lines, and, instead of striving to cram a vast amount of information on certain given subjects into their young minds, ground them in the truth and beauty of Nature and Nature's laws and then train them to think for themselves and apply those laws in every activity of life, individually, nationally, internationally.

Famous Estate For Sale

Glencoe, Lord Strathcona's famous estate in Scotland, is for sale. It covers more than 75 miles, its boundaries stretching 22 miles from Loch Leven to Rannock. Glencoe was the scene of the 1692 massacre of the MacDonalds. The sentinel rock, from which the signal for the massacre was given, is on the property.

Vancouver Wheat Shipments

Wheat exported from Vancouver for the current crop year will exceed 70,000,000 bushels, according to estimates of the Vancouver Merchants' Exchange. For the present crop year to June 11, a total of 65,872,425 bushels were moved, compared with 43,917,181 bushels for the corresponding period a year ago.

The Mother of Seven Children Used It for Diarrhœa

Mrs. Ray Drinkwater, R.R. No. 2, Hagersville, Ont., writes:—"I am the mother of seven children, and last summer one of them, 17 months old, was taken very sick with diarrhoea, and I thought she was going to die.

"My husband went 7 miles to see what my sister had given her baby, and he came home with a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. I gave the child a few doses and she was soon well again.

"My other children also had diarrhoea at that time and I gave them 'Dr. Fowler's' with the same results."

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Will Erect Seadromes

Trans-Atlantic Air Lines Soon To Be In Operation

The first of eight seadromes, proposed man-made islands to dot the Atlantic at intervals of 330 miles between the United States and Great Britain, will be constructed off the coast of United States next spring, Captain Hugh Duncan Grant, meteorological consultant to the promoters of the project, announced recently.

Grant, visiting in Akron, Ohio, predicted that within a year from the placing of the first seadrome the other seven ocean landing fields will be completed and a trans-Atlantic air line in operation.

The seadromes, Captain Grant explained, will have a six-acre deck, which will be 70 feet above the water surface, or 30 feet higher than storm waves. The seadromes will be buoyed by air tanks extending 40 feet below the surface. Ballistic tanks, filled with pig iron and giving the seadromes their stability, will extend 177 feet downward.

Australia's New Stamps

Unique Design Commemorates World Flights Of Kingsford-Smith

After some delay Australia has issued the Kingsford-Smith stamps to commemorate his world flights. The set consists of a two pence red, and a three pence blue. There is also a six pence deep mauve, issued for air mail service. Each of the three stamps have the same design, an aeroplane flying between the two hemispheres, with the inscription "Australia" at the top of the stamp, and "Kingsford-Smith's World Flights" at the bottom. The values are in small oval tablets in the lower corner, and the word "postage" at each side. The only difference in the air mail stamp is that instead of the words "postage" on each side, the words "Air Mail Service" are inscribed. When these Commemorative stamps were placed on sale in Melbourne the six penny air mail was bought so heavily, that the supply was exhausted within fifteen minutes.

An Unusual Convention

Four Hundred Diviners Of Water Attended Meeting In Italy

Four hundred diviners, including professors, physicians, priests, workmen and several women attended the first congress of rhabdomancy—divining of water, precious metals, etc.—at Verona, Italy, recently. In order to test the delegates' capacities, a commission of engineers dug nine holes ten feet deep in the municipal stadium and buried in them metals and pipes containing running water. Armed with rods, willow, or metal, the diviners discovered all the spots. Professor Mercati, of the Rome University, declared that he was so sensitive that he was obliged to wear rubber-soled shoes to avoid disturbing sensations when he was walking about.

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Plan Visit To Russia

Visas have been granted by the Soviet Government to George Bernard Shaw, Lady Nancy Astor, and a party of distinguished Britons who have announced their intention to visit Russia this summer.

A Power Of Its Own.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil has a subtle power of its own. All who have used it know this and keep it by them as the most valuable liniment available. Its uses are innumerable and for many years it has been prized as the leading liniment for man and beast.

Credit For Unemployed

Pending the commencement of unemployment relief works on a large scale in British Columbia, the provincial government has instructed government agents and provincial police in all outlying districts to give all persons who need food, credit of 40 cents a day at local stores. The allowance will apply to women as well as men.

A Spaniard introduced tobacco into Spain from the West Indies in 1559.

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Penalty For Nude Paraders

Three Years' Imprisonment May Be Imposed Under Proposed Amendment

Three years' imprisonment for parading while nude may be imposed under an amendment to the criminal code which will be introduced in the House of Commons shortly by Hon. Hugh Guthrie, Minister of Justice.

The amendment is proposed with a view to putting a stop to nude parades by Doukhobors of western Canada. It is comprehensive in its character. In the first place it provides a penalty of three years on summary conviction for nude paraders. The same penalty may be imposed on anyone found nude in any public place, found nude on private property not their own, or found nude on their own property exposed to public view.

The term "nude" is defined in the amendment as being so scantily clad as to be indecent.

Utilize Muskeg Vegetation

Edmonton Firm Manufactures Building Insulator Material From Muskeg Litter

Commercial utilization of muskeg vegetation, plentiful enough in Northern Alberta, is seen as an immediate probability following the development of a new building insulator called "Mosstex" by two Edmonton men. An Edmonton lumberman, J. Victor Carlson, and his son Arthur V. Carlson, are stated by the Edmonton Journal to have perfected a process by which ordinary muskeg litter is transformed into fine quality of insulation material. Experimental work is stated to have advanced sufficiently for the new product to be offered to the building trade.

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A Philadelphia man called up a birdstore the other day and said:

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"Well," replied the householder, "I am moving today and my lease says I must leave the premises here in exactly the same condition in which I found them."

British Trade With Russia

Export Credit To Be Extended For a Period Of 30 Months

In a move to increase British exports to Soviet Russia, the British Government announced Thursday, July 9, 1931, through William Graham, president of the Board of Trade, that exports credit will be extended for a period of 30 months instead of 24 months as at present.

This arrangement will be limited to heavy engineering products.

The British move has resulted from other European countries, notably Italy, having extended their export credit schemes for Russia to 30 months.

The announcement, made in the House of Commons, disposes of reports in the British press in the last few days that the Labor Government planned to extend a new credit of approximately $30,000,000 to Russia. It was learned authoritatively that British exports credit arrangements for Russia remain unchanged except in relation to the extension of time limit. The 30-month limit includes the period of manufacture.

A pleasant medicine for children is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, and it is excellent for driving worms from the system.

A Live Stock Safeguard

Restrictions Placed On Importations Of Stock From Countries Infected With Foot and Mouth Disease

With official confirmation of outbreaks of the dread foot and mouth disease in England, Scotland and Ireland, it has become necessary for the Dominion Department of Agriculture to exercise the powers conferred upon it under and by virtue of the Animal Contagious Diseases Act, and cancel all permits issued for the importation of cattle, sheep, goats, and other ruminants, and swine from the countries infected with foot and mouth disease. While shipments actually embarked as on the date of the official order, June 20, 1931, will be allowed to proceed to Canadian points, the issue of permits has been held up for an indefinite period.

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PROPOSED PROBE OF QUESTION OF TRANSPORTATION

Ottawa, Ont. — Recommendations for appointment of a commission to consider the whole question of general transportation; present curtailment of projects entailing capital expenditure; salaries of Sir Henry Thornton to be treated as a "public document" and non-publication of the list of other salaries paid officials are recommended in an unanimous report of the special committee of the House of Commons considering the Canadian National Railway's report.

The document further recommends revision of the resolution of former C.N.R. directors for $30,000 life annuity to Sir Henry Thornton on termination of services; consideration by directors of the whole question of salaries, allowances, disbursements, pensions and retirement provisions for executive officers. The abandonment of Canadian Government Merchant Marine and the making of arrangements with other shipping companies so that external trade of Canada will not be jeopardized are also proposed.

The report condemns a practice that it declares has grown up under which the National Railways are chargeable with large amounts for payment for social entertainment and other activities of officials on other than official business.

Further recommendations include: Continuation of payments under the Maritime Freight Rates act; thorough audit by independent auditor of system accounts from time to time; action for elimination of loss on Vancouver-Seattle-Victoria steamship triangular service; approval of bill to authorize expenditures made and indebtedness incurred during 1931, and approval of measure to authorize the guarantee of securities to be issued under the Canadian National Railways Financial Act, 1931.

Want Potato Probe

Inquiry Into Conditions Under Which B.C. Potatoes Were Marketed On Prairies

Victoria, B.C.—Federal inquiry into conditions under which British Columbia early potatoes were marketed at prairie points, at widely divergent prices far above the return received by the interior and coast producers was asked by Hon. William Atkinson, acting on the complaint of the Vernon Fruit Union and other B.C. growers.

The provincial minister of agriculture wired to Mr. Gornall, chief of markets extension branch of the federal department, citing the "apparent unwarranted spread" between what producers of the province received for their early potatoes, and the wholesale prices as recorded in the bureau's report No. 3, dated July 3, for quotations at many prairie points.

Post Office Deficit

Due To the General Depression Says Postmaster-General

Ottawa, Ont.—The post office deficit was due to the general conditions in the country, Hon. Arthur Sauve, postmaster-general, told the House of Commons when, in committee of supply they considered the estimates of his department. The vote of $11,492,899 for salaries, etc., was passed. For the fiscal year just closed the deficit of the department would approximate $5,293,000, being the difference between expenditures of $36,293,680, and revenues totalling in the neighborhood of $31,000,000.

Advocate Group Insurance

Victoria, B.C.—Group insurance for all civil servants of Canada to be embraced in a national policy, will be placed before the annual all Canada Civil Service Convention at Regina in September, by the Victoria and Vancouver branches, it was made clear at a meeting here of the Victoria local of the Amalgamated Civil Servants of Canada.

Government Grain Elevator

The Dominion Government grain elevator, under construction at Lethbridge, is expected to be ready for business by September 1st, this year.

Government Buying Wheat

To Be Ground Into Flour For Drought Areas In West

Ottawa, Ont.—The Dominion Government has decided to direct the purchase of 2,000,000 bushels of wheat to be ground into 450,000 barrels of flour which will be available at low price, with bran and shorts, in drouth areas in western Canada, Premier Bennett announced in the House of Commons.

"It is not improbable," the prime minister stated, "that members, especially those who reside in western Canada, may be interested in knowing that the government has concluded in view of the situation that obtains, to direct the purchase of 2,000,000 bushels of wheat, which will be ground into flour by the mills of the west, thereby enabling the municipalities and those requiring assistance to obtain flour at a very reasonable price and where distribution has to be made we will be in a position to do so without delay.

"That will produce 450,000 barrels of flour and the bran and shorts that will remain will also be available if desired. I mention this at once in order that members who may be receiving communications from the west may be able to reassure those who are directly affected by the drouth conditions in their provinces."

To Commemorate New Treaty With Australia

B.C. Will Send Giant Douglas Fir Flag Pole To Canberra

Victoria, B.C.—Jubilant at the completion of the new Canadian-Australian preferential trade treaty, Premier Tolmie has ordered that this province's gift to Australia of a giant Douglas fir flag-pole be sent to Canberra immediately.

Government foresters will search in the woods of this province for a tree of perfect shape and great height and will supervise its cutting and seasoning. Standing in the grounds of the Australian capital, with a suitable bronze tablet at its base, the pole will commemorate the successful negotiation of the new treaty, which Premier Tolmie described as the best business this province has received in years.

Newspaper Man Honored

J. F. Burd, Of Vancouver Province, Presented With Oil Painting

Vancouver, B.C.—Presentation of an oil painting of himself was recently made to F. J. Burd, managing director of the Vancouver Daily Province, by executives of the newspaper who had been associated with the Province for 20 years or longer.

Lured to a dinner party on the pretext that the function was to welcome John Russell, business manager, to the 20-year circle, Mr. Burd was surprised to learn that he was the guest of honor.

Presentation of the painting was made by Roy W. Brown, editor. Others present were Ronald Kenvyn, managing editor; W. C. Russell, advertising manager; F. E. Henderson, circulation manager; D. A. McGregor, editorial writer, and John W. Wright, production manager.

Hospital Commission

Proposed Network Of Cottage Hospitals and Clinics For Manitoba

Winnipeg, Man.—Establishment of a provincial hospital commission with wide powers and division of the province into hospital zones was held to be essential by a select committee of the Manitoba legislature which met here. The committee was appointed at the last session of the House to work out a means of "more equitably distributing the cost of illness."

Hospitals are unevenly distributed in the province, the committee decided. Members agreed that a network of cottage hospitals and clinics was necessary to supplement the municipal hospitals. The committee will meet here again in August.

Ore Contains Silver

Edmonton, Alberta.—The mystery ore body discovered by T. G. Donovan, Detroit geophysicist, at Great Bear Lake, contains silver, it has been announced. The sample tested by University of Alberta experts was declared to be of almost unbelievable richness, assaying $1,035.55 to the ton.

FOR UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

Hon. J. A. Merkley, Minister of Railways, Labor and Industries in the Saskatchewan Cabinet, who seeks $18,000,000 from the Dominion Government to take care of the relief and unemployment in Saskatchewan this year.

Premier Introduces Bill For Pensions

Resolution Provides For Increased Contribution By Federal Government

Ottawa, Ont.—A resolution providing for the increase from 50 to 75 per cent. in the federal contribution to old age pensions has been placed on the order paper of the House of Commons by Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister. The resolution calls for an amendment to the Old Age Pensions Act. It reads as follows:

"Resolved, that it is expedient to amend the Old Age Pensions Act by increasing the amount of the payment to the provinces for old age pensions from one-half to 75 per cent. of the net sum paid out during the preceding quarter by such province for pensions, and to provide for the examination and audit of expenditures in the province and the accounts relating thereto."

The increase in federal payment for old age pensions was announced some time ago. This legislation implements that announcement.

Trans-Canada Flight

First Non-Stop Flight From Halifax To Vancouver To Be Attempted In August

Vancouver, B.C.—The first non-stop flight across Canada, from Halifax to Vancouver, will be atempted August 14 by J. Williams, of Ottawa, in the course of a triangle flight, Vancouver, Mexico City and back to Halifax, according to a telegram received by Airport Manager William Templeton.

Williams will fly a Lockheed Vega monoplane, capable of a speed of 170 miles per hour. He will leave Halifax at dawn and expects to reach Vancouver about 7 or 8 o'clock in the evening. He will refuel here and take off immediately for Mexico City, hopping on again from that point for Halifax. He hopes to make the 9,000 mile round trip in three days.

Riding Freight Trains

Railway Officials Take Action To Put a Stop To Free Trips

Vancouver, B.C.—Frequent deaths among transients getting free trips on freight trains, has been responsible for a drive to end this form of travel, according to railway officials. It is unofficially stated that there have been scores of such deaths in the past few months. Sudden shifting of lumber loads and many other eventualities contribute to the toll among the brake rod riders.

This week Canadian Pacific Railway police, co-operating with other forces, started a campaign and there have been 20 arrests in various parts of British Columbia for this kind of trespassing.

Another object is to stop indiscriminate movement of unemployed from one part of the country to the other. Railway officials state, too, that many of the travellers are able to pay fare.

Trainmen have been used to an average number of casual tramps seeking free transportation, but the new tide of traffic has swelled to great proportions and has become unwieldy with impedimenta. In fact, so much baggage has been piled on top of freight cars that brakemen have difficulty, it is said, in making their way along the catwalks.

Pleased With Treaty

Australia Satisfied With Terms Of Recent Trade Pact

Melbourne, Australia.—General satisfaction is being expressed here at the terms of the new Australia-Canadian trade treaty.

It is stated the Canadian concession for Australian wines and citrus fruits will stimulate exports to Canada from this country, and provide a valuable market which will give Australia practically a monopoly in currants and raisins.

"Butter exporters have every reason to be satisfied," said the chairman of the Victorian section of the Australian dairy produce export board.

The S.S. Canadian Constructor leaves for Montreal at the end of August and is expected to take more than 200,000 cases of dried fruits. Every effort is being made to load this ship with a representative Australian cargo.

British Boys Entering Canadian Universities

At Least Twenty-One Are Coming This Year

Montreal, Que.—Practical results of the visit to this country last spring of a group of British public school headmasters is seen in the announcement that at least 21 British public school boys will come to Canada this year to enter Canadian universities. McGill University will have 12 of the boys, Queen's University, four, University of Toronto, three, and one each will go to Guelph and the University of British Columbia.

F. R. W. Crump, Taunton, will study chemistry at British Columbia.

Mounties' Monument

Pioneer days in the Canadian West will be re-called on August 1, when notables from all parts of British Columbia and the Prairies gather at Fort Steele, B.C., on the Columbia Valley line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, to attend the formal unveiling of a cairn erected by the Historic Sites and Monuments Board, to commemorate the first Royal North West Mounted Police Fort in British Columbia. It was built in 1887 by Superintendent "Sam" Steele, (afterwards Major-General Sir Samuel Benfield Steele, K.C.M.G., C.B., M.V.O.), with Inspectors Z. T. Wood and C. F. A. Huot, Surgeon F. H. Powell and the men of "D" Division, and was an important factor in securing and maintaining the peace of the newly developed territory. The history of the Mounties is an epic and their work in connection with the construction of the line of the Canadian Pacific Railway to the Coast, is one of its most stirring pages.

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MANITOBA PLANS TO RELIEVE THE FEED SITUATION

Winnipeg, Man.—Reduction of permit dues on hay cut on crown lands from $1 to 25 cents per ton and measures of co-operation with Saskatchewan will form part of Manitoba government's policy regarding the feed situation. In making this announcement Premier John Bracken stated the feed situation has shown "decided improvement" during the past three weeks.

The premier said there was "much greater promise" at present for fall pasture and winter feed, "but there is still a shortage in some districts." On crown lands, he said, there were 25,000 tons over and above the amount already permitted to resident settlers. As a result of a conference with heads of railway companies, hay will be transported to needy areas at two-thirds of the ordinary freight rate.

The lower rate was secured on the understanding the government would become responsible for the payment of reduced charges. "It is now proposed," Premier Bracken continued, "that the provincial government, in conjunction with the Dominion Government and municipalities, absorb the two-thirds rate, making hay available in drouth areas free of transportation costs except as may be charged farmers by municipalities."

Premier Bracken explained that this move was purely a relief measure to maintain the livestock industry and he thought it may occur that municipalities in parts of the southwest of Manitoba will not have to bear any expense. As a measure of relief to unemployed in the Carrot River Valley of Manitoba, the government had decided to put up 1,000 tons of hay at once and invite both Saskatchewan and Dominion governments to contract for their requirements for drouth areas of Saskatchewan.

Request For Wheat Board Is Refused

Prairie Premiers Advised Of Decision Reached By Government

Winnipeg, Man. — The Dominion Government has turned down the request of the prairie premiers for a wheat board. Premier John Bracken of Manitoba, disclosed that the premiers had received a letter from Premier R. B. Bennett advising that the Canadian Government does not see its way clear to set up the proposed prairie-wide board.

The letter from Mr. Bennett, Mr. Bracken admitted on questioning, made the suggestion of an inter-provincial body "somewhat similar" to that forcast in reports published here. It had been reported that the Ottawa suggestion was for a commission, headed by John I. McFarland, head of the Pools' Central Selling Agency, to control the Pools' elevator systems and to market their grain.

Deportation Figures

3,099 Britishers Deported From Canada In Ten Months

Ottawa, Ont.—Deportations from Canada from August 1, 1930, to May 31, 1931, totalled 4,137, Hon. Wesley A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration, told the House of Commons. The House was in committee of supply considering an item of $1,905,000 for salaries and contingencies of the department. From April 1, 1930, to the present, deportations had amounted to 4,976, the minister said, of which 3,099 were British, 279 United States and the remainder foreigners from countries other than the United States.

The department was not now making grants to immigration societies, the minister said. The vote was divided between $1,055,000 for salaries for the outside service, and $850,000 contingencies.

Bill Was Defeated

Ottawa, Ont.—A bill to amend the Immigration Act so that no deportation could be carried out of a person who had lived in Canada for 10 years, was declared lost on second reading in the House of Commons when no one rose to address the House.

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Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson, who returned on Saturday from a two weeks' motor trip to coast points, left on Wednesday for a few days' visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. Belanger, at Jaffray.

Mr. and Mrs John Rogers of Kitscoty, Alberta, were weekend visitors at Creston, guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Forbes They are motoring through for a six weeks' vacation on Vancouver Island.

Permits to cut hay on Creston flats will be issued at the Commercial Hotel on Tuesday, and on some of the locations cutting can get under way at once. The crop of rushes is heavier than usual this season.

Manager H. Harrison of the Scott Fruit Company, Limited, left on Tuesday on a business visit to prairie points as far east as Winnipeg, Manitoba, sizing up fruit marketing possibilities at all the important centres.

Mrs. G. Sinclair and two children arrived from Cranbrook at the end of the week to join Mr. Sinclair, who has just opened out in the hardware line at Creston, and are occupying the apartments over the store.

John Bishop of Pullman, Wash., accompanied by his three daughters, arrived on Sunday on a visit with his son, Lawrence, who is handling about 500 acres of wheat land on the Reclamation Farm this season.

At the inauguaral meeting of Creston public school trustees on Wednesday last, Jas. Cook was named chairman for the year, and Geo. Nickel re-elected secretary-treasurer. Up to the present none of the teachers have resigned.

All previous records for early shipments of mixed cars of C eston Valley fruit and vegetables has been broken this year. On Tuesday Scott Fruit Company, Limited, rolled a car of potatoes, cabbage, cooking apples, etc.

A big turnout is looked for at the Frothblowers' baseball club dance at Exhibition Park pavilion on Saturday Saturday night, 25th. Popular prices of admission, 75 and 25 cents will prevail, and the music is by Creston dance band.

In connection with the hospital dance in the pavilion on August 14th prizes will be given for the spot dance and elimination waitz, and there will also be special prizes given. The admission will be $1 to gents, and 50 cents to ladies.

Rev. R. E. Pow, a former Presbyterian pastor here, but now in charge of Redcliff, Alberta, United Church, who was holidaying at Kuskanook, took Sunday evening service at the Presbyterian Church, and had quite a large congregation.

FARM FOR SALE—20 acres, 7 acres alfalfa, good house and outbuildings, irrigation, belonging to estate of late P. D. Thomas, Huscroft. Also Jersey cows, registered Jersey bull, light work horse, tools, household effects. All stock can be seen at farm. Apply John Bird, Camp Lister.

Raspberry shipping for this season wil pretty well be ended by the first of next week. Where water was available, particularly in the fore part of the season, the crop of "rasps" has been one of the best ever. Some real early cucumbers and tomatoes will be available early next week.

With the burning of the Creston Hotel a couple of weeks ago, Creston is being looked over by several who would like to locate here in the hotel business. Mr. Orton, who has the well known Adelphi Hotel at Lacombe, Alberta, was here on Thursday and went away quite favorably impressed with the proposition.

Mrs. C. F. Armstrong is a patient in St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook, at present, having been taken there on Thursday last and undergoing an operation for appendicitis shortly after arrival. She is making a very satisfactory recovery. She was accompanied on the trip by Dr. Henderson and Mr. Armstrong.

Those who were abroad (and possessed a real good eyesight) about 6.30 a.m. Monday had opportunity to witness the flight over Creston of the fleet of some twenty airplanes en route from eastern Canada for the official opening of Vancouver airport on the 21st. The fleet left Lethbridge, Alberta, at daybreak, and were making a few hours stop at the Grand Forks airport. At Creston they were joined by W. M. Archibald in his DeHaviland Puss Moth, who met the advance guard of ten planes at Kitchener The planes were flying at great height.

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