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27 Pupils Write Grade 8 Exams.

Candidates Write at Creston and Wynndel—Many Local Pupils Pass on Recommendation—Sirdar Has Four Writing.

The number of students writing Grade 8, or entrance to high school examinations at Creston is the smallest in years, the total being only 20 as compared with at least 30 a year ago. Kitchener, Huscroft and Lister schools have no candidates, while students from Wynndel and Sirdar are writing at W nndel under the supervision of Principal Freaney of Alice Siding school. Miss Wade is in charge at Creston, and the following are writing:

Alice Siding—Elizabeth Stace Smith.

Canyon City—Helen Browell, Agnes Johnson, Clara Nygaard, John Spencer, Ethel VanAckeran.

Erickson—Milton Fraser, Katherine Fraser, Maurice Kelsey, Betty Kemp, Otto McMaster, Roy Penson, Rodney Putnam.

Creston—Elizabeth Armitage, Margaret Armitage, William Ferguson, Yavonne LaBelle, Hesper Lewis, Phyllis MacDonald, Eleonore Nastasi, Caryl Perdue.

Sirdar—Charles Bleumenauer, Margaret Rogers, William Rohac, Frances Talerico.

Wynndel—Ruth Joy, Mabel Glasier, Lawrence Davis,

In addition to the names shown from Creston a group of 17 were passed on recommendation, as follows: Irene Bourdon, Doris Crosby, James Downes, Eva LaBelle, Molly Moore, Harold McLaren, Kate Payne, Jane Ross, Clifford York, George Collis Robert Dickson, Harry Johnson, Margaret Miller, Hubert Morrow, Dorothy Palmer, Nellie Payne, Daisy Trevelyan.

The examinations started on Friday morning and closed on Tuesday. The papers have been forwarded to Victoria for departmental examination and it is expected the names of those passing will be made known about the end of the month.

Canyon City

Miss Helen McRobb has just left for Calgary, Alberta, on an extended holiday visit with her aunt, Mrs. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Halstead of Winnipeg, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Halstead. They are on a trip to Vancouver.

Posters are up for the annual schoo meeting on the 11th of July. John Nygaard's term as trustee, and H. Young as auditor, have expired, and these vacancies will have to be filled.

Jack Clayton arrived home at the end of the week from Nelson, where he has been visiting with his sister a couple of weeks, recovering from his recent appendicitis operation at Creston hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Portland, Oregon, have just arrived on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kel. Andrew, who are on the Pochin ranch.

C. B. Twigg of Cranbrook, district horticulturist, was here at the first of the week, making an inspection of the orchards. He is talking strongly in favor of asparagus growing, advising all who can to plant half an acre so as to be able to ship in carl ad lots.

School closed for the midsummer vacation on Tuesday and it is expected that Principal Stephens and Miss Lister will be back for another year. The former has five pupils writing on Grade 8 exams. at Creston this week. They are Helen Browell, Agnes Johnson, Clara Nygaard, John Spencer and Ethel VanAckeran.

A notable sale of ranch property was completed this week when W. G Wearmouth disposed of the east ten acres of his place to Ernest Bothamely of Calgary, Alberta. The place was f rmerly occupied by Mr. Brett, but the purchaser will get immediate possession. Mr. and Mrs. Bothamley and family will be welcome additions to our community. He has been a resident of Calgary for many years, though for the past twelve months he has been manager of the Edmonton branch of the Willis-Knabe Piano Company. He is a piano tuner of long experience and will follow his profession here.

In connection with the Dominion Day celebration in Nelson a feature was an official welcome into Canadian citizenship extended recently naturalized citizens by the Nelson Rotary Club. Amongst those who received invitations to be present were Eric and Leonard Olsen, Nels. and Gunnar Larson, Gus Oberg, John Gartland, Roy Br well and Martin Nelson.

Alice Siding

Birth—On June 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith, a daughter.

Fred Baker, who has been a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly, left on Friday for his home in Cranbrook.

Alice Siding had the first raspberries to be shipped from Creston this year. A crate from R. Stewart & Son ranch moved on June 25th.

Principal Freaney got away on Tuesday to spend the summer vacation at his home in Rossland

Prior to leaving on his vacation Principal Freaney of Alice Siding school was guest at a sendoff party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Constable on Friday evening, which was attended by about 75. Dancing was the feature of the evening, with music by Creston orchestra. A splendid lunch was served at midnight and all present report a real fine time.

Strawberry shipping in this section is pretty well over for the season, but the recent two weeks of showery weather has helped out the raspberries wonderfully.

Promotions at Alice Siding school for 1931 are as follows: From Grade 1b to to 1a—William Constable, Wilbur Argyle, Robert McDougall. From Grade 2 to Grade 3—Marion Smith, Johnny Smith, Evelyn Mather, Ada Smith From Grade 3 to Grade 4—Joan Smith, Violet Parkin, Alfred Parkin. From Grade 4 to 5—Sidney Argyle, Carl Argyle. From Grade 5 to 6—Hazel Miller, Elsie Mather. From Grade 6 to 7—Gordon Smith, Geoffrey Constable. Recommended, Jessie McDougall, Grade 7 to 8—Arthur Constable, Charles Ostrensky, Edward Argyle, Ethel Mather.

Sirdar

A very enjoyable picnic was held on the beach by the teacher and pupils of Sirdar school. Everyone in Sirdar was invited.

Mr and Mrs. Romano of Nelson were Sunday visitors with Sirdar friends.

J. Coutts of Cranbrook was a business visitor on Thursday last.

Word has just been received by M and Mrs. T. Rogers, that their son, Sidney, who is attending Vancouver College, has won a silver medal on the strength of excellent work done in his third year.

Father Choinel of Cranbrook was here on Sunday for Roman Catholic Church service.

Victor and Jack Grundy of Crowsnest are here on a holiday fishing trip.

J. Lundy left on Monday for Yahk.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. Russell of Boswell were Tuesday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pascuzzo.

Mr. Vanderburg, who has been C P R. operator here for the past few months, left on Sunday for Elko, to which point he has been transferred.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon left on Tuesday for their home in Vancouver. Mr. and Mrs. Dennes accompanied them as far as Porthill.

Sirdar school has received an excellent report on the pupils' work for the past year. Special mention is made of several of the scholars. C. Lombardo obtained and average of 82 4 per cent, and Margaret Rogers, Sylvia Talerico and Charlie Bleumenauer are the honor roll winners. Margaret Rogers is also mentioned for the Lord Nelson shield. Great credit is due the pupils and also the teacher, Mr. Dixon, as this is his first school.

HOUSE FOR SALE—8-room residence on Victoria Avenue. For full particulars enquire Mrs. Kernaghan, Creston.

Creston Victor League Opener

Trim Canal Flats 10 to 5—Team Hitting Well and Have Great Day in Field—Losers Will be Here Sunday for Return Game

Creston got off to an auspicious start in the East Kootenay baseball league by taking the opening game against Canal Flats in that town on Sunday afternoon by a 10 to 5 margin.

Local fans who accompanied the team say the locals s owed form on a par with the best games here in the international league a year ago. For in did the pitching and made an excellent job of it, holding his opponents to eight hits and striking out nine. With the bat Romano was the most consistent hitter, but for extra bases McKelvey had a triple to his credit, and Earl Christie hit for two sacks. Hellman and Anderson for the home team also had doubles to their credit.

Creston also had a great day in the field, fast work by the infield and sure catching in the outfield helping materially in preventing Canal Flats manufacturing more tallies. The players and score:

CRESTON		CANAL FLATS	
C ristie, ss	0	Lewis, lf	0
Telford, rf	1	Thompson, 3b	1
Brogan, 2b	1	Moore, c	1
Romano, cf	2	Hallman, ss	1
McKelvey, 1b	1	Anderson, 2b	1
Boffey, lf	2	Irving, rf	1
Watson, c	2	Landridge, cf	0
Baum, 3b	1	Hellman, 1b	0
Fortin, p	0	Hellman, p	0
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For Sunday afternoon's game at Exhibition Park Creston will present exactly the same team, and a great battle may be looked for. The fans are urged to be out in full force to provide the essential encouragement to keep Creston in its present position at the head of the league.

Erickson

Mr. and Mrs. G. Lang of Calgary, Alberta, who are on a motor trip to the coast, were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. Clements.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bell of Winnipeg, Man., arrived last week and have taken possession of the Frank V. Staples ranch, which they have purchased.

Misses Edith and Winnie Palfreyman left on Wednesday for Fanny Bay where they are spending a holiday the guests of Miss Walker. Miss Beulah Penson replaces the former on the staff at the co-op. store at Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Bothamley and family of Calgary, Alberta, are visitors here at present, guests of the former's sister, Mrs. Geo. Hobden. Mr. Bothamley has purchased part of the Wearmouth ranch at Canyon and intends to become a permanent resident.

Percy, Bert and Alf. Boffey were motor visitors to Kimberley for the baseball tournament on Wednesday.

The school pupils had their annual picnic outing to wind up the school term on Monday, on the Goat River flats at Creston.

Miss Walker, teacher of Division 2 of Erickson school, left on Wednesday for her home at Fanny Bay, where she will spend the summer holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Don. Patinol of Cranbrook were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Heric.

J. B. Holder has the distinction of being the first raspberry shipper this season. He had a crate of Vikings for export on June 25th, which is just about the earliest ever for raspberries to leave Erickson.

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Creston Dairy

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Wynndel

Wally Johnson and Lloyd Williams who have been visiting the latter's homestead, east of Edmonton, Alberta, returned home last week.

Mrs. Nathorst, who has been visiting with Mrs. R. Sinclair Smith at West Creston, re urned home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Downey and family of Calgary, Alberta, were auto visitors with Mr. and Jas. Wood.

Congratulations are extended to Misses E. Hagen, M. Abbott and A. Crane, all having passed first year high school examinations. Miss E. Hagen topped the list with 844 marks.

Strawberries are still moving, although the output is less than other years. Eight cars have rolled to date. Potatoes and carrots are on the market from the M. Wigen ranch.

Mrs. Simpkins and children left on Saturday for Caron, Sask.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson and Miss Floyd left at the end of the week on an extended visit with relatives and friends in England.

In connection with the Women's Institute fall fair attention is called to the fact that all jams and jellies shown must be made with Member and receipt accounting for its purchase must be shown with the jams and jellies. Special prizes are being donated in larger numbers than last year.

Principal Freaney of Alice Siding school was here supervising the Entrance to high school examinations. Three pupils from the local school and four from Sirdar wrote their exams at the Wynndel centre. Those writing were Ru h Joy, Mabel Glazier and Lawrence Davis, Wynndel. Charles Bleumenauer, Margaret Rogers, William Rohacs and Frances Taleirico, Sirdar.

Wedding bells rang out on Wednesday when Marguerite Joy became the bride of Aylmer Stevens. The ceremony was performed at Bonners Ferry. The happy couple are residing here. Friends of the newlyweds turned up at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Joy to celebrate the occasion the same evening. Dancing was the order of the evening. A dainty lunch was provided and ice cream served.

Needlework Awards

The fall fair prize list committee have revised the needlework class and prizes will be paid on the following articles:

Luncheon Set—4 Serviettes.
Hand-worked Bed Spread.
Collection of Crocheting, five pieces.
Buffet Set, in white.
Buffet Set, in colors.
Table Runner (any colored linen), colored.
Dresser Scarf, white.
Pillow Cases, crochet trimmed.
Pillow Cases, embroidered.
One Towel, crochet trimmed.
Center Piece, in white.
Center Piece, in colors.
Sofa Cushion, made up.
Hand made and hand trimmed Night Gown.
Smart Cotton Dress, materials to be purchased in Creston, total cost not to exceed $8.00.
Card Table Cloth.
Tea Cloth, any other kind.
Men's Shirt, cotton material.
Men's Mitts, hand knit.
Men's Gloves, hand knit.
Collection of five different kinds of fancy work.
Work Dress, plain.
Child's Dress, cotton material.
Baby's Set, three pieces, knitted.

Death Summons Mrs. P. Truscott

Since Marriage in 1920 has Been Resident of Creston—Survived by Husband, Five Brothers and Sister—Funeral Sunday.

Death has claimed another highly respected resident of Creston in the passing of Mrs. Percy R Truscott at Creston h spital on Fr day afternoon last, at the age of 36 years.

Deceased was the youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waldie of Nelson, and was a native of Hawick, Scotland, coming with her parents to Canada in 1910. at which time they located in Nelson. She was a member of the staff of Kootenay Lake General Hospital in that city prior to her marriage, which took place in 1930, since when she has resided here with the exception of a couple of winters spent in California for the benefit of her health.

The funeral took place on Sunday afternoon, with service at Trinity United Church, and interment in Creston cemetery. There was a very large number out to pay their last tribute of respect, with Rev. R. E. Cribb taking charge of the services, and Geo. Hobden, J. M. Craigie, W. V. Jackson, Albert Stewart, W. S McAlpine and T. Goodwin officiating as pallbearers.

In addition to her husband she leaves to mourn her passing a sister, Mrs. J. Wilson of McMurdo, and five brothers, Andrew of Trail, James and George of Nelson, and Alex. and William of Kimberley, all of whom were here for the funeral, as well as a sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Waldie of Nelson.

While deceased's health had been none too robust for some time past it was less than a week ago it took such a serious turn that removal to the hospital was found advisable.

The late Mrs. Truscott was essentially a woman of the home and a devoted wife, and in the loss of his estimable life partner the community joins in extending its sincerest sympathy to a bereaved husband and those who mourn the passing of a beloved sister.

Lister

School closed for the long midsummer vacation on Tuesday afternoon, and Miss Curtis, principal, has left for her home at Slocan City. It is expected she will be back to take charge for another year.

Rev Mr. Scott, the new Anglican rector at Creston, will be here for church service at 11 a.m. Sunday, and a large turnout is expected to greet him on his first appearance.

Mrs. W. Mitchell of Victoria, who is holidaying at her home at Erickson, was a weekend visitor with Mrs. Powers and Mrs. H. Langston.

Rev. Carl Bease of Creston was here for Lutheran Church service on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird and Cyril were Nelson visitors a couple of days this week, leaving on Tuesday and arriving back on Thursday.

Huscroft school has closed for the summer vacation and Principal Kolthammer is resuming work for July and August as clerk on the work with the forest department.

The term-end report at Huscroft school shows the following as winners of the 1931 honor roll: Proficiency, Margaret Huscroft; Deportment, Waddy Huscroft; Regularity and Punctuality, Warren Huscroft and Kenneth Huscroft, tie. Standings as follows: Grade 7—Margaret Huscroft, Waddy Huscroft. Grade 6—Burton Huscroft, Arthur Hurry. Grade 5—Randall Smith, Eric Swanson. Grade 3—Leonard Huscroft, Warren Huscroft. Grade 2—Kenneth Huscroft, Bobby Huscroft. Grade 1—Lawrence Tedford, Nellie Huscroft.

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Nationalism vs. Internationalism

This old world is in a state of confusion worse confounded. Everywhere acute problems of one kind or another demand solutions. And almost everybody has some pet theory or plan to advance as a sure cure-all, but upon analysis they are found to be impractical and more likely than not to create greater problems and difficulties rather than solve existing ones. People's thinking appears to be muddled.

Like hundreds of others, the writer of this column has for months past been reading reports of debates in various parliaments, speeches and interviews by public men, by economists, by financiers, by transportaton executives, resolutions by the hundreds passed by political conventions, farmers' meetings, manufacturers' bodies, church assemblies, and what not. He has read voluminous articles on Russia's "Five-Year Plan," on banking and currency, on trade and tariffs, on unemployment and unemployment insurance, over-production and under-consumption, war debts and war reparations.

And with what result? Just this, and it is passed on to the readers of this column for what it is worth. The conclusion reached is that the world is at war today just as truly as it was during the years 1914-1918, and that all people are suffering because of this warfare just as they suffered in the years mentioned. The war of today is not between opposing armies and navies, but between two sharply antagonistic ideas,—an acute nationalism on the one hand and a reaching out for an acceptance of the true concept of internationalism on the other hand.

Following the Great War, the statesmen of the world attempted to promote and make realities of two great ideals,—one, the right of self-determination by races and small nations; two, the creation of a League of Nations. Both of these ideals are good, but either carried to an extreme is destructive of the other.

In order to provide for the first, self-determination, numerous small nations were brought into being in Europe. They immediately set to work to fan the flame of nationalism as essential to their continued existence and development, and the fanning of such flames was comparatively easy following four war years of nationalistic appeals to people in all lands. The inevitable result was the setting up of barriers of various kinds along all frontier lines, all with the idea of building up a nation apart from other nations.

Coupled with this development was the effort made in the opposite direction,—the creation of a League of Nations to draw all nations closer together, to preach the doctrine and drive home the lesson taught by the Great War that no nation can live unto itself alone, that interdependence rather than isolation and antagonism is essential to the wellbeing of the human family.

Unfortunately, the appeal to a narrow nationalism found a readier response. The masses of the people understood such an appeal. They had been fed on it for countless centuries and as a result were imbued with prejudices and passions not easily dissipated. Selfish interested parties and individuals utilized this nationalistic appeal to their own advantage. The result,—a world presently given over to the most insane forms of nationalism. World trade, the exchange of commodities between nations, is curtailed and restricted by tariff walls higher than ever before known; restrictive laws are rigidly enforced prohibiting the people of one country to enter another, with the result that the unpopulated areas of the world remain unpopulated and unproductive while teeming millions are couped up in restricted areas with no outlet; producers in one country cannot find customers for their surplus products, while consumers in other countries lack even the essentials of a bare existence.

Faced with such a condition,—a condition everywhere recognized,—the nations of the world instead of getting together and mutually agreeing in the interests of all to abandon this extreme nationalism, remove their restrictions and destroy their barriers, and thus allow natural laws to freely operate, are actuated by fear that some one nation may thereby gain an advantage over some other nation. So all continue to suffer, and the situation grows worse because in the ensuing struggle every new restrictive act by one country is met by a counter restrictive act by other countries.

So long as such a condition prevails, it is idle to talk of reduction in armaments, because physical warfare is the ultimate outcome of economic warfare and the continuing clash of nationalistic aspirations. In the development of a true internationalism lies the hope of the world.

Saskatchewan Honey

1930 Production Largest In History Of Province

The production of honey in the Province of Saskatchewan, in 1930, was 685,551 pounds and its value $108,257—the largest output in the history of the province and exceeding that of 1929 by 280,649 pounds and that of 1928 by 263,249 pounds. The honey production for the whole Dominion in 1930 was 31,169,683, so that Saskatchewan's quota was a little over two per cent. Manitoba produced 10,110,128 pounds and Alberta 1,578,948 pounds.

Gets Seven Months' Leave Of Absence

Oklahoma Convict Let Out To Harvest Neighbors' Crops

Jim Crowell has been given a seven months' "leave of absence" from the Oklahoma State Prison because he owns the only threshing machine in his part of the State.

Crowell's neighbors petitioned Acting Governor Robert Burns to grant the leave because, they said, they had to have him to harvest their crops. The prisoner was serving a twelve-year sentence for manslaughter.

Suffered Severe, Painful Cramps In Her Stomach

DR. FOWLER'S EXT. OF WILD STRAWBERRY

These terrible cramps in the stomach that double you up in pain and make you break out in a cold perspiration, may be stopped by a few doses of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

Mrs. Lloyd Jones, 204 Argyle St., Halifax, N.S., writes:—"I have suffered greatly from severe and painful cramps in my stomach. I tried several remedies without result. One day a friend advised me to take Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, so I bought a bottle and got instant relief."

U.S. Land, Sea and Air Forces

Figures Showing Strength Submitted To League By United States

Acting to encourage world-wide preparations for the League of Nations general disarmament conference, the United States government has submitted to the league after setting forth in detail the total land, sea and air forces of the United States.

The league has requested similar information from the other powers which will participate.

The United States total land effectives as given in the data, are 189,957, including 13,080 officers, as compared with a legal strength for the army under the national defense act of 1923 of 17,728 officers, 640 warrant officers and 280,000 enlisted men.

The total naval force strength was placed at 109,886, including 10,420 officers of the navy, 1,030 officers and and 17,500 men of the marine corps. The marines were listed as of "average strength."

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

LEMON MERINGUE PIE

(Makes 1 pie)

1 cup sugar.
3 tablespoons flour.
3 tablespoons cornstarch.
1 teaspoon salt.
1½ cups boiling water.

Sift dry ingredients, add water, and cook in double boiler until thick (about 15 minutes). Add:

½ cup lemon juice.
Grated rind 1 lemon.
2 egg yolks, beaten slightly.

Cook 2 minutes longer. Cool and turn into a baked pie shell. Cover with meringue made of:

2 egg whites.
¼ cup sugar.
¼ teaspoon baking powder.

Beat egg whites until frothy, add sugar and baking powder and continue beating until stiff. Put in moderate oven (325 degrees Fahrenheit) for 15 minutes to brown.

LISBON EGGS

This combination of soup and eggs makes a dish hearty enough for the main course at luncheon or supper, or may be used as a beginning for an otherwise rather light dinner.

2 cups soup stock.
1 onion.
1 tablespoon vinegar.
1 tablespoon sugar.
2 tablespoons bacon drippings.
Eggs.
Toast.

Fry the sliced onion in the bacon fat. Add the soup stock, vinegar, and sugar. Cook all together until the onion is soft. Have ready one slice of toast for each person to be served. Poach an egg in the boiling soup for each person. Arrange the toast in soup plates. Place a poached egg on slice. Fill the plates with the soup.

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Compulsory Idle Insurance

Stating that the United States might well take a leaf out of Russia's book in planning for the future, G. Hall Roosevelt, nephew of the late President Theodore Roosevelt and city comptroller of Detroit, advocated a system of compulsory unemployment insurance in an address before the International Association of Comptrollers and Accounting Officers here recently.

Keep Douglas' Egyptian Liniment handy. A sure, speedy remedy for burns, sprains, felons, blood poisoning, soft corns, warts, scald feet. Invaluable for inflammation and muscular rheumatism.

Chinese Returns Home

A large party of Chinese, accompanied by their wives and families, arrived in Vancouver recently over the Canadian National Railways. Members of this party came from the British West Indies and South America and were en route to China.

British Plane Will Carry Robot Pilot

When Fliers Try For Non-Stop Record To Cape Town

Squadron Leader O. R. Gayford and Flight Lieutenant D. L. G. Bett have been chosen to attempt a world's long-distance record in a new giant monoplane on a non-stop flight to Cape Town or Ceylon.

A Fairey-Napier monoplane being built for the attempt will be ready about the end of July and will be tried out in August, although the attack on the record of 5,625 miles now held by the French airmen, Dieudonne Coste and Maurice Bellonte, will not be made until late autumn.

The destination will be determined by weather conditions, although the Ceylon route is regarded as more favorable for the attempt.

The machine will be almost identical with the Fairey-Napier long-range monoplane used for the last attempt, in 1929. Only a thousand gallons of fuel will be carried. There will also be a robot pilot in order that the two pilots may be relieved of considerable routine during the flight. The automatic airman will be able to take safe and complete control once the course is set.

Squadron Leader Gayford was a World War pilot and later served in Egypt and India. He also participated in the annual R. A. F. flight between Khartum and Cape Town in 1928. Flight Lieutenant Bett participated in the annual R. A. F. flight through Africa in 1927.

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Platinum Wire

Can Be Drawn So Thin That 25,000 Miles Of This Wire Would Weigh Only 35 ounces

A platinum wire long enough to girdle the globe at the equator can be drawn from the precious metal in 280 wedding rings, according to Cecil S. Sivil, of the research department of Baker and Co., refiners of precious metals. The process whereby this can be accomplished has been described in a paper which he presented before the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers.

The extraordinary ductility of properly melted platinum is demonstrated, Mr. Sivil said, by the fact that it can be drawn into wire as fine as 500 millionths of an inch in diameter. Twenty-five thousand miles of this wire would weigh only 35 ounces.

Acid Stomach

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Co-Operation Best Way Of Doing Business

Views Of British Trade Delegation Corroborated By London Times

"It is clear the best way of doing business with Canada is by co-operating with existing Canadian interests and by pushing especially those lines of goods which are complementary to rather than competitive to Canadian products," declared the London Times in an editorial on Anglo-Canadian trade.

"The Canadian manufacturer can only produce economically goods for which there is sufficient demand in the Dominion, but he is endeavouring to prepare for an increasing population and greater prosperity by extending the range of his production. The British manufacturer can assist him in this and may expect in return his assistance in marketing in Canada British goods which are complementary to products of Canadian industry."

The editorial was along the same lines as the main recommendations of the trade mission which recently visited Canada on behalf of the Federation of British Industries, and urged that the only proper policy for the British manufacturer was co-operation and not competition with existing Canadian industries; to mutual advantage.

A Prime Dressing For Wounds. — In some factories and workshops carbolic acid is kept for use in cauterizing wounds and cuts sustained by the workmen. Far better to keep on hand a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. It is just as quick in action and does not scar the skin or burn the flesh.

Manitoba Beryllium Deposits

The Industrial Development Board of Manitoba, announces that it is at present in touch with about thirty United States firms in regard to the development of the beryllium deposits in Northern Manitoba.

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FRANCE WOULD COMPROMISE ON DEBT PROPOSAL

Paris, France.—France replied to President Hoover's war debt proposal by virtually addressing an appeal to the United States for a compromise in the interests of perfect accord. The suggested compromise, the Associated Press was informed, deals with the issue of unconditional reparations payments from Germany, of which France receives about $100,000,000 annually.

Instead of postponing these payments in line with the Hoover suggestion that all inter-governmental debts be held in abeyance for a year, France wants them to be made as usual to the Bank for International Settlements. Then, under the French counter plan, they would be made available to Germany and to other needy nations in the form of loans.

This arrangement would keep intact the Young plan, which is looked upon by the French as a citadel of protection. The reply to President Hoover's suggestion was handed to United States ambassador Walter E. Edge by Premier Laval and at the same time a copy was sent the French ambassador in Washington for presentation to the United States Government.

In government circles it was said the French counter plan would mean that although Germany would continue formal payments of the unconditional portion of reparations, in point of fact she would be paying out nothing, as the money would be returned to her.

Canadian Aviator Will Compete

Montreal Man Enters 1,000-Mile King's Cup Race

St. Hubert Airport, Montreal. — The first man ever to enter in the 1,000-mile King's cup race for the amateur aerial supremacy of Britain, on July 25, is a Canadian, and that Canadian is J. C. Webster of the Montreal Light Aeroplane Club.

As modest as he is able, Webster would talk very little about himself. But this he did emphasize:

"I have no thought of personal glory. I enter this race, not as Webster, but as Canada," he said.

New Potato Policy

Grading Regulations Are To Apply To New Crop

Ottawa, Ont.—Third reading was given by the House of Commons to a bill designed to bring new potatoes within the scope of the grading regulations.

E. J. Young (Lib., Weyburn), charged that the government was endeavoring to secure exclusion from Canada of United States new potatoes, attempted by order-in-council several weeks ago. Hon. W. R. Motherwell, ex-minister of agriculture, declared the measure was merely an extension of operations of existing grading regulations.

Canada Now Controls Mint

Will In Future Be Under Supervision Of Finance Department

Ottawa, Ont.—Control of the Canadian mint where silver and gold currency is coined passed from London, England, to Ottawa when the House of Commons adopted a government bill for this purpose.

It will be under the supervision of the Department of Finance, explained Premier R. B. Bennett. The mint had remained under the control of Westminster because sovereigns were coined here, but this practice had ceased some time ago.

Northwest Rebellion Pensioners

Ottawa, Ont.—Sixty persons are still drawing pensions as a result of the northwest rebellion of 1885. This was brought out during consideration of estimates of the Department of Pensions and National Health, in the House of Commons. The pensions item, $30,000, was approved, also an appropriation of $5,000 for civil servants who suffer as a result of aeroplane flights while on duty.

Asking Authority To Provide For Obligations

Government Must Meet Loans Coming To Maturity Soon

Ottawa, Ont.—The House of Commons has given third reading to a bill which authorizes the government to borrow to the extent of $750,000,000. When the measure was under discussion, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett informed the House that maturities for next few years would amount to over $750,000,000.

The former authorization, which had been given by parliament during the session of 1928, and which amounted to $500,000,000, was now exhausted, and it was considered desirable that the government should be placed in a position to take advantage of any opportunities for obtaining money advantageously, which might occur.

Mr. Bennett stated that the obligations of the Dominion, not provided for in the last conversion loan, up to and including the year 1937, would total approximately $817,000,000.

Immigration Restrictions

Policy In Future To Be Disassociated From Politics

Ottawa, Ont.—"So far as this government is concerned in connection with immigration, I hope—and I believe that hope will be realized—that if politics in the past has entered into the question, we have learned our lesson," said Hon. W. A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration, in the House of Commons. The mistakes of the past had been made manifest to him in the department, he continued, "and in the future, immigration will be entirely disassociated from politics and will be conducted only in the interests of the country."

"So long as I am in power," the minister continued, "the immigration policy of this country will not be dictated by transportation companies and booking agencies whose interests are governed solely by their pockets."

Air Mail Service Vancouver To Victoria

Post Office Department Rents Space To Coastal Airways

Ottawa, Ont. — A mail-carrying agreement by air linking Vancouver, B.C., and Victoria, B.C., has been entered into between the post office department and the British Columbia Coastal Airways Co., the service to be inaugurated on July 1, according to post office officials here. No contract has been made, the department merely renting space on a poundage basis when conditions warrant.

The company recently purchased the Alaska and Washington Air Co., and is carrying out a triangular schedule of flights—Vancouver-Victoria-Seattle, Washington.

Completing Memorial

Quebec, Que.—The work of completing the memorial at Vimy Ridge to Canada's war dead is now progressing materially, and the names of 16,000 Canadians who were missing from the memorial have now all been engraved, according to Major-General S. C. Mewburn, of Ottawa, chairman of the Canadian Battlefields Memorial Commission. The figure of Canada has been completed.

VISITS MACDONALD

Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the United States Treasury, who called on Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald in London, England. Rt. Hon. Arthur Henderson, British Foreign Secretary, was present during the whole of the conversation between the British and United States statesmen, which Mr. Mellon described as a "Purely Social Call."

Peace River Railway

Construction Of Road From Peace River To Coast Is Assured

Edmonton, Alberta.—Definite assurance that construction of a railway outlet from the Peace River district to the Pacific Coast has been decided upon, has been given by Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce, said G. H. Crane-Williams, director of the Austin Motor Company, and prominent British business man, who called upon Mr. Stevens in Ottawa recently and who is now in Edmonton.

Mr. Crane-Williams says he also was assured that the route for the Peace River outlet has been selected and that it is necessary for the appropriation only to be passed for the work to be undertaken.

New Warships Leave England

Canadian Destroyers Now On Way To Home Stations

Ottawa, Ont.—Canada's two new destroyers, H.M.C.S. Skeena and H.M.C.S Saguenay, which have been under construction for the past two years in the yards of Thorneycroft's at Southampton, England, have left for their home stations at Esquimalt, B.C., and Halifax, N.S., respectively. The warships are scheduled to reach Halifax on July 3.

Commander Victor G. Brodeur commands "Skeena."

Travelling in company to Halifax, the warships will separate there, "Skeena" journeying to its Pacific Coast station by way of the Panama Canal, and reaching Esquimalt about the last week in July.

No Archives Branch For West

Ottawa, Ontario.—The government has no intention of establishing a branch of the archives department in Western Canada at present. When the civil government vote for this department was before the House of Commons supply committee recently, Hon. C. H. Cahan, secretary of state, said representations had been made, but no action was contemplated at present.

Government Annuities

Maximum Annuity Reduced From $5,000 To $1,200

Ottawa, Ont.—Second reading was given in the House of Commons to a bill reducing the maximum annuity obtainable under the Government Annuities Act from $5,000 to $1,200. The measure was then referred to the committee on banking and commerce for further consideration.

On the motion of Premier R. B. Bennett to refer the bill to the banking and commerce committee, Rt. Hon. Mackenzie King, opposition leader, moved an amendment to have the measure referred to the committee on international and industrial relations. Mr. Speaker Black ruled the amendment out of order. Liberals then challenged the motion of the prime minister to send the measure to the banking and commerce committee.

A division followed and the motion of Premier Bennett carried by a majority of 49 votes. The division stood: For, 103; against, 54. U.F.A. Progressive and Labor members supported the government, who voted solidly for the motion. The two Independents (Mr. Neil and Mr. Bourassa) voted with the opposition.

The original government annuities bill was designed for the poor man and a limitation on annuities obtainable had been placed at $600, Premier Bennett informed the House. Increases in this maximum had taken place until the limit was at present $5,000. It was never intended that the state should provide annuities, which were free from income tax, paying the expenses from private companies.

It had been found also that certain "traders" invested in large annuities, which were free from seizure for debts, and their creditors could "whistle." Annuities were not social insurance, the time for the consideration of which would come later.

Mr. King thought the annuity scheme might be brought into the scheme of social insurance.

E. J. Garland (U.F.A., Bow River) believed the bill was "in the interests of the insurance companies" and was reactionary in nature. He was willing to let it go to the committee for consideration.

The annuities fund, remarked Henri Bourassa (Ind., Labelle), would be the only nucleus for a social and unemployment insurance scheme and "whether we like it or not, we are being forced into social insurance." He suggested the income tax exemption on government annuities be limited to $1,200.

Less Wheat In Storage

Fort William, Ont.—Stocks of Canadian wheat in store in all positions are 18,100,157 bushels less than this time a year ago, according to the weekly report issued by E. A. Ursell, statistician to the Board of Grain Commissioners. The drop was aided by a decline of about 5½ million bushels in the storage amount during the past week, the figure now standing (June 24) at 115,917,238 bushels.

Seeking Markets For Butter

Ottawa, Ont.—An effort will be made to improve the position Canadian butter companies occupy on the markets of the United Kingdom. Dr. J. A. Ruddick, dairy commissioner has left for England and will address meetings of the London Provision Exchange and similar exchanges at Bristol, Manchester, Glasgow and other centres.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION IS UNDER FIRE

Ottawa, Ont.—Recent charges of fraud in connection with civil service examinations and criminal prosecutions based thereon, may result in a government investigation of the Civil Service Commission. This was intimated in the House of Commons by Hon. C. H. Cahan, secretary of state, when the civil government vote for the commission, consisting of $235,360 for salaries and $80,000 for contingencies, came before the supply committee of the House of Commons.

The Civil Service Commission estimates formed the basis of a lively debate which occupied some hours of the time of the committee. Major C. G. Power, Liberal member for Quebec South, precipitated the discussion when he moved to reduce the appropriation to $1.00. Later, when Mr. Cahan had represented that the commission was a statutory body and that Mr. Power's amendment involved breaking what amounted to a contract with that body, the member for Quebec South withdrew his first amendment.

He substituted another calling for a reduction in the amount by $1.00. The second amendment was defeated by a vote of 69 to 17; and the item carried.

Merit formed the whole basis for the operations of the Civil Service commission, Mr. Cahan said. It had been represented to the government that inquiries should be made growing out of prosecutions, past and pending, in connection with alledged acts which would destroy this system. The government, however, had taken no action in view of the fact that prosecutions were pending in both the courts of Ontario and Quebec and that the whole matter was sub judice.

But the government intended, when the criminal prosecutions were over, to examine the evidence with the greatest care, and if it warranted, there must be further inquiry to see how far the Civil Service Commission was vitiated by practices brought out at the trials. If such an inquiry was held, said Mr. Cahan, its results would be presented to parliament.

In moving for reduction of the estimates of the Civil Service Commission, Major Power declared that he objected to the principle of a non-responsible body administering the affairs of the country. He believed that it was a negation of the principle of responsible government to have such a condition. He had no interest, he said, in moving the amendment, excepting that he did not think the Civil Service Commission was a good thing. He was willing to let the defeated candidate in his riding make the appointments for that constituency.

He was strongly supported in his position by Armand Lavergne, Deputy Speaker of the House of Commons, who stated that Canada's judiciary was regarded as being of a high quality. Judicial appointments were made by the government in power, but that did not result in the selection of inferior men as judges. A minister in charge of a government department should not be required to accept the dictation of the Civil Service Commission.

The Civil Service Commission system had its supporters. J. S. Woodsworth, Labor member for Winnipeg North Centre, expressed the opinion that it would be fatal to revert to a system where each member felt called upon to reward individuals in his constituency for services rendered. The result would be to degrade the position of a member of parliament.

Ottawa, Ont.—The bill to restrict the preference of returned soldiers in the civil service to ex-service men of the Canadian and Imperial forces now domiciled in Canada, was "talked out" in the House of Commons. It was the only bill discussed during the hour allotted to private members' legislation.

Ottawa, Ont.—Some modifications in the articles exempted from application of the sales tax will be made when the House of Commons reaches that stage in committee of ways and means, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, the prime minister, informed Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King.

LINDY ALL SET FOR THE FLIGHT TO THE LAND OF THE RISING SUN

The much-heralded flight of the Lindberghs to Japan and China, via the Pacific Ocean, is expected to commence very shortly. This picture (left) shows Col. Lindbergh and Ann Morrow Lindbergh arriving at the landing field to inspect the 'plane in which they will attempt the hazardous trip. The photo on the right shows the Lockheed-Sirius monoplane being tried out by Colonel Lindbergh over New York.

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HOME BREW

Everyone has read the story of the wheezy organ in the mining camp church that carried the placard, "Don't shoot the organist; come up and try it yourself," and "Fan" in his letter in this issue does well to direct the attention of the baseball fraternity to the fact that the management is probably doing the best with the material at hand, and that if faster baseball is desired the baseball public should be willing to provide the wherewithal to secure the services of the wanted material. "Fan's" suggestion of a whole lot less razz and more shouts of encouragement is also pertinent. If the poor sort of sportmanship the grandstand has been displaying much of the season is continued it will not take long to kill out senior baseball completely.

At a time when employers of labor are being urged to keep everyone possible on the payroll it is hard to understand the action of the department of education in increasing the minimum of pupils to be taught by a single teacher from 35 to 40, with the result that in places the size of Cranbrook the trustees have been able to dispense with the services of four instructors. In addition to unnecessarily increasing unemployment the new regulation is not at all in the best interests of education, and particularly in rural schools where the teacher takes all the grades from one to eight.

In addition to disappointing his followers by failing to make good on the promises so lavishly made in the campaign a year ago, Premier Bennett is not proving all that he was expected to be in the way of a fighter who neither gives or expects quarter. A few days ago in the house the premier was out looking for sympathy with the statement "that opposition members had boasted they will wear me out with hard work." If the premier is being overworked he has no one to blame but himself. He has a cabinet of about twenty members and if they cannot be safely trusted to help carry the load its about time he was replacing them with more likely material. The worst is yet to come.

Premier Bennett's whole trouble is that he has surrounded himself with a cabinet that he has none too much confidence in, and prefers to carry too much of the load. This is aptly illustrated in a story recently heard from the capital in which a couple of Liberals twitted a Conservative friend that Mr. Bennett was breaking down badly. The Tory admirer wanted to know how this could be, and the Liberals replied that recently they had walked down Sparks Street behind the Premier, who was talking to himself most of the way. To which the Conservative admirer replied that Mr. Bennett was not talking to himself at all; he was just holding a meeting of his cabinet.

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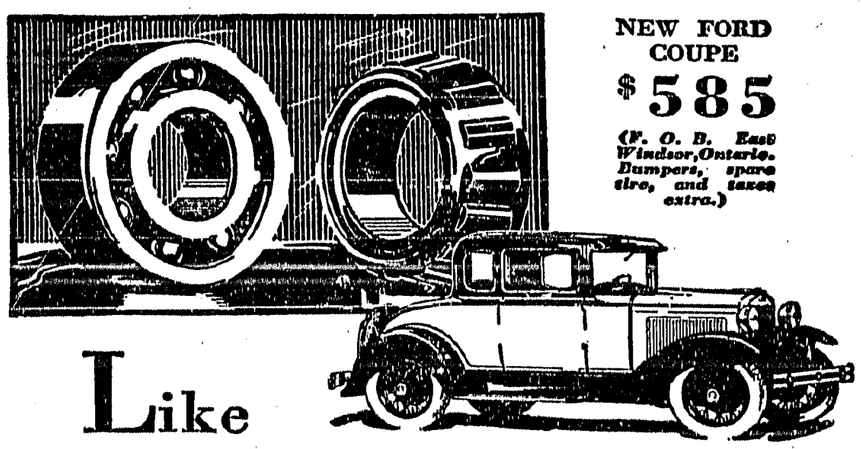

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Local and Personal

W. H. Browne, grazing ranger, of Nelson, was here at the first of the week making a survey of the flats hay crop and had a meeting with the executive of the Stockbreekers' Association on Monday afternoon. He reports the crop as somewhat heavier than last season and expects to be issuing permits before the end of July.

Jas. and Geo. Waldie of Nelson and William Waldie of Kimberley, who were here for the funeral of th ir sister, the late Mrs. Percy Truscott, were guests of W. J Truscott during their stay. Mrs. Wilson of McMurdo, a sister, and Mrs. R. Waldie of Ne son, sister-in-law, were guests of Mrs. H. Truscott, and Alex. Waldie of Kimberley, and Andrew Waldie of Trail, brothers f deceased, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dodd.

Creston baseball team was defeated at Kimberley on Dominion Day by a score of 8 to 7 in the most exciting diamond contest that town has ever seen. Considerable of the pep was taken out of Creston in the sixth inning when third baseman Baum was injured in a collision with a Kimberley runner who was trapped between second and third who bumped into Baum with such force that the Creston player had to be taken to Kimberley hospital for care.

Slightly better than 100 couples were in attendance at the Canadian Legion dance in Exhibition Park pavilion on Wednesday night, for which music was furnished by Creston orchestra under the leadership of A. Erickson, whose playing was favorably commented upon by the dancers, and showing improvement as the evening advanced. The affair was in aid of Creston hospital and after meeting expenses there will be substantial surplus to turn over to the hospital.

Rev. P. and Mrs. McNabb left on Wednesday for Vancouver, where they will spend a few days before going on to Victoria where they will reside for the present at least. He has been pastor of the Presbyterian Church for almost two years, during which time he made many friends with all dehominations and was particularly zealous with his work among the boys and girls, his activity in this direction including work of this sort at Kitchener, West Creston and Alice Siding. Mrs. McNabb's health has been poorly of late, and all hope the change will prove beneficial.

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Local and Personal

Service at Christ Church on Sunday will be at 7.30 p.m.

Mrs. Fransen left on Wednesday for a two weeks visit with friends at Moyie, Cranbrook and Kimberley.

Mrs. Hare arrived from Merritt at the first of the week, on a visit with her son, C. H. Hare.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Ford light delivery, in good shape, or will trade on milch cow. N. Husband, Wynndel.

R. J. Forbes, manager of the Bank of Commerce, was a motor visitor to Calgary, Alberta, at the middle of the week.

Miss Hazel Hobden, teacher in Division 5 of the public school, will spend the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Whittaker, at Cranbrook.

Miss Gladys Webster, who is on the staff of the Michel-Natal consolidated school, is here for the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs J. H. Webster.

Saturday's weather was anything but favorable for the evening lawn social at Mrs. E. W. Payne's under the auspices of the Women's Auxilairy of Christ Church. The cash intake was about $16.

Creston will open the East Kootenay baseball league season on Sunday afternoon at Exhibition Park when they meet Canal Flats at 3 o'clock. Every fan is urged to turn out and get the team off to a good start for the league championship.

Raspberries are on the shipping list now, the first crate moving on Thursday of last week from the ranch of R. Stewart & Son, Alice Siding. The past two weeks of showery weather has benefitted the crop very much, although it will be lighter than usual due to frost injury.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

About Baseball

Editor Review:

Sir, Baseball gets off to a new start on Sunday when Creston plays its first home game in the East Kootenay league, to which organization is that been admitted to take the place of Cranbrook-Lumberton. With Kimberley, Canal Flats and Fernie furnishing the opposition it looks as if Creston is in for a couple of months of real good baseball.

Now that those handling the sport have given it a new lease on life it is to be hoped the fans will be out in very large numbers to make the start most auspicious.

Aside entirely from any financial embarassment the management may have suffered, the slowing up in enthusiasm so manifest in the last couple of games is not exactly fair to the team.

While it is true the number of wins turned in by the locals to date has been disappointing the poor showing has not been deliberate on the part of the players. Undoubtedly they did their best, but it was not quite good enough.

And in demanding better baseball the fans must remember there is just so much talent to select from, and now that this has had a good tryout it can safely be said after the success against the Courthouse Nine on June 28th, and at Canal Flats on Sunday, that Creston is in a position to field its strongest nine for the league opener on Sunday.

If Creston can not hold its own in this new company the management is quite prepared to supply reinforcements, but this can only be done where the gate receipts are sufficient, hence the request for larger attendances.

And in turning over the new leaf no harm will come of the fans showing just a little more consideration for the players in the way of shouting encouragement and witholding uncalled for "riding."

The grandstand has the right idea in connection with Shortstop Christie who is breaking into senior company in encouraging fashion. When he makes a poor play the crowd is generous with its "Better luck next time." A little more of that sort of effort toward the other players should be forthcoming. Babe Ruth strikes out occasionally.

Let's have a record turnout on Sunday and give the backers of the game encouragement to continue—and the wherewithal to field a winning team if the talent now at hand is unable to supply the much santed winning aggregation.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Canada imported nearly $46,000,000 worth of American industrial machinery last year.

Shoe manufacturers of the Netherlands will ask for legislation requiring all foreign-made shoes to be marked with the country of origin.

A miniature flying squadron will invade Ottawa August 28 and 29, when the second annual championship contests of the Model Aircraft League of Canada will be held.

Thirteen thousand pigeons were entered for what was called the world's greatest pigeon race held on Saturday, June 13, 1931, from Amiens, France, to Newcastle, England.

Dr. Hugo Eckener announced that he had definitely abandoned the Graf Zeppelin North Pole flight, in view of the delay encountered by the submarine "Nautilus."

President Hoover has decided to let the silver problem alone until he has disposed of his proposal for a year's moratorium on inter-governmental debts.

Heading for the far north in order to make a 2,000-mile boat trip down the Mackenzie River across to the Yukon, a party of ten orange growers from southern California arrived at Edmonton recently.

A gold brick valued at $19,000 was brought to Vancouver from the Pioneer gold mine in the Bridge River district of British Columbia. The brick represented one week's work at the mine.

Four young Swedish architects have triumphed in Soviet Russia, from where they have jointly carried home a prize in an international competition for a people's theatre at Charkow.

Prospects for a real crop of fall wheat in Ontario are good, it is indicated in weekly crop reports submitted by agricultural representatives to the Ontario Department of Agriculture.

Decline In Construction

Building Figures In Canada Show Considerable Falling Off

A falling off in building construction in Canada was recorded for May. Building permits issued in 61 cities reporting to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics amounted to $11,868,000 as against $13,786,000 in April, and $20,321,000 in May of last year. The total of the first five months of 1931 was $49,001,000, the lowest figure in the past decade.

Of the larger cities, Montreal reported a higher total of building permits issued both in April, 1931, and in May, 1930, while in Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver there was a decrease in both comparisons. St. Boniface and North Vancouver recorded increases in the value of the building authorized as compared with both the preceding month of the same months of last year.

World's Grain Show

Farmers of the Republic of Esthonia will be taking part in the competitive classes of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference in Regina in 1932, it is officially announced. Esthonia's participation will cover competitive classes for wheat, rye, oats, grass seed and flax seed.

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—Der Brummer, Berlin.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JULY 5

THE GIFT OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

Golden Text: "Ye shall receive power, when the Holy Spirit is come upon you; and ye shall be my witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea and Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."—Acts 1.8.

Lesson: Acts 1.6-14; 2.1-47.

Devotional Reading: John 16.7-14.

Explanations and Comments

Christ's Reply To a Question, 1.6, 7. —The disciples had had their vision of their Risen Lord, and now it seems that He manifested Himself to them once more before His final departure. The question which had engrossed much of their thoughts during His life with them was still uppermost in their minds, and now that He was alive after His crucifixion, must it not be that He would restore the kingdom of Israel, become king of an independent Jewish state? This they asked Him. "They argued—and doubtless we in their place had argued, too—that nothing would be of such great service to them as definite knowledge of the part they were to play in the opening picture."

"It is not for you to know times or seasons, which the Father hath set within His own authority," was the answer of Christ. "Are there few that shall be saved?" once they had asked Him, and He was silent. "Lord, what shall this man do?" Peter had queried about John, after Jesus had revealed to him that he should die a martyr's death, and Jesus had replied, "What is that to thee? Follow thou Me." So now, in answer to their questions of curiosity, He replies, "It is not for you to know." Jesus refused to give the kind of knowledge that would gratify the curiosity or the intellect, but he never was silent regarding matters of conduct.

The World Task, 1.8.—But ye shall receive power, when the Holy Spirit is come upon you. "They were all thinking about 'kingdoms,' but the kingdom of the disciples was a little, vanishing splendour, while the Kingdom of Christ was the whole universe and purpose of God." "His answer implies that He would restore the Kingdom to Israel; not, however, to 'Israel after the flesh,' as the apostles imagined, but to 'the Israel of God,' that is, to Christian believers of every nation, by making Christianity the dominant religion throughout the world."—Dummelow.

And ye shall be my witnesses both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and Samarie, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. "The missionary enterprise is not the Church's afterthought; it is Christ's forethought." —Henry Van Dyke.

Waiting and Praying, 1.12-14. — The apostles, together with Mary, the mother of Jesus, and other women and brethren, returned to Jerusalem and, in the Upper Room where they were wont to meet, with one accord continued steadfastly in prayer.

Empowered For the World Task, 2.1-4.—The word Pentecost means "the fiftieth day feast"; it received its name because observed fifty days after the third day of the Passover, Leviticus, 23.15. On the day of Pentecost following Christ's crucifixion, ten days after His departure, the disciples were together in Jerusalem still waiting for the promised coming of the Holy Spirit, for which they had been praying.

Suddenly there came a sound which was not that of wind (but a mighty, rushing wind was the only thing to which Luke could compare it) which filled the house. Compare 1 Kings 19. 11-13; John 3.8. And they saw something which was not fire, but could only be compared to tongues of fire resting upon each one.

And they all, not the apostles only, but the one hundred and twenty followers of Christ, there present, were filled with the Holy Spirit, "filled as a sponge dipped into the sea is filled with the ocean." This is the great fact of Pentecost. The symbols which were like wind and like fire disappeared after a time; the accompanying gift of "speaking with tongues" was also transient, but the Spirit's presence was abiding, and by His aid they were enabled to fulfill their great commission of proclaiming Jesus Christ and the power of His resurrection.

Beds Of Oyster Shells

Alberta Discovery Will Be Developed Commercially

Oyster shell, great beds of them, have been found on the Oldman River near Hillspring, Alberta, and will be developed commercially. The oyster shell, according to tests made at the University of Alberta Laboratory, is almost pure lime and will be marketed by a syndicate as fertilizer, poultry feed and lime. The shells are deposits from prehistoric times, vestiges of marine life when this portion of the west was the bed of a great sea.

Manitoba Peat Beds

A request is being made to the Federal Department of Mines by persons interested in the peat industry for a survey of the peat beds in the northeastern part of Manitoba.

I.O.O.F. GRAND MASTER

M. A. Fletcher, Colgate, Sask., who has been elected Grand Master of the I.O.O.F. of Saskatchewan for the year 1931-32.

Prairie Mining Industry

Over Five Million Dollars Paid Out In Wages In Manitoba and Saskatchewan

In the course of an article on the growth of manufacturing in Saskatchewan, appearing in "The Hub," Frank A. Boldman, Chairman of the Saskatoon branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, notes that "The mining industries of Northern Manitoba and Saskatchewan, in 1929, spent over $5,000,000 in wages. Three hundred thousand dollars were spent for groceries, vegetables, meat and other necessities of life; 2½ million dollars for machinery, and over 1¼ million dollars for other supplies: in short, the mining industry spent, in round figures, about $12,000,000 in 1929."

Imperial Cadet Expedition

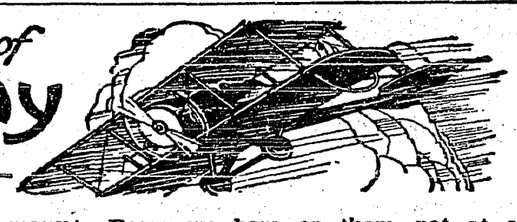
Arrangements Completed For Visit Of British Boys To Canada This Year

The committee of the headquarters' conference, representing 151 public schools of the British Isles and 27 schools overseas, has approved arrangements for the imperial cadet expedition to Canada this summer.

According to word received at Ottawa, Major W. L. King, M.C. (Cheltenham), will lead the expedition, composed of 25 cadets with Lt. C. Burton-Brown (Bradfield), as second in command.

The team will sail from Southampto on July 29.

The ADVENTURES of CAPTAIN JIMMY and his Dog SCOTTIE



WHAT CAME BEFORE: — After many adventures flying over China, Captain Jimmy is captured by bandits. He escapes in a freight train and meets an old friend, Lieut. Stone on board, seeking a brother who has also been captured by bandits.

After we had cut the freight engine free from the cars, we roared along the tracks at a great rate. Now and then we rushed by little groups of soldiers in the fields. Soon we would be near the enemy's headquarters.

"We're getting close up to the lines," I yelled above the infernal racket and clattering our engine was making. "Before long we must abandon ship and set out on foot. Otherwise some stupid Chinese General may have ties put on the track and stop us. And it's going to be just the least bit difficult to make him believe we didn't steal this old wagon. So I think we'd better swap this thing while we still own it."

"Too late. Here he is," Stone replied. There, on the track, not half a mile away was piled an immense number of wooden ties. Around about were perhaps a hundred soldiers with eight or ten officers on horseback.

"Jump before we're hit, Jed," I hollered. "Get a horse somehow and ride for those woods. There will be plenty of vacant ponies when they hear us go into action with our brakes and whistle. You understand, Fu?" I added.

"Uh Huh—me savvy," Fu answered.

The group of soldiers stood near the obstruction on the track and waited for us to arrive. Quite apparently they expected us to set the brakes and come to a stop. But they didn't know our brakes.

Down we bore on them—not at any great speed—but I could see that we were going to hit with a sound thump.

Suddenly we jammed on the brakes, pulled the whistle valve wide open and skated into their midst like a shrieking, fire-eating dragon.

"Jump!"

And jump we all did. Scottie went into action with the rest of us, and, having the advantage of being on top of the tender, he quite naturally jumped higher and went further.

Out of the corner of my eye I saw him sail thru' the air. A Chinese officer was striving to quiet a frantic horse. Straight as a bullet sailed Scottie landing right on the back of that Chinaman's neck.

Off the horse they both went, and of all the blood curdling yells—whew! — that officer just knew the old dragon had got him at last.

Meanwhile I was doing a bit of sailing on my own account.

I jumped for a man on horseback but I miscalculated my speed and missed him entirely. Just behind him, however, was a second mounted Chinaman and I closed in on him like a football tackler and off he went.

There was no time to stop and palaver and argue about methods. I had to get a horse and get out — and so I did. It was a regular bedlam let loose. Our old locomotive had slid into those ties, kicked a few off the track and then rolled over on her back, wheels in the air, like a tired old horse.

(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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Exemption Of Cream Cheques From Two-Cent Tax Is Urged

Exemption of cream cheques from the two-cent tax has been urged upon the government in a memorandum presented by the National Dairy Council.

The memorandum says that throughout Canada farmers daily receive small cheques amounting to from $2 to $4 on delivering cream to creameries.

It is contended the price of the product will be adjusted on account of the stamp tax so that the farmer will eventually be the loser.

Vancouver Exhibition

Splendid progress is being made in the erection of new buildings by the Vancouver Exhibition Association which will run to an expenditure of about $300,000 and will likely be completed during August.

New Woollen Mill

British Firm To Erect Factory Near Toronto

A new Canadian woollen mill, which will turn out yarn exclusively, is now erected in York Township, near Toronto, for Patons and Baldwin, Ltd., large woollen manufacturers, of Halifax, Yorkshire, England. The first units of the new mill will cost in the neighborhood of $750,000 and are expected to be ready for operation in six months. The industry will give employment to from 400 to 500 workers and contemplated extensions, which will be undertaken at a later date, will probably double the cost of the plant and entail a much larger staff.

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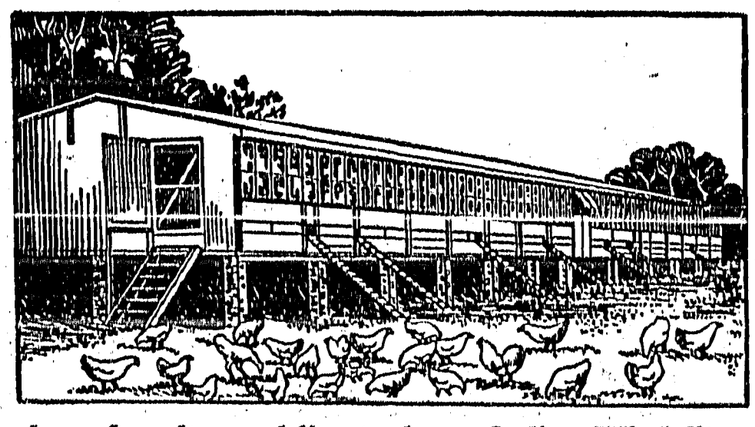

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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued.

Almost reluctantly Nick turned to go below, moving with stealth, not wishing to disturb the sleeping occupants of the "Sea Bird." But before he had taken a dozen steps he stopped in surprise. Angela was coming toward him wrapped in a long white cloak, her feet incased in satin slippers that made no sound. She came swiftly forward, and laying a hand upon his arm, said softly: "I couldn't sleep. Take me where no one can hear us, Nick. I want to talk."

For a moment Nick wished intensely that he had turned in earlier. He didn't want confidences from anyone, and Angela's lowered voice and stealthy manner subtly repelled him. He answered, and hated himself for speaking softly: "I was just thinking of going down. This is no time to talk, Angela. It's after midnight, and everyone's asleep."

"Nick, I—I need you."

Her voice was pleading; her eyes more so; her hand on his arm pressed gently. Nick's pity stirred, even while his heart hardened.

"Won't it keep till tomorrow—what you want to say?"

She dropped her hand from his arm and turned away, a sob shaking her shoulders. That was too much for Nick. Scorning his caution of a moment since, he said, stretching out a hand: "What's the trouble, Angela? Of course I'll let you talk if it will help."

They turned, and going to the stern, sat down together.

"What's troubling you?" Nick asked again.

She raised her head. The moon, creeping from behind the clouds, illumined her sharply, and he saw traces of tears upon her face. What a brute he had been to withhold his sympathy!

"If—if I can help you, Angela," he began, when she interrupted:

"You can. I—of course you saw, Nick, that the Colonel's story did me up? But—but not for the reason that you thought. I—I never heard of Painter's Neck before, nor of those awful people; but—but it brought back something else. I shan't go into it, but it's given me a nightmare. We're nearing port, and I don't know what to do. I want you to tell me."

"Tell you what?"

"Why, you've seen how things are, of course. You know Jim Halliday and I can't get along. What you're to tell me is—shall I stick to him? I promised—but—but what do you believe about the permanency of one's marriage vows?"

The clouds had lifted higher, leaving a path of silver across the sea that led Nick straight to a mountain cabin in old New England. He saw a girl's sweet face upturned to his. He saw himself, a boy then, a boy a little shy of the big moment—a little uncertain about the future, yet saying with all the ardor and abandon of untried youth: "God's a good enough witness for me, Gay; and I promise you now that I'll love you . . . and be true to you . . . ."

He turned to Angela. She was very beautiful in the moonlight, but he scarcely saw her.

"As for one's marriage vows," he answered gently, "I can only say that to me, they were a promise—and that I keep my word."

Her hand drummed nervously on her knee.

"But," she hesitated, "if you knew—absolutely—if you had proof that your wife had been untrue to you—"

Nick might, of course, have felt furiously insulted at this insinuation. What he actually did feel was mirth. The idea was so utterly absurd that he laughed aloud, forgetting for once his sleeping shipmates. Then, realizing that Angela might have been hiding her own tragedy behind the question, he sobered instantly.

"Forgive me, Angela; but what you said sounded so outrageous. You see, you don't know Gay. Still, if you want a serious answer to a preposterous question, I'll say that when I find my wife has—well—ceased to care for me, I'll leave her free."

She drew a quick breath; stretched out a hand; withdrew it hastily, and arose. Nick, too, arose, relieved that the midnight interview was over. He didn't like this sort of thing, and felt impatient when Angela lingered at the rail, her cloak slipping from her shoulders as if by accident.

Nick moved a step away. Why had she put that question to him, anyway? Was he an oracle to settle her domestic troubles? He stirred uneasily, but she chose not to take the hint, and stood gazing down into the water that lapped restlessly against the boat. She had not troubled to replace the cloak, which seemed, in that dim light, no whiter than the shoulders that rose above it.

"I wish," she said, and her voice trembled, "I wish I had the courage to slip down into those depths and end it all."

Instantly he was at her side—all sympathy.

"Angela! don't say a thing like that. What has come over you? You were gay as a lark this afternoon, or seemed so anyway. Come! what you need is sleep. Things will look brighter in the morning. Surely, my friend, there are worse fates than yours. Your husband isn't a brute. You may not love him, but he's not cruel to you."

"You mean, I suppose, that he doesn't beat me? Oh, Nick, there are other cruelties——"

She lifted those innocent eyes—never so innocent before. Nick wondered savagely how anyone could wound her. She looked as helpless as one of his own children. He forgot everything else in his desire to comfort her as he put a hand gently on her shoulder.

"There!" he said, as he would have soothed a hurt or weeping child, "there, Angela, you mustn't feel like this. But if it helps to know that I understand, and—and care for your happiness——"

"Oh, it does! It does!"

She turned, and, somehow, slipped. Nick's arm went round her, catching her as she fell, and for a moment she lay, a yielding weight, against his breast. The clouds had gathered again now. The night was dark, and the boat stirred uneasily, like some huge monster tugging at its chain.

Nick likewise stirred.

"Angela," he began, but she raised a hand, pressing it against his lips as if to silence him; then, turning, she slipped an arm about his neck and kissed his cheek.

It was a caress so soft, so sweet, so fugitive, that, alone on the deck for a moment later, Nick wondered if it had been a dream. In sheer surprise he sat down limply, and taking out his handkerchief, wiped at the spot, as if by doing so he could erase the memory. Then, dazedly, he went below.

How had it happened? he asked himself as he tossed restlessly in his narrow berth. It was only to save her from falling that he had caught her in his arms. She couldn't have misunderstood. Perhaps it was merely a kiss of gratitude for his sympathy. Yes (with a sigh of real relief), that was it, a—a sisterly kiss. It would be idiotic to suppose she meant it any other way; and yet . . . By George! what was the use of trying to kid himself like this? There was nothing sisterly about it!

Nick arose, and going to the porthole, looked out, but the stars and moon were no longer visible. As he lay down again, longing for sleep, he had a vague, uneasy feeling that everything was wrong. What was there in a kiss to excite a fellow so? . . . . What would Gay say when he told her? Then—could he tell her? Would it be fair to Angela? . . . . How soft her lips had felt against his cheek . . . . and there was a fragrance about her, too . . . . some sort of perfume . . . . or was it merely the scent of shrubs from the island? . . . . Darned if he knew . . . . Of course he should tell Gay. He hadn't had a secret from her in five years. . . . . Still, she didn't like Angela, and—well—darned if he'd like her himself if she kept on this way! Did she think him an innocent with no experience—or a scoundrel?

Mighty funny—that story about Painter's Neck. . . . . And Halliday was an uncommon name, as the Colonel said. . . . . He wondered if a storm were on the way. There was something confoundedly oppresive in the air. . . . . If a storm came Angela might be seasick and stay below; but, come to think of it, she was a good sailor! . . . . Why in thunder did she have to spoil everything? . . . . Perhaps Gay was right. . . . Perhaps. . . . .

This was Nick's last conscious thought. He slept heavily. It was the Colonel who woke him—an agitated Colonel in striped pajamas, pounding at Nick with one hand even while he struggled frantically with a pair of flannel trousers and a life preserver.

The boat was careening at such an angle that for a dazed moment Nick thought he was standing on his head. Then came a crash, and, instantly broad awake, he knew that a hurricane was upon them.

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Japan Has Strong Army

Figures On Nation's Military Strength Submitted To League

The Japanese war office has published figures on the nation's military strength which will be submitted to the League of Nations.

The army numbered 231,600 men, including officers, in addition to 2,210 men in the gendarmerie and about 20,000 police in Korea, Formosa and Manchuria.

The aviation branch totalled 623 aeroplanes and eight regiments and organization of two new air regiments was contemplated.

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European travel is going to be much cheaper this summer according to an announcement from the local offices of the Cunard Steamship Co., Limited. Hotel rates will be lower also. With the world proceeding at a reduced pace and money growing in value daily, the men at the heads of European railroads and hotels realize that the only way of winning the Canadian dollar is by holding out more than a dollar's worth in order to attract it. Consequently, there have been reduced rates for tours in Great Britain and deep cuts in railway and hotel rates throughout the continent. It will be much cheaper to travel this season, the reductions ranging from fifteen to forty per cent. In France it will be possible to ride around daily for two weeks for the sum of $50.45.

The Norwegian Railways have announced a reduction in fares varying from fifteen to thirty per cent. This condition will last all summer.

The French railways are issuing a coupon for $1.00 which enables the holder to purchase a railroad pass good for two weeks at $66.70 for first class and $50.45 for second class accommodations. This pass will permit the holder to use the French railways at any time within the two weeks specified there being no restriction as to its use. For families there are greater reductions, the cuts reaching from twenty to forty per cent.

On group business Germany is granting twenty-five per cent. reduction for fifteen to fifty passengers and an additional reduction for larger groups.

Many of the hotels will maintain their low winter schedules during the summer.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

—By Aline Michaelis—

PRESSED SEA-WEED

Between the yellowed pages of a book
A bit of sea-weed met my hand today,
And it had gained in that closed place a look
All alien to its home of wave and spray.
What once was rosy-red now gray and dim,
What once was lithe with life now stiff and stark.
What once might drift from ocean rim to rim
Shut closely here in an unending dark!

Old time and change, like pages, sometimes close
Upon the inflorescence of a heart,
Turning drab-hued what had been glowing rose
While slowly vital essences depart.
Yet even in pressed sea-weed one divines
The lift of foam and ocean's flowing lines!

Many mothers have reason to bless Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator, because it has relieved the little ones of suffering and made them healthy.

Too Many Complexes

Broad-Minded International Ideal Needed To Save Civilization

There are too many complexes in the civilization of today, according to Dr. George M. Weir, of the University of British Columbia, Vancouver.

"We are developing too much second-hand thinking, crowd thinking," he declared, addressing a Toronto service club. "Our civilization appeals to sickly love romances, and if you don't believe it, go to some of the talkies and movies in your neighborhood."

A broad international ideal would be the best thing to save civilization, he said.

Tommy—Mothers is awful.

His Father—Why, Tommy?

Tommy—If my ears is dirty, mother washes 'em, and if my ears is clean she whips me for goin' swimmin'."

A library of more than 3,000 manuscripts has been unearthed by Dr. Sven Hedin's expedition at ruins in the Gobi Desert.

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Little Helps For This Week

"I will guide thee with Mine eye."
—Psalm xxxii. 8.

Of his high attributes beyond the most,
I thank my God for that Omniscient eye,
Beneath whose blaze no secret thing can lie,
In His infinitude of being, lost.
I bless my God I am not wrecked and tossed
Upon a sea of doubt, with power to fly
And hide, somewhither in immensity,
One single sin out of His reckoning crossed.
For even there—self-conscious of its thrall—
Might spring the terror,—"If He knew the whole,
And tracked the skulking guilt out of its goal,
He could not pardon!" But, or great, or small,
He knows the inmost foldings of my soul,
And knowing utterly, forgives me all!
—Margaret J. Preston.

His eye is upon our ways, upon our souls; and we may look into that eye. We know, or may know, on what that eye rests with pleasure, on what it rests with pity, on what it rests with condemnation; and we can, if we will, always do the things that please Him; and can make His good pleasure our constant motive, our rule of duty, our reason of doing and not doing. We can shape ourselves under the eye of God, as He would have us.
—Andrew P. Peabody.

Expect Record Exports

With the sailing of 15 ships, crammed with butter, cheese, wool and other New Zealand products, from Wellington, it was predicted that the present export season would break the record for the country. Three vessels carried a total of 36,000 bales of wool, 800 bales of sheep skins, 56,000 boxes of butter and 28,000 crates of cheese, as well as other cargo. One ship carried the largest wool cargo in a single vessel for many years.

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Percy Truscott and the Waldie family sincerely thank the friends for the kindness and sympathy shown in their bereavement, and would especially thank those who were able to assist in various ways for their appreciated help.

R. T. Millner wishes to thank the residents of Canyon, Camp Lister, Erickson and Huscroft for the courtesy and co-operation extended him while acting as census enumerator for the above districts.

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Local and Personal

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, in good shape, $100. F. W. Ash, Creston.

Dr. Olivier was a Dominion Day visitor with the family at Blairmore, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cook are Spokane visitors this week, leaving on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. M. Archibald was a visitor with Rossland friends a few days the latter part of the week.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy Lille of Blairmore, Alberta, were weekenk visitors with the former's mother, Mrs. L. Lille.

Miss Meldrum, vice-principal of the public school, left on Tuesday to spend the holidays at her home in Vancouver.

The July meeting of Creston Post of the Canadian Legion will be held at Lister school house on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

FOR SALE—Light dray, made from Ford chassis, just the thing for hauling fruit. Morrow's Blacksmith Shop, Creston.

HOUSE FOR SALE—8-room residence on Victoria Avenue. For full particulars enquire Mrs. Kernaghan, Creston.

FOR SALE—Cut of alfalfa hay in field, can be seen at Thomas ranch, Huscroft. Apply John Bird. Camp Lister, B.C.

Fishing season opened in Summit Creek on Wednesday and there was quite a rush of local anglers to have first try at the stream.

Mr. and Mrs. and Miss Katherine Shultis of Bonners Ferry spent a couple of days here last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Farris.

Sheriff M. E. Harper of Nelson was here on an official visit on Saturday when he disposed of a seized Ford truck which brought $100 by aution.

Miss M. L. Wade, teacher of Division 3 of Creston public school, left on Wednesday for the summer vacation at her home at Cloverdale.

The Sunday school in connection with Christ Church has closed for July and August. Sessions will be resumed the first Sunday in September.

Miss Dorothea Spratt, nurse-in-training at Kootenay Lake General Hospital Nelson, was a weekend visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Spratt.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Kelly and Evelyn left at the middle of the week on a combined business and pleasure trip to the coast, where they will be guests of Mrs. Kelly's mother at New Westminster.

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Creston baseball team was showing its old time form at Canal Flats on Sunday afternoon and won the first game of the league series by a score of 10 to 5.

School closed for the midsummer vacation Tuesday noon, and is due to reopen on August 31st. Up to the present there have been no resignations from the staff.

The rainy weather that has prevailed almost since the middle of June came to an end on Wednesday and old time sunny July weather seems to have set in to stay.

Mrs. E. Ryckman of Kellogg, Idaho, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cameron of Cranbrook were here for the Legion dance on Wednesday evening, visiting with E Ryckman.

Donald Archibald, who has been at Brentwood College, Victoria, arrived at the end of the week to spend the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Archibald.

Principal Marriott of the public school, and vice-principal Sostad of the high school, got away on Tuesday for the two months' vacation, which they will spend at the coast.

Creston and District Women's Institute have the July meeting on Friday afternoon next at which a new secretary will be appointed to replace Miss Edith Crawford, who has resigned.

Only 20 pupils wrote on the Grade 8, or entrance to high school examinations at Creston this year, closing on Tuesday. Six of these were from Erickson, five from Canyon, one from Alice Siding.

Miss Phyllis Foxall, ledgerkeeper at the Imperial Bank, is taking vacation this month and is visiting with friends in Vancouver and Seattle, making the trip by auto with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Kelly.

Jas. Wilson of Cranbrook arrived last week to take charge of the Exchange barber shop for a couple of months. A. E. French, proprietor, is taking a few weeks off on account of indifferent health

The ratepayers of Creston school district will meet in annual session on Saturday evening, July 11th. Mrs. Henderson is the retiring trustee, and J. W. Hamilton's term as auditor has also expired.

Rev. R. E. Cribb got away at the middle of the week for New Westminister, where he will spend his usual month's vacation. Mrs. Cribb and children have been in that ity for the past six weeks

There will be no services in the Lutheran Church on Sunday. The pastor, Rev. C. Baase, is at Stony Plain, Alberta attending the annual conference of the Lutheran Churches of Alberta and British Columbia.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Avery of Medicine Hat, Alberta, arrived last week and are occupying the house on the McKay ranch on Grandview Heights, while looking the Valley over with the intention of purchasing a home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lanning of Vancouver, brother and mother of Mrs. Levirs, were motor visitors at the first of the week, and on Wednesday Principal and Mrs. Levirs left with them to spend the holidays at the coast city.

Creston had its first burgalry of the year on Monday night when Creston Drug & Book Store was entered by a rear window and the contents of the cash register taken, amounting to $10. A careful checkup of the store would indicate that few goods were taken.

The sidewalks in town have received considerable attention in the way of repairs the past week. The new walk put down on Third street from the C.P.R. tracks to the Mallandaine building is a decided improvement.

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C. B. T igg, provincial horticulturist, of Cranbrook, was here at the first of the week on his fortnightly official visit of inspection, and reports that apples are showing a remarkable sise for so early in the year. Mrs. Twigg accompanied him.

The funeral of the late Angus Currie took place on Thursday afternoon last with quite a large turnout of old friends to pay their last respects. The service was in charge of Rev. P. McNabb and the pallbearers were L. N. Leamy, Joe Tebeau, Frank Lewis, John Pratt, W and K. Brown.

C. B. Twigg, district agriculturist, has issued his initial crop estimate, and he estimates the 1931 apple yield to be 118,000 boxes as compared with 145,731 in 1930. This year's crop of pears may reach 8000 boxes as compared with 5870 a year ago. Plums and prunes are placed at 4500 as against 3800 last year. The 1931 crabapple crop is estimated at 3592 boxes, which is pretty much the same as a year ago.

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