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Public School's Enrollment, 208

Division 6 Almost Registers 100 Per Cent. Perfect Attendance—All Divisions Make Good Showing for Opening Month.

Division 1—E. Marriott, Principal.
Number attending during month, 34—Grade 8, 20; Grade 7, 14.
Average daily attendance, 31.93.
Proficiency: Grade 8—Phyllis MacDonald, Hughena McCreath, Lloyd McLaren. Grade 7—Theo Tompkins, Douglas Alderson, Robert Willis.
Perfect attendance—D. Alderson, R. Avery, R. Bevan, B. Bourdon, O. Connatty, A. Dodd, J. Donaldson, I. Ferguson, A Klingen mith, R. Hare. M. Henderson, S. Hilton, N. Hintz, P. MacDonald, L. McLaren, H. McCreath, M. Prentice, C. Schmidt, R. Spencer, T. Tompkins, T. Torchia, M. Torchia, G. Vigne.

Division 2—Miss Meldrum, teacher.
Number in class, 38.
Average attendance, 36.76.
Proficiency: Grade 6a—Freda Middleton, Everett Walker, Clarence Embree. Grade 6b—Irene Brady, Doris Beninger, Leona Schmidt.
Perfect attendance—David Armitage, Doris Beninger. Irene Brady, Billy Craig, Gladys Davies, Ruth Davis, Maisie Ferguson. Kenneth Keirn, Billy Kernaghan, Charlie Klingensmith, Wilfred LaBelle, Freda Middleton, Marion Murray, Sam Nastasi, Norman Nickel. Beryl Palmer, Edwin Pendry. Norman Phillips, Leona Schmidt, Everett Walker, Billy Weir, Campbell York, Francis Bourdon.

Division 3—Miss Wade, teacher.
Enrolled, 35.
Attendance per centage, 94.89,
Proficiency: Grade 5a—Ruby Palmer, Egon Hollm, Charlie French. Grade 5b—Lottie Klein, Billy McFarland, Vernon Donaldson.
Perfect attendance—James Bourdon Bernnard Connatty, Lorna Donaldson Vernon Donaldson, Charlie French, Russell Gabelhei, Marguerite Grant, Doris Hendy, Egon Hollm, Edith Johnston, Lottie Klein, Willie Krygsveld, Tom Lewis, Billy McFarland, Irwin Nickel, Ruby Palmer, Georgina Paulson, Eva Phillips, Mary Ross, Clayton Sinclair, Bill Vigne, Edith Walkey, Edra Walkey.

Division 4—Miss Learmonth, teacher.
Enrolled, 37.
Per cent. attendance, 98.10.
Proficiency: Grade 4—Corinne Donneau, Robert Vigne, Kenneth Hester. Grade 3—Margaret Cribb, Charlotte Wilks, Rosie Rota.
Perfect attendance—Holmer Bailey, George Cartwright, George Crawford, Albert Crosby, Margaret Cribb, Corinne Doneau, Jack Hall, Lillian Hendren, Teddy Hewitt, Ernest Hills, Walter Hills, Olga Hurrack, Betty Kernaghan, Tinus Krygsveld, Aileen MacDonald, Ethel MacLaren, Bert McFarland, Tom Ross, Rose Stewart, Thelma Stewart, Elmer Walkey, Ardrey Weir, Charlotte Wilks, Edna Willis.

Division 5—Miss Hobden, teacher.
Enrollment, 37.
Average attendance, 36.04.
Proficiency: Grade 2a—Donald Truscott, Eileen Pendry and Jean Bunt equal, Jean Bailey. Grade 2b—Grace Lewis, William Edwards, Bruce Ross.
Perfect attendance—Jean Bailey, George Bourdon, Jean Bunt, Wilma Donaldson, Kenneth French, Doris Gabelhei, Iky Krygsveld, Billy Lewis, Agnes Lovestrom, Fred MacKay, Russell Martin, Kuirt Pataila, Eileen Pendry, Jean Pridham, Willie Rodgers, Bruce Ross, Dorothea Schmidt, Helen Stewart, Leslie Tooze, Donald Truscott Vivian Walkey, Zola Walkey, Blanche York.

Grade 6—Miss Holmes teacher.
Enrollment, 32.
Average attendance, 31.83.
Proficiency: Grade 1, Senior—Frank Rota, Arthur Pendry, Russell Biccum. Grade 1, Junior—Robert Strong, Stephen Cribb, Louise Hare.
Perfect attendance—Patsy Brady, Allan Comfort, Stephen Cribb, Bertha Gardiner, Louise Hare, Ethel Hendren. Fred Hurrick, Willie Hurrick, Leona Lovestrom Donald MacKay, Victor MacKay, Rosie Morabito, Russell Pridham, Robert Strong, Katheryne Timmons, Margaret Timmons, Lewis Truscott.

FUN FOR ALL!

CARNIVAL

Under auspices K.P. Building Fund.

Exhibition Park Pavilion
CRESTON

Friday & Sat. Oct. 16-17

FULL
Carnival and Midway

JITNEY DANCING
FORTUNE TELLING

8 Good Concessions all under one roof!

BRING THE KIDS

Erickson

Capt. O'Peters reports the sale of Block 19 of six acres to Fred Kelly, and Block 20 of six acres to H H. Tooze, both of Creston. Mr. Peters will offer only four more blocks, 21, 27, 31 and 32, at the special cut price before leaving town. See his announcement.

Mrs. Downes and Mrs. White of Trail were visitors here at the first of the week guests of Mrs. E Cartwright. The former is at the head of the Pythian Sisters in British Columbia.

Thos. Dugdale, who has spent the summer at his ranch here, left on Friday for his home in Bellvue, Alberta.

Creston Presbyterian Ladies' Auxiliary had the October meeting at Mrs. Roy Telford on Friday, which was largely attended.

Mrs. Duane (nee Charlotte Speaker) who has been visiting here left for her hnme at Trail at the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Cartwright and Roy were Cranbrook visitors at the end of the week.

Mrs. H. Campbell of Bellvue, Alberta, who has been at the ranch here the past week, left for home on Friday

Mr. and Mrs. G. McMaster and family left for Cranbrook, where they intend to make their home for the present.

R. M. Telford was a Kimberley visitor on Saturday for a special Knights of Pythias gathering. His son, Sandy, accompanied him.

Canyon City

Mrs. Bateman, who has spent the past few months here a guest of her son, Jim, and daughter, Mrs. Manfred Samuelson, left a few days ago for Lethbridge, Alberta, where she will spend the winter.

Some of the ranchers were busy at the first of the week taking off the third cut of alfalfa. The yield is light, but quality excellent.

Canyon school did not take the usual half-holiday to inspect Creston fair on Wednesday, and regret was expressed that Canyon had no display in the school district exhibit.

The pick of winter apples has commenced, and the crop is a good one. Due to a slow demand most of these will have to go storage for a time, at least.

John Nygaard, jr., was the holder of the lucky ticket on the cash drawing at Creston fair, and won the $10 prize.

No Paper Next Week

Following the usual custom of taking a week's vacation each year, there will be no issue of The Review on Friday, October 16. The business office will be open throughout the week for payment of bills and transaction of ordinary business.

Defer Naming Plebiscite Date

West Kootenay Company Company Fails to Make Promised Statement—Will Rent Exhibition Building for Badminton.

Action in connection with the proposed plebiscite on the village electric light franchise was further deferred one week, by the council at the special session on Monday night, at which all members were present, and Reeve Jackson presiding.

At the regular meeting in September the council was informed that by October 1st West Kootenay Power & Light Co pany would advise as to when they would proceed with Goat River canyon development, but up till Monday night no word has been received. At the meeting a letter was read from L. M. Simpson, president of Creston Power & Light Company, Limited, confirming the statements made by him at the September council meeting, at which Mr. Simpson informed that no correspondence had passed between his company and the West Kootenay Company in connection with the latter buying out Creston Power & Light Company.

In an extended discussion of the matter the councillors all expressed different views as to what should be done. Councillor Edmondson believed the plebiscite should be taken forthwith, his definite opinion being that if this was done it would speedily bring the two companies together.

Councillor Henderson's view was that the p ebiscite was not in order, his objection being that it would provide Mr. Simpson with something on which he could go out and sell stock to the general public, and he (Henderson) strongly opposed the village giving any man or firm such an opportunity Councillor Henderson also doubted whether the village could give a franchise even if the vote were favorable, but this view was combatted by the reeve who proceded to read sections from the Village Act to support his view.

Reeve Jackson favored writing letters to the minister of lands as well as the comptroller of water rights setting forth the failure of the West Kootenay Company to live up to the terms of the agreement upon which it was given the right to develop the canyon power. He also asked that the motion to grant the plebiscite be adopted unanimously, and when this was found impossible the matter was dropped until the next regular meeting of the council on Tuesday next, by which time replies will be to hand from Victoria, and if these are not satisfactory the reeve promised to second the Edmondson motion granting a plebisite, and have the vote taken just as quickly as the law allows. It is understood Creston Power & Light Company will pay all the plebiscite expense.

O Sostad and E. Whitfield were present on behalf of the Badminton Club to have the council reconsider the question of renting the fall fair main building to the club for use this winter. On motion of Councillors Henderson and Edmondson it was decided to let the club have it two nights and two afternoons a week at $10 per month, the club to pay for the light and fuel used.

There was a letter from the hospital board asking for permission to hold a raffle of an auto to clear the hospital of debt, and consent to hold the raffle was given by the village on motion of Councillors Henderson and Edmondson.

GRAND THEATRE
FRI.-SAT., Oct. 9-10

Why do Girls from the East go West for their Vacations?

See

'Dude Ranch'

with a fun-loving cast including

JACK OAKIE
STUART ERWIN
MITZI GREEN
EUGENE PALLETTE
JUNE COLLYER

Alice Siding

Harry Compton, who has been with the C.P.R. at Rossland for the past few weeks arrived home on Friday.

Mrs. Hector Stewart left a few days ago on a visit with her parents at Wasa.

Mrs. Robertson of Cranbrook is a visitor here this week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parkin

Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith of Lumdbreck, Alberta, are guests of Mrs. Dick Smith.

W. A. Pease has just about completed the erection of a commodious poultry house on the Beazer place, where they are now residing.

Mrs. Valentine and son of Nelson arrived on Sunday on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Schade and family are now occupying the Sherwood house, which they recently purchased.

Long needed repairs on the hard surface road are now completed as far north as the Rose ranch. A big improvement has been made by widening out the road near the Gordon Smith place.

Men are at work getting out rock and the crusher will be operating in a few days, at a location between the J. C. Martin and Constable ranches.

Alice Siding school came very close to registering 100 per cent. perfect attendance on an enrollment of 23 pupils, the figures showing an attendance per centage of 22.85. Highest standings: Grade 8—Art ur Constable Grade 7—Geoffrey Constable. Grade 6—Elsie Mather and Hazel Miller equal. Grade 5—Sidney Argyle. Grade 4—Joan Smith. Grade 3—Marlon Smith. Grade 1a—Dick Smith. Grade 1b—Frank Simister.
Perfect attendance—Geoffrey Constable, William Constable, Elsie Mather, Ethel Mather, Evelyn Mather, Carl McDougall, Hazel Miller, Charles Ostrensky Alfred Parkin, Violet Parkin, Gordon Smith, Joan Smith, Marion Smith.

Wynndel

Manuel Irving of Canal Flats was a visitor here last week. Up till a few years ago his father, H. J. Irving, was mill foreman for J. B. Winlaw.

Mr. VanKougnet of Boswell was a visitor last week, getting in a few days at duck hunting.

Mrs. Carr of Alice Siding, and daughter, Miss Alice, of Fernie, spent a few days here, guests of Mrs. Ogilvie.

The October meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Taylor on Thursday last.

A. Glazier and son, Ralph, are just home from a successful deer hunt at Yahk, and brought back a very fine specimen of venison.

R. Foxall of Nelson was an auto visitor here at the weekend on a visit with his parents.

In the list of winners at the recent fall fair there was an omission of the prize takers on braided rug. On this first prize went to Mrs. Dalbom, and second to Mrs. Hackett.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Uri, Mrs. W J. Cooper, Miss O. Hagen, F. Hagen, J. Wigen, P. Lachat and C. Carlson were auto visitors to Kimberley on Saturday.

The proposed Wynndel irrigation district has progressed to the point where a soil survey is now being made of the district. Mr. Kelly, soil expert, spoke at a meeting of those interested on Wednesday last, and pointed out the necessity of the survey as a means of ascertaining whether the soil will produce adequatley to pay the cost of the project. He asked the farmers to cooperate with his party and as no money was available to pay for labor he asked all to dig a stretch 6 x 25 feet in order to expedite his work.

Fall Fair Exhibit Shows Decline

Attendance is Also Below Other Years—Quality of Exhibts is High—School Districts' Shield Won by Camp Lister.

Ideal weather prevailed both Tuesday and Wednesday, which was about the best piece of good fortune Creston's 1931 fall fair enjoyed, the number and quantity of the exhibits as well as the atte dance being lower than other years.

Falling off in entries may be partly attributed to the new system adopted by this year's directorate, in collecting a fee on each entry and also in doing away with a fixed sum for each prize, and awarding prize money on the basis of entries in each section. While the new plan undoubtedly has much to commend it it was quite evident before the fair that it was not proving popular with oldtime heavy exhibitors. The fall ing off in attendance is largely attributed to the absence of outdoor attractions, both the school sports and baseball game being absent this year.

However, what was lacking in quantity was largely offset by the high quality of the exhibits in most departments, and the management showed real ability in the re arranging of the tables and displays, the main building interior presenting most attractive appearance and giving the impression that the display was much greater than it really was.

In the decline in exhibits even the school districts' dislay suffered, there being but two entries, and Lister school taking first prize by a few points over Erickson. For the first time on record there was no entry from Creston and Wynndel.

In the evening the directors staged a dance in the main building which was largely attended, and it looks as if the exhibition will get an even break financially. Secretary Chas. Murell is busy making up the list of prize winners which we will publish in our next issue.

CHICKEN

DINNER

Under the auspices of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid, in the

United Church Basement

Friday, Oct. 16

6.15 to 8.00 p.m.

Roast Chicken
Pumpkin Pie

and all the other Delicacies of the season.

Adults 50c. Children 25c.
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EVERYBODY WELCOME!

Over a million packages sold each week

"SALADA" TEA

'Fresh from the gardens'

A National Disgrace

With the advent of the first few chilly nights this Fall, the newspapers once again begin the gruesome task of printing reports of fires with their records of tragic loss of life, terrible sufferings and enormous loss of valuable property, caused, in the vast majority of cases, through downright carelessness and disregard of the most obvious dictates of common sense. In the first week following a drop in temperature the papers reported case after case of explosion, fire, and death following the improper use of kerosene in starting fires in stoves. Yet people will persist in this highly dangerous practice.

Despite all the efforts of Government and municipal departments and officials, reinforced by those of insurance companies, the fire loss in Canada mounts steadily higher. Computed in dollars and cents alone Canadian fire losses in 1930 totalled over $46,000,000. This does not take into account the loss of 237 lives, nor the expenses entailed for doctors, nurses, hospitals for a much larger number of persons severely burned. It does not include the enormous expense to which every urban community is put in maintaining elaborate and costly fire-fighting equipment, nor the excessive insurance premiums which every owner of property is called upon to pay because the fire risk in Canada is so hazardous.

People today complain of depression, hard times and business losses, yet Canadians remain undisturbed over a condition, largely preventable, but which is levying a direct money toll upon them of millions of dollars a week. If because of hard times and consequent inability to pay rent or meet mortgage payments, an average of three families a day were thrown out of their homes, a vigorous protest against heartless landlords and mortgage companies would be heard throughout the land, yet, according to recent figures made public, an average of three families were made homeless by fire in Saskatchewan alone every day in 1930, and the figure is even higher for the first half of 1931.

The figures are positively startling. In this one Canadian Province, (Saskatchewan), between January 1, 1930, and July 31, 1931, no less than 1,679 dwellings, 579 stores, 610 barns, and hundreds of other buildings were destroyed by fire. And hardly a protest is heard!

And this terrible loss, which is being duplicated proportionately in all other Provinces,—and which is going on at a time when the demand is being made to reduce legitimate expenditures all along the line, lower wages, eliminate all waste and extravagance,—is largely preventable. This great loss, which, if saved, would more than provide for all necessary relief works throughout the Dominion, is the direct result of carelessness and reckless disregard of obviously dangerous conditions.

The work of education along lines of fire prevention must go on. It must be attempted on a scale hitherto unknown. It is gratifying to note that, in Saskatchewan at least, a well-organized campaign is being inaugurated among all school children, one designed to capture the imagination and assure the interest of all children.

But is fire prevention campaigns and propaganda sufficient in themselves? In the past they have not been. The question arises, therefore, whether the time has not come in Canada to have an official inquiry into every fire that takes place, ascertain the cause and fix the blame, and, coupled with this, to make it an offence under the law for any person to have a fire from other than natural causes beyond their control, such as lightning, and made liable to a fine and subject to the payment of damages for any resultant loss to other people's property?

If the tenant or owner of a house was liable to a fine if a fire occurs because of a dirty chimney, defective wiring, accumulated rubbish, or other preventable cause, and made to pay the costs of the fire department in extinguishing the blaze, and forced to make good any loss sustained by a neighbor because of his carelessness, then, possibly, a good many now very careless and thoughtless people would exercise more care.

And why, it may be asked, should the careless householder from a fire protection standpoint, be immune from the payment of penalties for his carelessness any more than the careless automobile driver, or industrialist who neglects to provide safeguards for his workmen?

The fire loss in Canada is a national disgrace, as well as constituting a huge annual national loss we can ill afford to suffer. It is time something effective,—drastic if necessary,—be done to not merely remedy but remove this evil.

Canada In England

Dominion Took Prominent Part In Animal Exhibition Held At Bristol

A prominent part taken by Canada in the annual exhibition at Bristol, England, held from September 3rd to 16th. A Canadian section was organized consisting of the Government stand and individual booths occupied by private Canadian firms, according to an announcement of the Department of Trade and Commerce. The back-ground of the Government display is a large industrial map of Canada illustrating the points of production of many products exported to the United Kingdom.

A Prince Among Merchants

Heir To British Throne Has Good Business Head

Though it is true the Prince is not engaged either in a manufacture or in the export trade, it is a mistake to think he has no business experience. He has his own estates to manage, both here and in Canada; and, even though he leaves the details to others, he cannot help learning the broad principles that underlie all business transactions; and that he has grasped these, and has himself what is known as "a good head for business," is proved by the readiness of business men to listen to him, and their high opinion of his judgment.

Could Not Check the Summer Complaint

A Few Doses Did It

Dr. FOWLER'S EXT-OF WILD STRAWBERRY

Mrs. R. Coulter, 918-11th Ave. E., Calgary, Alta., writes:—"Last summer my youngest son was very bad with summer complaint, and everything he ate he would vomit, and he got so thin I became very much worried. I could not get the discharges checked, so I went to the druggist and he gave me a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry and told me it would stop the trouble if anything would. After I had given the boy the first few doses I noticed the discharges were being checked, and it was not long before he was well again."

Railway Accidents

One Hundred and Ninety-One Mishaps During the Month Of June, Report States

There were 191 railway accidents during the month of June, a report issued by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada shows. Twenty-five persons were killed and 183 injured in these accidents, besides which there were 11 persons killed and 31 injured in 24 railway accidents at highway crossings.

Ontario led with 16 crossing accidents; Quebec had five, New Brunswick two, Nova Scotia one, and the rest of the provinces none, during the month. Of the 24 accidents, six occurred at protected and 18 at unprotected crossings. Twenty occurred during the day and four at night.

"THESE HARD TIMES"

"The hard times and scarcity of money makes it more important than ever to economize. One way I save on clothes is by renewing the color of faded or out-of-style dresses, coats, stockings, and underwear. For dyeing, or tinting, I always use Diamond Dyes. They are the most economical ones by far because they never fail to produce results that make you proud. Why, things look better than new when redyed with Diamond Dyes. They never spot, streak, or run. They go on smoothly and evenly, when in the hands of even a ten year old child. Another thing, Diamond Dyes never take the life out of cloth or leave it limp as some dyes do. They deserve to be called 'the world's finest dyes!'"

S.B.G., Quebec.

The Safest Conveyance

Toronto Proves Accidents To Street Cars Are Rare

Although seventy-one were injured in a street car wreck at Windsor, Ontario, the fact remains that a street car is just about the safest place to be while on a public thoroughfare. Since taking over the Toronto railway in 1921, the Toronto Tramway Co. had collected, up to the end of 1930, more than 1,775,000,000 fares on its city system, and the number, together with fares on the coaches, etc., is now in excess of 2,000,000,000. Yet not one passenger has been killed while riding on a street car or bus. It is a fine record.

Help For Asthma. Neglect gives asthma a great advantage. The trouble, once it has secured a foothold, fastens its grip on the bronchial passages tenaciously. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is daily benefiting cases of asthma of long standing. Years of suffering, however, might have been prevented had the remedy been used when the trouble was in its first stages. Do not neglect asthma, but use this preparation at once.

Frozen Strawberries

New Process For Packing Adopted By B.C. Growers

Frozen strawberries and other small fruit will be shipped from Vancouver Island in steadily increasing volume, following the adoption of a new process for packing, in the opinion of Captain F. Livesay, manager of the Saanich Fruit Growers Association, who expects that the plan will absorb a large part of this year's surplus. A company has been formed with a capital of $75,000, and with the growers as chief stockholders, which expects to handle at least 30 tons of strawberries and loganberries this season.

Persian Balm—Invaluable to the whole family. To the mother, a flawless aid to loveliness. To the child a soothing, healing balm. And to the father, a splendid hair fixative and cooling shaving lotion. Persian Balm tones and refreshes the skin. Makes hands delightfully soft and white. Indispensable to dainty women. A little gentle rubbing and it is absorbed by the tissues, making the skin truly rose-leaf in texture.

Where Man Fails

There are fifty million flood victims starving in China while the granaries of Canada and the United States are bursting with millions of bushels of wheat for which there is no market. The people will likely go on dying and the wheat will continue to bulge the bins in which it is stored. Such is the world's system of transportation and distribution in emergencies.

Thirty-six tons of strawberries were carried by aeroplane from the Netherlands to London in May.

Save On Pensions

Decision Of Federal Government Will Assist Alberta

Savings at the rate of $250,000 a year will be made to the Alberta provincial treasury by the decision of the Dominion Government to take over 75 per cent. of the old age pensions payments, advice of which has just been received from Ottawa.

The new arrangement will date from July last. It will involve a revision of the agreement between the provinces and Dominion, but this, it is stated by Premier Brownlee, will be only a formality and will be attended to at once.

The division of the responsibility for old age pensions, as between the two governments, has heretofore been on a fifty-fifty basis, Alberta's total budget for the purpose being $1,000,000. On this a saving of 25 per cent. will now be made to the province.

Giant Airship Tested

The U.S.S. Akron Carried 113 Passengers On Trial Trip

The U.S.S. Akron has been taken upon her first flight and came down safely at Akron, Ohio, three hours and 47 minutes later.

The flight was the first test for the world's largest dirigible, built here for the United States navy, and the Akron went through it in a manner highly pleasing to navy officials.

The ship carried 113 men, the most ever carried in the air in the United States and believed by navy officials to be the largest passenger list of any airship in the world.

Sleep is the great nourisher of infants, and without peaceful sleep the child will not thrive. This cannot be got if the infant be troubled with worms. Miller's Worm Powders will destroy worms and drive them from the system, and afterwards the child's rest will be undisturbed. The powders cannot injure the most delicate baby, and there is nothing so effective for restoring the health of a worm-worn infant.

Up To the People

All the Government measures in the world cannot create prosperity, says the London Daily Express. They can break down barriers. They can clear the channels. But in the end the manufacturers, the worker, the wholesaler and the retailer must carry the responsibility on their shoulders. Leave government to the Government. They are quite adequate to the present emergency. As for the rest of us, let us get on with our jobs—and begin today.

And Now

Visiting Nurse — "And do your children use a toothbrush regularly?"

Fond Parent—"Do they, mum? First thing when they get up in the morning, it's a race to see which one can get to the toothbrush first!"

When TEETHING makes HIM FUSSY

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The most powerful locomotive of its kind in cylinder type engine, left Smith Falls recently for Montreal, drawing a freight train of 96 cars of grain, a dynamometer and a van weighing 8,123 tons, the whole train being a mile in length. It arrived at its destination the same day when the grain was unloaded for shipment overseas.

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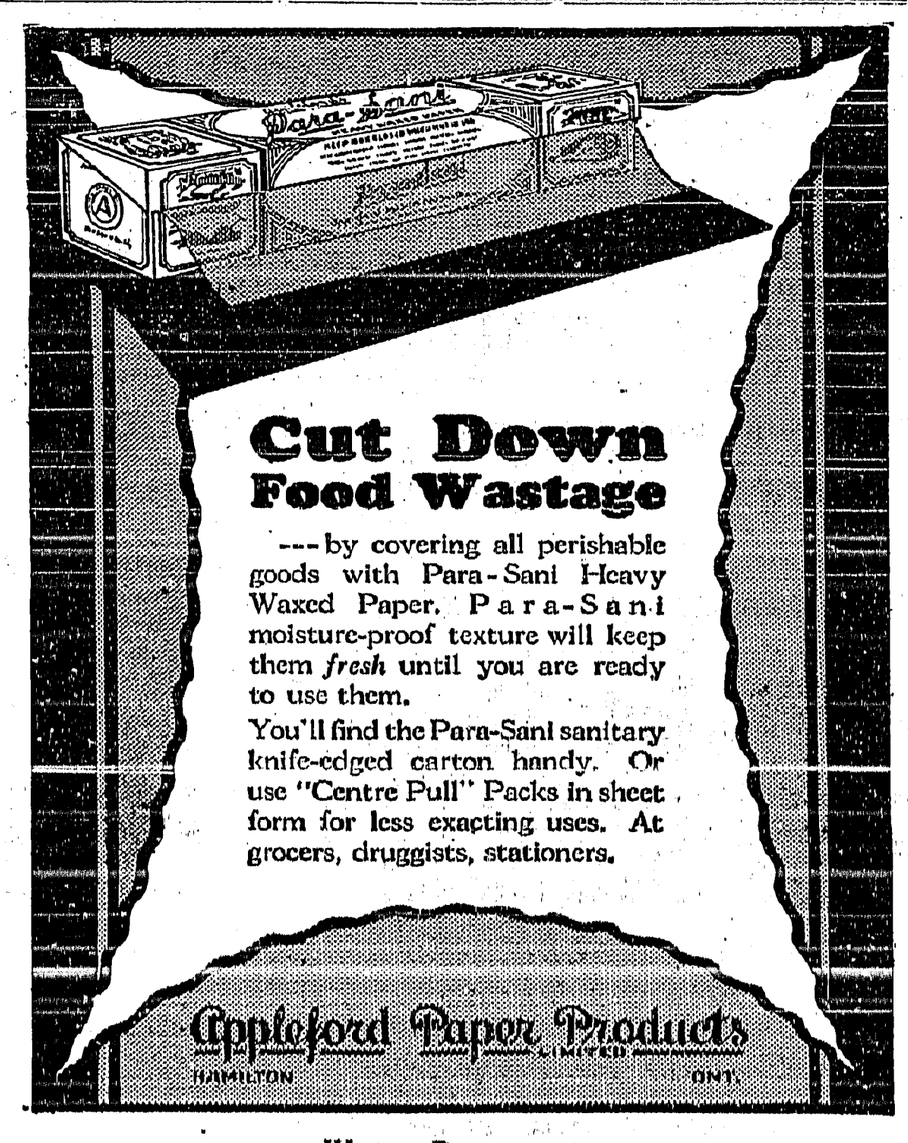

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BRITISH GENERAL ELECTIONS STILL IN THE BALANCE

London, Eng.—The general election still wavers in the balance. Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald's cryptic replies in the House of Commons gave the political prophet new material. He announced the House would adjourn, but he did not say anything about dissolution and an election.

Most members of the House regard dissolution as almost inevitable. They hold the movement for an election has gone too far to be stemmed. The common impression is that adjournment of Parliament will be followed by a proclamation of dissolution. But the Government has not yet reached a final decision, it is intimated.

From his Surrey home, Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, veteran Liberal leader, is showing his hand. Sir Herbert Samuel, acting Liberal leader, had a long conference with him at Churt, and rumours were current of sharp differences of opinion.

Efforts in the last few days have been directed towards discovery of a formula on tariffs which will satisfy both the Conservative and the official Liberal wings of the National Government. The Liberals are willing to accept emergency tariffs if, after investigation, they were proved necessary to restore trade prosperity. But a preliminary investigation they regard as essential.

Now Lloyd George, it is stated in Liberal circles, takes the further ground that the Liberal agreement to consider emergency tariffs is contingent on there being no election. If Sir Herbert Samuel agrees with his Conservative cabinet colleagues to an election, the Liberals may split.

Attends Quaker Meeting

Mahatma Gandhi Goes To Prayer Meeting and Maintains Silence

London, Eng.—Mahatma Gandhi, Hindu Nationalist leader, and Lord Sankey, Lord High Chancellor, who is presiding over the Indian Round Table Conference committee meetings, went to a Quaker prayer meeting and sat side by side for half an hour while nobody spoke a word. At the end of the period the assembly, still silent, arose from its seats and dispersed.

The Mahatma then went to a hotel to meet His Highness the Aga Khan, spiritual leader of the Moslem word, for a further attempt at an approachment between Moslems and Hindus. Earlier in the day both Gandhi and the Aga Khan had separate conversations with Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald.

Coal For Churchill

S.S. Farnsworth Brought Cargo Of British Coal To Northern Port

Montreal, Que.—Churchill received her first consignment of British coal when the S.S. Farnsworth arrived there September 10, to load the initial shipment of grain from Canada's new port on Hudson Bay, pointed out Thomas Harling, Montreal ship agent, referring to the "bunker" coal put off before loading wheat. He said the amount was no more than 1,500 tons.

The movement indicated a possible trend for the future, as lower rates on eastward movement of grain could be obtained if it was possible to carry a cargo of coal westward for discharge at the new bay port, Mr. Harling said.

Heavy Snow At Aklavik

Aklavik, N.W.T. — Twice forced down on the banks of the Mackenzie by fog and repeatedly delayed by fog, sleet and snow, the Canadian Airways 'plane C.A.S.Q. reached here Sept. 30, to find winter set in and Aklavik under eight inches of snow. The 'plane left for the south with a heavy consignment of southbound mail.

Employ a Thousand Men

Winnipeg, Man.—Approximately 1,000 single men and transients will be employed on the construction of the Manitoba section of the trans-Canada Highway. The work, which provides only for the eastern part of the road, has been approved by both Dominion and Provincial Governments.

Sets New World Mark

British Flier Breaks Own Record Made In Schneider Race

London, Eng.—Flight Lieutenant G. H. Stainforth established a new world's aeroplane speed record of 408.8 miles an hour over a three-kilometer course at Calshot, it has been officially announced.

Lieutenant Stainforth broke his own record of 379.05 miles an hour, made in the Schneider trophy race on September 13. He flew a seaplane fitted with special engines.

The announcement was made following a prolonged examination and comparison of the judges' checks. The following speeds were finally given for the four successive laps: 415.2; 405.1; 409.5, and 405.4.

These gave an average speed of 408.8 miles an hour.

The racing seaplane flown by Lieutenant Stainforth was fitted with what is claimed to be the most powerful engine ever built and it was designed for this flight alone, achieving the amazing speed of 415.2 miles an hour on one of the four laps.

Viscount Byng Retires

Ends Three Year Term As Chief Of Scotland Yard Force

London, Eng.—"I am, as you know, sorry to leave," said Viscount Byng of Vimy, as he left Scotland Yard for the last time. His retirement as Chief Commissioner of the Metropolitan Police and head of Scotland Yard ended a three-year term in which he effected a wide reorganization of the great force, undertaken only two years after the end of his term as Governor-General of Canada.

"Age and health are the sole reasons which compel me to go," Lord Byng added. "I am responsible for neither of them. The police force, I can say truthfully, is the finest force in the world. It is keeping pace as no other with modern scientific developments in regard to wireless and every other form of advancement that can help it in counteracting the activities of the criminal.

"I leave the force with great feelings of affection."

Sell Butter To States

Discount On Canadian Dollar May Make It Profitable

Montreal, Que.—Canada may sell butter in the United States shortly if the large discount on the Canadian dollar is widened, according to opinions expressed on the butter market Wednesday, Sept. 30.

The United States has a duty of 14 cents a pound on butter, just as Canada has on United States butter, but dealers estimated they could lay butter down in New York at 32¾ cents per pound, a little under the market there. Local price is around 19½ cents.

"As You Were"

Return Of the Ever Popular Dumbells To Western Canada

Winnipeg, Man.—A brief glance at the theatrical situation in Canada shows the same condition that has prevailed for the last two or three years. There are a lot of shows on the books. Several whose dates were set for early in the season have cancelled, and the only attraction that is keeping to their original bookings and playing right across Canada is our own representative company, "The Dumbells," now on their thirteenth annual tour of the Dominion.

"The Dumbells" are booked for the west shortly, when they will present a new, and from all reports excellent, overseas revue, called "As You Were." The military sounding title was chosen advisedly to convey the glad news that "The Dumbells" are once more an all-men organization—as they were in France, and for their first ten years in Canada.

Ross Hamilton is back, sharing the three star honours with Al Plunkett and "Red" Newman. Other featured impersonators are, Glenn Allan, the clever dancer of a few seasons ago; Don Romaine, the internationally famous impersonator of coloured belles; and the burlesque beauty brigade. The Dumbells are also featuring a ten piece stage band under the direction of Captain M. W. Plunkett.

The Dumbells are billed to play the Walker Theatre, Winnipeg, this week, then Capitol Theatre, Regina, Oct. 12, 13, 14, Capital Theatre, Saskatoon, Oct. 15, 16, 17, Empire Theatre, Edmonton, Oct. 19th, week, and Grand Theatre, Calgary, Oct. 26th, week.

SUGGESTS PLAN

Hon. Peter Heenan, former Minister of Labor in the Canadian Liberal Government, proposes a five-million dollar insurance fund to protect railway workers from lay-offs such as are being experienced at present. He unfolded his plan when addressing a service club in Ottawa.

Praises Hospital Work

Hon. R. B. Bennett Addresses Large Gathering In Toronto

Toronto, Ont.—In words of highest encouragement and appreciation of the work of medical science for the preservation of the race and happiness, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Prime Minister, addressed the American Hospital Association here. The past 50 or 60 years, Premier Bennett declared, had witnessed greater advance in medical science than in all the preceding centuries.

"As I review the advances of mankind," the Prime Minister told his audience of medical practitioners gathered from Canada and the United States, "I find during the past 50 or 60 years more progress has been made against disease and illness than in all the centuries preceding that period." On behalf of Canada he offered a hearty welcome to the delegates.

"While we may find that frontiers divide us and customs duties are imposed," Premier Bennett added with a touch of humour, "there are no frontiers and no customs duties imposed against the united efforts of our friends to the south and our country for the good of suffering humanity."

Ruling On Anthracite Coal

Will Not Be Subject To the Dumping Duty

Ottawa, Ont.—Anthracite coal imported in Canada will not be subject to the dumping duty provided in the Customs Act. The dumping clause of the act is only applicable in the case of "a class or kind made or produced in Canada." A bulletin sent out to customs officers from the Department of National Revenue states that anthracite coal is ruled to be not of a class or kind produced in Canada. It is therefore exempted from the dumping provisions of the Customs Act.

Riots At Estevan

Grim Toll Of Death and Destruction As Police Battle With Mob

Estevan, Sask.—Warfare broke out in the town of Estevan leaving in its wake a grim toll of death and destruction as police battled for three-quarters of an hour with a mob of striking miners.

Two strikers were killed by rifle bullets, five strikers gravely injured, five bystanders and twelve policemen injured during the fracas.

Nick Narwan, one of the dead, was shot through the heart as he mounted a fire truck which was used to play water on the rioters. Julian Jryshko, Bienfait, was shot in the abdomen as he was milling in front of the town hall with the rioters. He died as he was brought into the Estevan hospital waiting room.

One mounted police officer, Constable Sutherland, R.C.M.P., was gravely injured during the riot. Constable Palmer had his arm fractured by an iron bar, and others received scalp wounds from flying rocks and pieces of metal. Most of the policemen were able to carry on after emergency treatment.

The riot was precipitated when the strikers, four hundred in number, decided to hold a parade and demonstration in Estevan in defiance of an edict forbidding this. Thirteen arrests were made by the police.

Famous British Artist

Death Reported Of Sir William Orpen After Long Illness

London, Eng.—At the comparatively early age of 53 years Sir William Orpen, distinguished British artist, president of the International Society of Sculptors, Painters and Engravers for the past ten years, died Wednesday night, Sept. 30. He had been ill for a considerable period.

Sir William's most notable work was probably in the field of portraiture, and noted critics have commented that his decided bent to the satiric and summary method brings some of them close to caricature. A heated controversy was aroused over what was virtually his last painting, "Palm Sunday, A.D. 23," exhibited at the last meeting of the Royal Academy—a study of Christ on a donkey, going to Jerusalem.

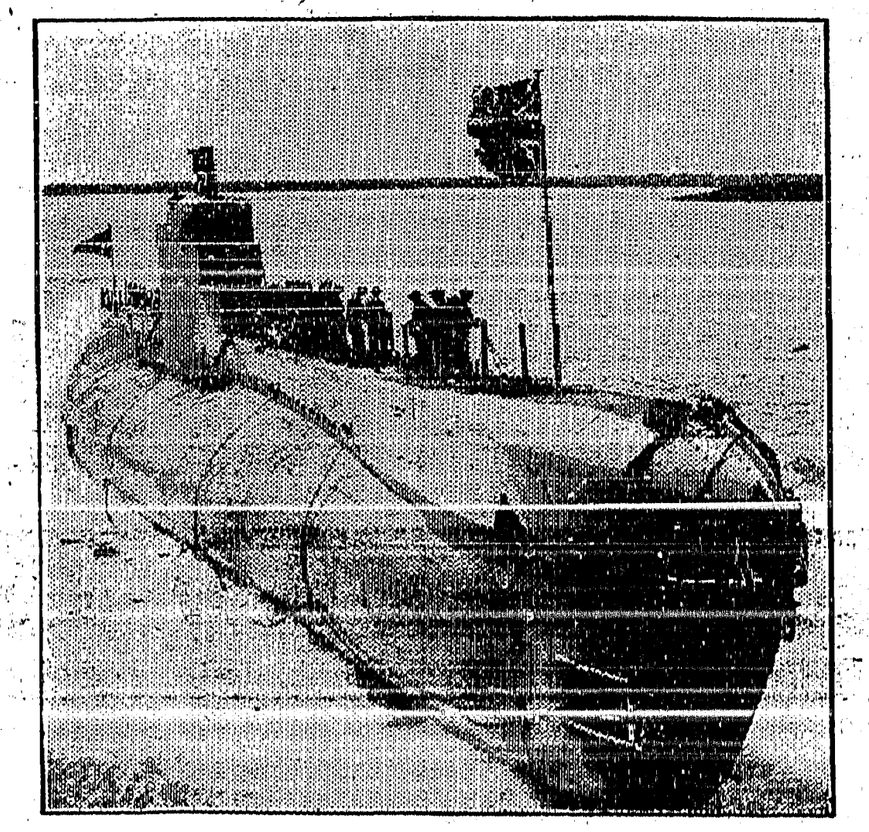
Issue New Postage Stamp

Ottawa, Ont.—The confederation and historical series of postage stamps issued some time ago by the post office department has just been rounded out by the issue of a stamp commemorating the memory of Sir Georges Etienne Cartier. It is greyish green in colour and has a postage value of 10 cents.

Will Honour Obligation

Toronto, Ont.—"Canada will honour her obligations in accordance with the terms of the borrowing contracts." This was the emphatic comment of Premier R. B. Bennett in referring to the financial situation. There was no other statement to make, the Prime Minister added.

BRITISH SUBS GO TO CHINA



Above is a picture of the "Proteus," one of the four new British submarines in the "P" class, the latest thing in underwater fighting craft, which has left British waters to start open submarine warfare against roving Chinese pirates who prey on foreign and Chinese ships in the Bias Bay area. She will join the "Poseidon," "Perseus" and "Pandora," in the scrap.

LEAGUE FAILS TO AGREE ON AN ARMS TRUCE

Geneva, Switzerland.—The League of Nations Assembly adjourned after a final gesture towards an arms truce in preparation for the 1932 world disarmament conference.

Unable to agree on an extensive programme which might improve prospects for the conference next February, the assembly limited itself to requesting the governments which have been invited to the conference to notify the league secretariat before November 1, if they are disposed to accept an arms truce.

The league attempted to put through Italian Foreign Minister Dino Gradi's project for a one-year truce by all nations, but the proposal met with objections from various nations.

The assembly also asked the world powers to submit statistics of their present armaments, reiterating its previous request for such information. Only 25 out of 63 nations involved have submitted the statistics to date.

Nicolas Titulesco, of Roumania, president of the assembly, said that, largely as a result of his assembly's work, the date for the disarmament conference had not been changed from February, and that all efforts to postpone the meeting had been rejected.

Titulesco also paid tribute to the league's newest member, Mexico, saying that her participation would constitute one of the most important of the league's advances toward universality.

Alejandro Lerroux, of Spain, president of the council, said prior to adjournment, that he had hoped to report final solution of the Chinese-Japanese conflict in Manchuria. Despite the council's greatest efforts, he said, the goal had not yet been attained.

The council counts on Japan's declaration that she has no territorial ambitions in Manchuria and her plan to withdraw troops as quickly as possible, he said, adding that the goodwill of both parties in direct negotiations for a settlement would constitute the best means toward a final solution. The council will continue to promote efforts until a settlement is reached.

Gold Production Declines

Predicted United States Will Relinquish Second Place As Producer

Washington, D.C.—An ebb tide in the steady stream of gold flowing from domestic mines to well-filled United States coffers in the next decade is expected by scientists.

Troubles of Great Britain, Sweden and Norway, and other gold standard nations have revived discussion here among geologists and mineralogists of this country's future raw gold supply.

All held to the theory future discoveries would be negligible while existing fields slowly would be exhausted. They predict United States will relinquish second place in world production, ranking next to Canada by 1933, and drop from a valued output of $42,800,000, in 1930, to $36,100,000 in 1940. South Africa now leads with upwards of $200,000,000 yearly.

Cuts Contract For Destroyers

Washington, D.C. — The United States navy has scuttled six of its 11 paper destroyers. Secretary of the Navy Adams announced the award of contracts for four vessels of this type. One destroyer had already been awarded to the New York navy yard. Eleven had been authorized by Congress.

France Will Need Wheat

Paris, France. — France's wheat yield this year, because of heavy rains and lack of sunshine, will be insufficient for her needs, official figures indicate. The Ministry of Agriculture estimates the 1931 crop at between 213,000,000 bushels and 227,000,000 bushels, 14,000,000 less than required.

B.C. Fruit For Orient

Vancouver, B.C.—With a view to popularizing British Columbia fruit in the Orient, a trial shipment of canned tomatoes, grown in the province, left on the S.S. Empress of Asia for Hong Kong and Shanghai, the other day, the same liner carrying, also, a cargo of canned loganberries for Hong Kong.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Wanndel's Weakness

Editor Review:

Sir,—I was much struck with a paragraph in the Wynndel news in last week's issue. From it it would appear that at the Women's Institute conference at Edgewood the Wynndel delegate complained of Wynndel's lack of "community support." Your correspondent cites the recent Wynndel fall fair to demonstrate that "Seldom, if ever, does a well deserving cause go unsupported in Wynndel."

But in the very same issue the inconsistency of this statement is made apparent, for in a preceding paragraph I read that the October meeting of Wynndel W.A. will be held on Wednesday, October 7th, which happens to be the same day Creston is having its fall fair.

And a few days before your paper came out I noticed quite attractive posters in local stores announcing that on Tuesday, October 6th, the Troubadour orchestra is playing for a dance in the Wynndel community hall. And this in face of the announcement made some weeks ago that Creston agricultural association would have a dance in the exhibition park pavilion, for fall fair benefit, on Wednesday, October 7th.

With such a swell outside orchestra playing in the splendid hall at Wynndel the night previous, what chance has Creston fall fair people to get a crowd at their dance just one night later.

When it comes to "commuuity support" the Wynndel "community spirit" appears to be very much on a par with the storied Scotchman who prayed, "O Lord, bless me and my wife, Jean; my son, Sandy, and daughter, Maggie: us four, and no more."

CRITIC.

Others Worse Off

Editor Review:

Sir—The writer recently made a trip through Alberta, almost to Alsask, Sask. I have always wondered why they call it the prairie, and soon found out that was a good name to call it. It reminded me of the desert in Sahara, Africa, when there several years ago, and the State of Arizona. A more lonesome place is hard to find. On the level, Mr. Editor, I drove one stretch of over 40 miles without seeing a living soul; not even a tree, with the exception of a few gophers, who no doubt were standing on the road with amazement and wondering where this stranger came from. For a time, I thought sure I had come to the end of the world and all at once would drop over the edge into untold space, so twice stopped the car with the intention to return to good old Creston, but then I said to myself, "Now, don't be a coward; stick it out, now you are this far," and started up again and prepared myself for the worst to come. Many farms and farmhouses are deserted. One small town had almost half of the houses vacant, empty stores, etc. Not very cheerful for newlyweds, as the bride will surely disappear in order not to get the blues. And you can't blame her.

Now, Mr. Editor, what I am really driving at is this. I have heard so many of these local grouches and kickers finding fault with Creston and its condition. When our folks don't know how well off they are, as the beautiful Creston Valley is truly a paradise to what I have seen. All one has to do, is to stand up near the Presbyterian church and admire the panoramic view of the valley. Then take a trip down the hill leading to the North and South Road, and stop just where the first bend is, and look towards Creston, and will appreciate the beauty of it all with the whole town in sight, and Goat mountain in the background.

Would it not be well to advise some of these narrow, faultfinders to take a trip through the prairies, and am certain, that they will return much quicker than they left, and be glad to return and be permitted to live in this little heaven of Creston, where the atmosphere of home life is supreme, and we must all admit that a more beautiful set of young folks is hard to find anywhere. We meet them with a smile and they cheer us on our way. That in itself makes Creston a most ideal place for tourists and visitors to come to, and if that could only be broadcast, naturally more would come and stay longer, as their visit would give sweet memories of Creston beauties, and bring them back.

CAPT. C. O'PETERS.

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S. A. SPEERS

Local and Personal

The Knights of Pythias building fund present a full midway and carnival on Friday and Saturday, October 16th and 17th. They are working with the Universal Novelty Company of Western Canada, who are supplying the material, which includes aluminum household articles, glass and chinaware, blankets, c ndy, dolls, and other wheels, Hoopla, Housie-Housie, and many other forms of amusement. The carnival will be held in the exhibition building, which will be heated for the occasion. Dancing will be in full swing all during the carnival.

Word has just reached here from Salmon Arm that George Moore, a former elderly resident of Creston, is to be tried at Kamloops next month on a charge of attempted murder. According to the police story Mrs. Moore left Creston about a year ago and presumably since that time has been living with Jack Van horn, who boarded at Moore's while managing a local meat market, and who left, ostensibly for Saskatchewan, about the same time Mrs. Moore aud children took their departure. Not long ago Mrs Moore, the children and Vanhorn came to Salmon Arm, where Moore is living, and in a family mixup Moore attempted to shoot his wife, but the .38 revolver missed fire. Moore was immediately arrested. Vanhorn is supposed to have a wife and f mily in Spokane.

Members of Blossom Temple Pythian Sisters were out in almost full strength for a special meeting on Monday night on the occasion of the official visit of the grand chief, Mrs. Downes of Trail, who was accompanied by Mrs. White of the same city. The meeting was in charge of acting most excellent chief, Mrs. Hassard, who with the assistance of the regular officers conferred the degree, and in her official address, which dealt at some length with the principles of the order, Mrs. Downes spoke in complimentary terms of the efficiency of the officers not only on the degree work, but also in the general conduct of the lodge. At the close cf proceedings there was a delightful lunch during which Mrs. Downes was presented with a flower vase, and Mrs. White was remembered with a boquet of roses, both of which gifts were suitably acknowledged Several others also spoke, including the candidate, Mrs. Jas. Wilson and J. Romano, chancellor commander of the Pythian Lodge. Music interspersed the speechmaking and the occasion was thoroughly enjoyed by all. During her stay the grand chief was a guest of Mrs. Laithwaite and Mrs. E. E. Cartwright.

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Lister

Miss Irene Huscroft, who is with the Imperial Bank at Vancouver, arrived this week on a visit with her father, John Huscroft.

The Community Society are inaugurating the season with a dance at the schoolhouse on Saturday evening, with an admission of 50 and 25, cents, and music by Canyon orchestra.

Rev. C. Basse of Creston will be here for Lutheran Church service on Sunday afternoon. Last Sunday the Anglicans hah their harvest festival at which the rector, Rev. T. Scott delivered an appropriate address and the school was nicely decorated with flowers, fruit and vegetables.

Birth—On October 2nd. to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Byrne, a son.

Public school inspector Manning was here on Sunday looking over the operation of the new room at the school which was opened at October 1st, with Miss Webster in charge of Grades 1, 2, 3, and 4, with a total enrollment of 22. Miss Curtis has 15 in the higher grades.

The school children had a half holiday on Wednesday when quite a number from here were at Creston for the fall fair. The Lister school display was the most attractive yet staged and captured first prize.

Dr. Gaddes, chairman of the Land Settlement Board, with his secretary, Mr. Harper, and accompanied by Mr. McConnell and Mr. Thiesen of the Canada Colonization Company, were here last week on a business visit to the German settlers and, we understand, made it quite plain to the newcomers that they must pay their water rates and land and school taxes promptly.

Lister school made a good showing for September with 23 of the 35 pupils having perfect attendance, and a per centage of attendance of .94 Highest standings: Grade 8—Douglas McKee Celina Langlois. Grade 7—Clara Domke, Frank Yerbury. Grade 6—Douglas Sinclair. Clara Meyer. Grade 5—Erika Meyer, Raymond McKee. Grade 4—Alice Wellspring, Margaret Dent. Grade 3—Margaret Sinclair, Johanna Daus. Grade 2—Elsie Ramm, Rosemary Wolfrum. Grade 1a—Tonia Reimer, Doris Stieb.

Perfect attendance—Kirk Beard, Kitty Beard, Stella Beard, Johanna Daus, Mary Daus, Clara Domke, Mart a Domke, Davi Domke, Mary Domke, David Gustafson, Helen Gustafson, Eric Jacks, Clara Meyer, Erika Meyer, Mary Millner, Douglas McKee, Manning Powers, John Reimer, Douglas Sinclair, Margaret Sinclair, Hugo Sommerfeld, Arthur Sommerfeld, Doris Stieb.

Kitchener

Dan. McDonald of Crawford Bay, C.P.R. tie inspector, spent the weekend at Kitchener, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Driffil, and participated in the hunting while here.

Frank Heise, chief C.P.R. tie inspector, of Cranbrook, was a business visitor here on Tuesday.

Col. Fred Lister, M.P.P., and James Duncan, both of Camp Lister, were business callers on Tuesday.

The Tourist restaurant, in charge of C. Senesael, has closed for the winter months.

C. F. Paulson of Spokane was here on a business visit on Monday.

O. H. Perkins of the M7 Ranch has finished stacking his green feed and crop of hay. He intends to bring in about 70 head of cattle from Alberta.

Gus. Patrick is shipping out a car of ties this week

Wesley Blair, Claude Simpson and Richard Molander were out on a duck hunt one day last week but, apparently, the ducks have left the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Walmsley of Vancouver, who are returning from their wedding trip which took them to Calgary, Alberta, via the Banff-Windermere road, spent a night here last week, at the Kitchener Hotel, and during their stay very hospitably entertained a party of friends from Creston. Alex. is a son of R. Walmsley of Creston.

Miss Beryl Taplin of Canyon arrived on Saturday on a visit with Miss Beatrice Molander.

Miss Celina Langlois, who is attending school at Camp Lister, spent the weekend at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson combined business with pleasure on a visit to Cranbrook on Monday

Miss Jessie White, principal of Kitchener public school, was at Creston for the weekend, returning on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Black arrived on Sunday from Vancouver. He is principal of the high school room which opened on Monday morning.

Capt. V. Z. Manning of Cranbrook inspector of schools, was here on Monday for the opening of the high school room.

Mrs. A. LePage and children, Ronald and Louise, returned on Sunday from a two weeks' holiday at Banff, Lake Louise and Cranbrook. At the latter place they were guests of her sisters, Misses Lanra and Mildred Andeen.

A. E. Davies, general road foreman, of Creston, was here on official business on Thursday.

The Community Bridge Club had a social evening on Saturday. The ladies' high scores were made by Mrs. C. Senesael and Mrs. G. Patrick, and the gents prizes were awarded Leland Nolan and John Nelson. A dainty lunch was served at midnight, and this was followed by a couple of hours dancing.

The Greyhound motor bus operating between Fernie and Creston, had the bad luck to break a spriug just west of here and was forced to return to town. The bus which operates between Creston and Nelson came out and took the passengers on theis way on Sunday, and after temporary repairs were made the damaged bus was able to return to Fernie.

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SUNDAY, OCT. 18

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Local and Personal

Mise Dorothea Spratt, who is on the nursing staff of Nelson hospital, has just left for the Tranquille Sanitarium at Kamloops, where she is to take three months of her training course of three years.

Mrs Burt of Nanaimo, who is grand worthy mistress of the L.O.B.A. in British Columbia, paid an official visit to the Creston ladies' Orange lodge on Monday night, leaving for Cranbrook next day.

FOR SALE—Southport White Globe onions, well cured, excellent keepers. Individual Squash, Carrots, Beets, Parsnips, Netted Gem Potatoes Richardson, Erickson.

Col. E. Mallandaine was at Kimberley on Saturday night, making an official visit to the Knights of Pythias Lodge in that town in his capacity as district deputy grand chancellor for East Kootenay.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Auxiliary have their annual thanksgiving dinner this year on Friday evening next, October 16 h, in the United Church basement, from 6.15 to 8 o'clock. Adults 50 cents.

The five-acre Dan Spiers property just outside the south boundary of town, was sold last week to a Mr. Watson of Coleman, Alberta, who will move his family here to reside within the next coup e of months.

Misses Walker and Phillips, who have this season had charge of the Anglican Sunday school motor van, were here on Friday, returning to Nelson to put the car away for the winter, having spent the past five months in the work.

At the special meeting of the council on Monday night it was agreed to rent the badminton club the fall fair building at the rate of $10 a month. The club is counting on using two courts as a membership of 40 is in sight.

Vital statistics for September show five births, one death and one marriage. The latter license united in wedlock Steve Zwolski and Hetty Defoe, both of Drury, B.C., who came to Creston to have their nuptials celebrated.

Up to the end of September $1,131 had been expended on hunting and fishing licenses at Creston. This is a gain of $180 over the same period a year ago, and this despite the fact that fewer U.S. residents have taken out licenses.

Up to the end of September 108 cars of fruit and vegetables have been shipped from Creston and Erickson, the latter getting credit for 64. At least two cars of apples have rolled to eastern Canada, and one has gone to the Old Country.

The weather which was showery at the first of the week cleared up again Tuesday afternoon and wheat cutting was resumed on Wednesday. There is still about 500 acres to harvest but with all machines working cutting should finished this week.

A total of 58 autos carrying 181 passengers at Creston View tourist camp for the month of September. 31 of these cars were from Alberta, 17 from B.C. points, and 7 from the United States. Alberta trucks making a call for fruit were quite numerous.

Services at Christ Church on Sunday will be Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Morning prayer and Hold Communion at 11 a.m at which the rector will preach, and evening worship at 7.30, at which the peaker will be Rev. K Cushon of Kimberley.

Rev. R. E. Cribb with Mrs. Cribb and children left yesterday for Kimberley, where he has accepted a call to the United Church in that town. Previous to their departure Mrs. Cribb was guest at a joint meeting of the Creston and Canyon ladies' aids and was presented with a suitable gift.

Bishop Fd. J. Kelly of Boise, Idaho, will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Rykerts on Saturday, October 10th, and on Sunday, 11th, will adminster the Sacrament of Confirmation at Holy Family Church, Porthill, at 9.30 C.P.R. time A number of candidates for confirmation will attend from Creston.

The Women's Institute have booked the afternoon of Saturday, November 7th, for their usual fruit and vegetable shower for Creston public hospital. There are still a few empty jars available, and these can be had from Mrs. Jas. Cook, convenor of the hospital committee.

The official weather records kept by Dr. Henderson show that Creston had four frost touches during September, the lowest registration coming on the 23rd when the mercury went down to 27. The hottest day of the month was the 5th, when the mercury rose to 87. There was a total rainfall of almost 1½ inches. The month had 11 showery days.

The annual meeting of Creston High School Literary and Athletic Society was held on Friday when the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Opal LaBelle; secretary-treasurer, Sandy Telford. Representatives—Division 1, Earl Christie; Division 2, Jack Payne; Division 3, Dorothea MacDonald. The executive will be in entire charge of literary and athletic activities of the student body during the coming school year.

Fred Ryckman, Indian agent, was here from Cranbrook at the end of the week on official business. The local reserve population has been showing an increase of late due to Bonners Ferry indians coming over and taking brides here and proceeding to make their permanent homes at Creston. As many of these will be wanting winter relief which has not been provided for there will be a conference about the middle of the month to settle the residence status of the newlyweds.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Hon. George Hoadley says no more Hutterite immigration is to be allowed into the province of Alberta.

H. G. Wells, noted author, advises the world should be declared bankrupt and its debts written off.

More than 3,600,000 pounds of freight were carried by French air lines last year.

The Graf Zeppelin returned to Friedrichshafen from her third cruise to Brazil, making the trip in 79 hours from Pernambuco.

Powdered or pulverized coal as fuel for cargo ships is being suggested as a means of relieving unemployment in the coal industry in Britain.

The disarmament committee of the League of Nations adopted a resolution designed to prepare for a possible one-year truce in armaments beginning November 1.

A consignment of more than a million Canadian apples soon will be on sale in automatic vending machines on Paris boulevards, as the first step in a big campaign to make France eat Canadian fruit.

Professor Albert Einstein has booked passage to the United States. The purpose of the professor's visit is to continue the studies he began last year at Mt. Wilson Observatory, in California.

The new home of the Canadian Club of New York, recently opened, is a self-contained unit on three floors of the new Waldorf Astoria. The new premises are specially designed and decorated to invest them with a distinctively Canadian character.

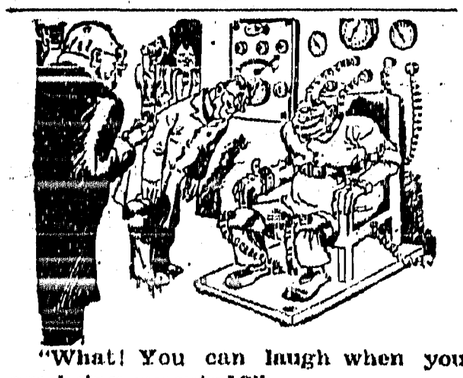
Thousands of citizens headed by civic, provincial and military officials of Fredericton, N.B., extended a greeting to the Earl of Bessborough, Governor-General of Canada, on the occasion of his Excellency's first official tour of the Maritime Provinces.

By Special Request

Little Betty's birthday was approaching a fact she was at no pains to conceal from her friends.

"Yes, darling!" said Aunt Jane. "I'm keeping it in mind and will send you a lovely present."

"Thanks, ever so much, auntie," said Betty, "and you will see that it's not something useful?"



"What! You can laugh when you are being executed?"

"Yes, I am thinking of the electricity bill you will have at the end of the month."—Muskete, Vienna.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 11

PAUL IN PHILIPPI

Golden Text: "Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice." — Philippians 4.4.

Lesson: Acts 16.16-40; Philippians 4.4-9.

Devotional Reading: Romans 8.35-39.

Explanations and Comments

The Fortune-Telling Maid Of Philippi, Acts 16.16-18.—Our text (the entire text) immediately follows that of last week. As we saw then, Paul at Philippi was face to face with heathenism that knew nothing of Judaism, and at first he found only a small group of women prepared by Jewish teaching to whom he gave his gospel. He must have remained for some time in the city, for he organized a church which, though probably not large at the time of his departure, became a flourishing institution, as we know from the letter he wrote to it. The only event between the conversion of Lydia and Paul's departure to Thessalonica which Luke records in The Acts is the story which we study today.

There was a maid at Philippi who had a spirit of divination, or a Python, as is the marginal reading, — so termed from the tradition that the python delivered oracles at Delphi. The great dragon at Delphi slain by Apollo was called a python, and according to Plutarch that was the name also given at this time to a ventriloquist. Some mental condition existed whereby this maid "exercised a certain heightened perception which was used to foretell the future." The people of Philippi regarded her as inspired. She greatly disturbed Paul by following him and Silas and crying, "These men are servants of the Most High God, who proclaim unto you the way of salvation," for her reiterated chant drew a crowd of curiosity seekers. Professor Ramsay thinks that the girl's mind had become distorted and diseased by her belief in her supernatural possession, but was all the more acute in certain perceptions and intuitions, and that she had become alive to the moral influence which the intense faith of the strangers gave them. At length Paul turned to her, and in the name of Jesus Christ bade the spirit leave her. In some very real way she had a mental condition from which she was immediately released by Paul's command. Nothing further is told about her. One commentator whose sympathy she has aroused expresses his belief that she would partake of the generous help of Lydia and the other Christian women at Philippi.

Vested Interests Disturbed, Acts 16. 19-23.—The slave girl had lost faith in her own powers and the people no longer believed her. She could tell no more fortunes, and was no longer profitable to her masters. Paul and Silas were to blame. Greatly angered, her owners turned upon the two men, raised a hue and cry, and dragged them into the market-place before the magistrates, who unjustly convicted them and ordered them to be stripped of their clothing, beaten, and thrown into prison.

"Peace does not mean the end of all our striving,
Joy does not mean the drying of our tears;
Peace is the power that comes to souls arriving,
Up to the light where God Himself appears.

"Joy is the wine that God is ever pouring,
Into the hearts of those who strive with Him;
Lighting their eyes to vision and adoring,
Strengthening their arms to warfare glad and grim."

SASKATCHEWAN WEED EXPERIMENTAL FARMS

(By S. H. Vigor, Saskatchewan Field Crops Commissioner)

The weed menace in Saskatchewan has become so acute, and definite experimental work on weed control has been so limited, that the Saskatchewan Government deemed it advisable to institute definite experimental and demonstrational work on the control of weeds for the benefit of the farmers of the province. Consequently in the spring of 1929 the Saskatchewan Department of Agriculture organized a provincial programme of research work for the study of weed control methods and problems. This work was placed under the direction of Dr. L. E. Kirk, of the University of Saskatchewan.

In 1929, land was secured at Drinkwater for the study of wild mustard, wild oats, stinkweed and Canada thistle. The years 1929 and 1930 were exceedingly dry and the results obtained were negligible; but the experimental work was thoroughly organized and much valuable experience was secured. In the spring of 1931 this work was transferred to the newly-organized Dominion Experimental sub-station at Regina.

In the spring of 1930, the Saskatchewan Government purchased a section and a half at Lockwood. This farm was heavily polluted with wild oats, Canada thistle, perennial sow thistle and couch grass, besides other weeds. The couch or quack grass had become introduced with brome grass seed and had taken possession of a large portion of the pasture. The soil on this farm is light and drifts easily thus complicating the problem of weed control.

When the farm was secured in 1930, most of the seeding had been completed. Weeds and soil drifting did considerable damage, and a lot of the crop was cut for feed on account of wild oats and other noxious weeds. This was fed during the winter month to a carload of steers bought in the Moose Jaw stock yards.

Soil Drift Checked

The immediate problem was to prevent soil drifting. This was done by sowing fall rye on a large area. This rye has produced a good clean crop which has been disposed of as seed.

Soil drifting in the Lockwood district was worse in the spring of 1931 than in 1930, but not so bad on the weed experimental farm. This may have been due to the kind of tillage, given the previous year, in which the one-way disc figured prominently.

Forage crops have been introduced on a small scale, and include alfalfa, sweet clover, and western rye grass. Nice stands of these have been obtained and will provide forage and pasture for the livestock which is being gradually introduced.

In addition to the tillage methods being tried, different crops and crop rotations are being tested and it is expected a great deal of useful information will be secured.

In addition to the usual farm practices being tested, experiments have been undertaken in control of weeds by different chemicals. This involves two problems: one, the control of perennial weeds either growing in patches in a crop or growing on uncropped land, and, second the control of weeds other than perennials found in a growing crop. A good deal of progress has been made and it seems there is promise of controlling some weeds in a limited way by means of chemicals. However, a great deal more work will have to be done before definite statements can be made.

In all the experimental work being conducted the economic value of any practice is being kept in mind. It is safe to say that any weed can be exterminated. The problem however, is to eradicate or control weeds while at the same time making it profitable to farm.

Experiments cost money to carry on and many of them may fail, but in failing give useful information. For example, it is valuable even to find out that some particular idea or practice will not give the results anticipated, and in discovering this, one may also discover many other things of value. These valuable discoveries can then be made use of and applied under regular farm practice.

A careful set of cost records is being kept to enable those in charge of the station to determine which methods are most economical, and can be fitted into any farming plan.

Successful Field Day

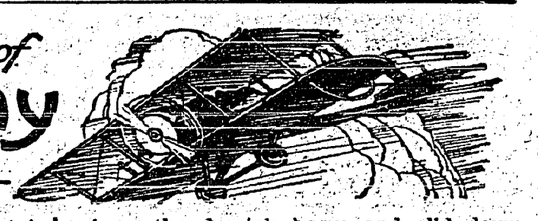
In August of this year a field day was held attended by over 100 farmers who were shown over the fields on the farm. Explanations of the practices followed were given by Dr. Kirk.

In September the Hon. Wat. C. Buckle, Minister of Agriculture, received the following letter indicating appreciation of the work accomplished by those in charge of the farm:—

"Although living twenty miles west of there, I am quite interested in the Government demonstration farm at Lockwood. I helped thresh the first crop grown on that place in 1913, and I worked near there for six years. I know all the old timers there and when we heard there was to be a farmer's field day there this summer, my wife and I decided to go. We did not expect there would be anything worth seeing on the farm as we knew how bad a year 1930 and 1931 had been in that district for soil drifting, but we thought we would meet many old friends, so we went.

"We were greatly surprised at what had been accomplished on the farm. I think it is wonderful what they have been able to do there, knowing how weedy the land was and how much it was subject to drifting."

The ADVENTURES of CAPTAIN JIMMY and his Dog SCOTTIE



WHAT CAME BEFORE:—After Captain Jimmy and his Chinese friends were rescued from the desert island, by the freighter "Madrigal," they sight a strange looking craft firing at another boat. Chung takes the telescope and tries to identify the ships.

The telescope suddenly collapsed in Chung's hands, as telescopes will when you squeeze them. Chung was all dismay — where a moment before he was delighted with the wonderful Magic Eye that would bring distant objects close up.

"Lookee Stickee allee gone," he wailed.

I showed him how it stretched out and soon he had it working fine, in spite of the laughter of the sailors. Carefully he surveyed the ship which fired the cannon, then as we watched him he seemed to turn three shades paler and dropped the glass with a sudden cry.

"What is it Chung" I asked hurriedly.

But Chung was so upset that he lapsed into a curious chatter of Chinese and English and goodness knows what. I could not understand a word of it. Everyone stopped tense and excited. Evidently Chung knew something was going on out there in the China Sea.

I shook him roughly. "What is it?" I said.

"Pilates", said Chung, and his teeth chattered.

Pirates! So that was it. Those dreaded villians that infest the Chinese waters and prey on weak vessels. There was not much time to waste, if we wanted to save the little ship at which they were firing.

The decks of the "Madrigal" became a scene of the wildest excitement, as we worked feverishly getting ready to take off in our 'plane, toward the scene of battle. Soon we had it overboard, unlashed and swaying at the side of the derrick.

"Pilates" repeated Chung, savagely, and before I could stop him he climbed out on the derrick boom and slid down the pulley ropes to the 'plane.

"Come back, Chung" I yelled, but I might as well have remained quiet for Chung sat with clenched fists in the cockpit, swearing terrible things in Chinese.

I was amazed. Chung, of all people, was the last man on earth that I would have expected to turn warrior. It was not until a long time later that I learned that the Pirates had broken up Chung's boyhood home on the river and laid the district waste, and ever since then he had hoped for a chance to clean up on the Chinese bands.

Really, his was a case of splendid courage, for he was actually scared white —or rather scared lemon yellow — with fear, yet he wanted to take revenge for the murder of his family. My respect for Chung grew immensely.

Taking him along with me in the 'plane was impossible, however, I needed the room for an experienced gunner. The mate of the "Madrigal" had some naval training on board a warship, so I took him.

Our artillery consisted of two heavy shot-guns and plenty of shells, also long range automatic pistol. We would have given a fortune for some really good bombs—big ones with plenty of pep — but we had to take such weapons as happened to be on board.

After some difficulty we lowered the plane into the sea and heading into the wind, took off. The motor sputtered and missed at first — then it opened out into a deep satisfying roar and drove the 'plane at a terrific speed towards the scene of battle. There was not a moment to lose.

(To Be Continued.)

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Enslaving a Nation

Heavy Taxation In England May Defeat Its Own Purpose

A reading of the provisions of Chancellor Philip Snowden's scheme to balance the British budget leaves no doubt that Great Britain stands at the crossroads. Single men who earn as little as $10 a week and married men who earn as little as $15 a week will have to pay income taxes. The wealthy will have 70 per cent. of their incomes taken from them. A single man earning $1,800 will have to pay more than $353 to the Government.

We do not think any argument is needed to establish the fact that such taxation is self-defeating. It can be continued only at the cost of a permanently lowered standard of living, the snuffing out of initiative and the dissipation of the accumulated capital which alone can provide private industry with the means to keep its plant abreast of the times. Chancellor Snowden's proposals are heroic as the charge at Balaklava was heroic and just as futile. The price of such taxation, if persisted in, must be the debasement of the nation and industrial and commercial decline. The result is already apparent under present exactions. The new and higher rates must hasten the process.—Chicago Tribune.

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CHAPTER II.—Continued.

"It is as an insurance of good health that I come," he informed Jean gravely.

"Oh, yes, we are not here merely for pleasure—comme ees autres" —Madame de Varigny gestured smilingly towards a merry party of men and girls who had just come in from luging and were stamping the show from off their feet amid gay little outbursts of chaff and laughter. "We are here just as last year, Peterson" —the suddenly muted quality of her voice implied just the right amount of sympathetic recollection—"so that mon pauvri mari may assure himself of yet another year of health."

The faintly ironical gleam in her eyes convinced Jean that, as she had shrewdly begun to suspect, the little Count was a "malade imaginaire," and once again she found herself wondering what could be the circumstances responsible for the union of two such dissimilar personalities as the high-bred, hypochondriacal little Count and the rather splendid-looking but almost certainly plebian-born woman who was his wife.

She intended, later on, to ask her father if he would supply the key to the riddle, but he had contrived to drift off during the course of her conversation with the Varigny's, and, when at last she found herself free to join him, he had disappeared altogether.

She thought it very probable that he had gone out to watch the progress of a ski-ing match to which he had referred with some enthusiasm earlier in the day, and she smiled a little at the characteristic way in which he had extricated himself, at her expense, from the inconvenience of his unexpected rencontre with the Varignys.

But, two hours later, she realized that once again his superficial air of animation had deceived her. From her window she saw him coming along the frozen track that led from the hillside cemetery, and for a moment she hardly recognized her father in that suddenly shrunk, huddled figure of a man, stumbling down the path, his head thrust forward and sunken on his breast.

Her first imperative instinct was to go and meet him. Her whole being ached with the longing to let him feel the warm rush of her sympathy, to assure him that he was not utterly alone. But she checked the impulse, recognizing that he had no use for any sympathy or love which she could give.

She had never really been anything other than exterior to his life, outside his happiness, and now she felt intuitively that he would wish her to remain equally outside the temple of his grief.

He was the type of man who would bitterly resent the knowledge that any eyes had seen him at a moment of such utter, pitiable self-revelation, and it was the measure of her understanding that Jean waited quietly till he should choose to come to her.

When he came, he had more or less regained his customary poise, though he still looked strained and shaken. He addressed her abruptly.

"I've decided to go straight on to Marseilles and sail by the next boat, Jean. There's one I can catch if I start at once."

"At once?" she exclaimed, taken aback. "You don't mean—today?"

He nodded.

"Yes, this very evening. I find I can get down to Montreux in time for the night mail." Then, answering her unspoken thought: "You'll be quite all right. You will be certain to hear from Lady Anne in a day or two, and, meanwhile, I'll ask Madame de Varigny to play chaperon. She'll be delighted"—with a flash of the ironical humour that was never long absent from him.

"Who was she before she married the Count?" queried Jean.

"I can't tell you. She is very reticent about her antecedents—probably with good reason"—smiling grimly. "But she is a big and beautiful person, and our little Count is obviously quite happy in his choice."

"She is rather a fascinating woman," commented Jean.

"Yes—but preferable as a friend rather than an enemy. I don't know anything about her, but I wouldn't mind wagering that she has a dash of Corsican blood in her. Anyway, she will look after you all right till Anne Brennan writes."

"And if no letter comes?" suggested Jean. "Or supposing Lady Anne can't have me? We're rather taking things for granted, you know."

His face clouded, but cleared again almost instantly.

"She will have you. Anne would never refuse a request of mine. If not, you must come on to me, and I'll make other arrangements,"—vaguely. "I'll let the next boat go, and stay in Paris till I hear from you. But I can't wait here any longer."

He paused, then broke out hurriedly:

"I ought never to have come to this place. It's haunted. I know you'll understand—you always do understand, I think, you quiet child—why I must go."

And Jean, looking with the clear eyes of unhurt youth into the handsome, grief-ravaged face, was suddenly conscious of a shrinking fear of that mysterious force called love, which can make, and so swiftly, terribly unmake, the lives of men and women.

CHAPTER III.

The Stranger On the Ice

"And this friend of your father's? you have not heard from her yet?"

Jean and Madame de Varigny were breakfasting together the morning after Peterson's departure.

"No. I hoped a letter might have come for me by this morning's post. But I'm afraid I shall be on your hands a day or two longer"—smiling.

"But it is a pleasure!" Madame de Varigny reassured her warmly. "My husband and I are here for another week yet. After that we go on to St. Moritz. He is suddenly discontented with Montavan. If, by any chance, you have not heard from Lady—Lady—I forget the name——"

"Lady Anne Brennan," supplied Jean.

A curiously concentrated expression seemed to flit for an instant across Madame de Varigny's face, but she continued smoothly:

"'Mais, oui'—Lady Brennan. 'Eh bien,' if you have not heard from her by the time we leave for St. Moritz, you must come with us. It would add greatly to our pleasure."

"It's very good of you," replied Jean. She felt frankly grateful for the suggestion, realizing that if, by any mischance, the letter should be delayed till then, Madame de Varigny's offer would considerably smooth her path. In spite of Glyn's decision that she must join him in Paris, should Lady Anne's invitation fail to materialize, she was well aware that he would not greet her appearance on the scene with any enthusiasm.

"I suppose"—the Countess was speaking again—"I suppose Brennan is a very frequent—a common name in England?"

The question was put casually, more as though for the sake of making conversation than anything else, yet Madame de Varigny seemed to await the answer with a curious anxiety.

"Oh, no," Jean replied readily enough, "I don't think it is a common name. Lady Anne married into a junior branch of the family, I believe," she added.

"That would not be considered a very good match for a peer's daughter, surely?" hazarded the Countess. "A junior branch? I suppose there was a romantic love-affair of some kind behind it?"

"It was Lady Anne's second marriage. Her first husband was a Tormarin—one of the oldest families in England." Jean spoke rather stiffly. There was something jarring about the pertinacious catechism.

Madame de Varigny's lips trembled as she put her next question, and not even the dusky fringe of lashes could quite soften the sudden tense gleam in her eyes.

"Tor—ma—rin!" She pronounced the name with a French inflection, evidently finding the unusual English word a little beyond her powers. "What a curious name! That, I am sure, must be uncommon. And this Lady Anne—she has children—sons? No?"

"Oh, yes. She has two sons."

"Indeed?" Madame de Varigny looked interested. "And what are the sons called?"

Jean regarded her with mild surprise. Apparently the subject of nomenclature had a peculiar fascination for her.

"I really forget. My father did once tell me, but I don't recollect what he said."

A perceptible shade of disappointment passed over the other's face, then, as though realizing that she had exhibited a rather uncalled-for curiosity, she said deprecatingly:

(To Be Continued.)

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It may be assumed that the Hon. Phyllis is a capable young woman who will be able to make herself of use in the office referred to and that her services will be of value to the concern hiring her. One might indulge here in a few of those standard observations about the nobility of work, the waste and wickedness of idleness and all that sort of thing.

But we can't get away from the thought that there must be a lot of girls in London who need that job much more than does the Hon. Phyllis. We do not understand that there is any lack in the Astor larder. And by the way, this is a thought that has a wider application than to the case at hand.

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Ship Tomatoes To Hong Kong

With a view to popularizing British Columbia fruit in the Orient, a trial shipment of canned tomatoes, grown in the province, left on the S.S. Empress of Asia for Hong Kong and Shanghai recently, the same liner carrying, also, a cargo of canned loganberries for Hong Kong.

New 'Plane Has No Tail

Designed By German Aviator Has Remarkable Flying Qualities

An airplane without a tail, designed by Captain Hermann Koehl, trans-Atlantic flyer, has been demonstrated before representatives of the ministry of transportation.

It has a wingspread of only 45 feet and is driven by a 28 horsepower motor. It's sponsors claim it has shown such remarkable flying qualities that it may prove to be a turning point in aeroplane construction.

IN BED WITH BACKACHE

"Two years ago I suffered with severe pains in the small of my back, and could with difficulty hold myself upright. At times I had to go to bed for a week at a time. I went to and from hospital for 3 months, and they certainly did me good, but they told me they could not keep giving me medicine, but that I needed complete rest for 6 months, away from the children. I could not bring myself to be parted from the children, so I did not go to hospital any more. I started using Kruschen Salts and have had no trouble with my back since."—Mrs. W.

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May Scrap the Battleship

Britain Suggests Disarmament Proposal To United States

In anticipation of the Geneva disarmament conference next winter, British statesmen have renewed their suggestion that the United States join with them in abolition of the battleship, it is learned.

British statesmen say the battleshiu has lost its major usefulness, that it is the greatest source of expense in naval budgets, and the best place at which to effect large economies at one stroke.

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Little Helps For This Week

"As he thinketh in his heart, so is he."—Proverbs xxiii. 7.

Calm soul of all things! make it mine
To feel amid the city's jar,
That there abides a peace of Thine
Man did not make, and cannot mar;
The will to neither strive nor cry,
The power to feel with others, give.
Calm, calm me more; nor let me die
Before I have begun to live.
—Matthew Arnold.

Men seek retreats, houses in the country, seashores and mountains; and thou too art wont to desire such things very much. But this is altogether a mark of the most common sort of men, for it is in thy power whenever thou shalt choose to retire into thyself. For nowhere either with more quiet or more freedom from trouble does a man retire than into his own soul, particularly when he has within him such thoughts that by looking into them he is immediately in perfect tranquillity.

—Marcus Aurelius.

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What's In a Name

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When the London Sunday News stopped publication a couple of weeks ago, not even the members of its staff knew that this was about to happen. The paper had formerly been Lloyd's Weekly News, a great popular favourite and the first newspaper in England to reach the million in circulation. It was at the top of its popularity when it was purchased by a new company, and Frank Lloyd stipulated that after a certain period the family name should be dropped from its title. The purchaser agreed to this, not knowing the supreme importance of an established name in a case like that. The readers of Lloyd's could not find it on the news stands. They did not know the Sunday News from a dozen others. By changing its name the paper went down and out.

NEURALGIA

THE agonizing aches from neuralgia can be quieted in the same way you would end a headache. Take some Aspirin tablets. Take enough to bring complete relief. Aspirin can't hurt anybody.

Men and women bent with rheumatism will find the same wonderful comfort in these tablets. They aren't just for headaches or colds! Read the proven directions covering a dozen other uses; neuritis, sciatica, lumbago; muscular pains.

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3 Bars PALMOLIVE SOAP **25c**
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In buying the products of British Columbia you have the goods and the money both in the province.

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Special ROAST BEEF— —10c lb.
Special Roasts Pork— —12½c. lb
Choice Creamery Butter—25c. lb

Special Roast Veal, Choice Spring Lamb.
HAMBURGER, 2 lbs. 25c.
Swift's Premium Ham and Bacon. Fresh Fish from Coast.
Standard, Tomato and Devonshire Sausage.

Creston Meat Market
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FALL
Hats & Caps
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Men & Boys
Attractive in Appearance and Price

Special Value at $2.50
Colors: Dark Grey, Fawn, Beaver, Black and Pearl Grey; Snap, Welted and Bound Brims.

The famed
Sackville Hat at $4.75
in Pearl and Beaver; Snap brim.

CAPS, new Colorings, $1.25 to $2.00

CRESTON MERCANTILE COMPANY, LTD.

Local and Personal

Creston board of trade meets in October session Tuesday night.

Keith Lidgate of Nelson was renewing Creston acquaintances during the fair.

Mrs. J. W. Dow was visit ng with Cranbrook friends a few days the past week.

FOR SALE—Quantity of gallon glass jars, 25 cents each. W. Fraser, Creston Bakery.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms. Apply Mrs. John Arrowsmith, Creston.

ONIONS—Get your upply now, price is right. Long, Allan & Long, Limited, Erickson.

Mrs. Martin of Sirdar was here for the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Simister.

HAY FOR SALE—Second and third cut alfalfa, $12.50 ton at ranch. L. D. Johnson, Creston.

Father L. Choinel will celebrate Mass at Holy Cross Church on Sunday, October 11th, at 8.30 a.m.

The Review is taking its usual vacation next week, and there will be no issue of the paper on the 16th.

Misses Marjorie and Phyllis Bell of Cranbrook were Sunday visitors here, guests of Hazel Sinclair.

PIGS FOR SALE—Choice young pigs, 8 weeks old, $4 each. A. Krygsveld, (Lamont ranch), Creston.

FOR SALE—Medium size coal or wood heater, in good shape throughout, $10. Algot Anderson, Creston.

Monday next is Thanksgiving Day, a statutory holiday, and all places of business in town will be closed.

PIGS FOR SALE—York-hire Whites, ready October 15th, $5 each. J. W. Parkin (Alice Siding), Creston.

Up to the end of September 411 auto license plates have been issued at Creston office of the provincial police.

FOR SALE—The Erickson Hotel building and four acres of land, $1000 for all this property. F. Rosen, Canyon, B.C.

Up till noon yesterday total shipments of wheat from Creston amounted to 65 carloads. The total movement may run to 75 cars.

Kimberley Press: Ralph Swanson left Tuesday for Calgary where he will enter the Technology and Art college for a two-year term.

WANTED—A few Coleman lamps and lanterns, must be in A1 condtion, and reasonable in price. J. Schmdt, Blueberry, B.C.

Eric Martin, who has been attending a technical school at Vancouver for the past few months, arrived home at the end of the week.

Although the official figures are not yet given out a sa e guess would be that the recent census will show Creston's population over 600.

Harvest thanksgiving services in connection with Christ Church will be on Sunday, October 18th, with services both morning and evening.

The cash intake at Creston office of the provincial police for September was close to $1700. Police court fines were $58, and auto licenses $221.

With the coming of Eugene hats comes also the new preparations for men by Eug ne Lambert. See our advt. Creston Drug & Book Store.

The grouse shooting season in Creston district closed yesterday. Across he line in Idaho there was only a ten-day season, which closed Saturday.

W. B. Martin has a Wagener apple tree in his orchard bearing a crop of fruit and also displaying full bloom, which is taken as a sign of a mild winter.

Mrs. W. M. Archibald was a visitor with Rossland friends on Friday, making the trip by plane with Mr. Archibald, and returning the same day.

Dr. McKenzie and H. Cornwall, cashier at the Bank of Commerce, are Vancouver visitors this week, making the trip by auto and leaving Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kettlewell and Mr. and Mrs. Dewhirst of Kimberley spent a few days here last week, guests of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson.

FRUIT RANCH FOR SALE—The improved 10-acre McInnes ranch at Canyon. Clear title and attractive price. Leslie McInnes (school hill), Creston.

At the October meeting of Creston and District Women's Institute this afternoon Miss Lily Lewis of Nelson will give a demonstration on designing and dressmaking.

R. G. L. Clarke of Vancouver, chief B.C. fruit inspector, was here on an official visit at the end of the week. He figures shipping agencies still have to find an overseas market for two million boxes of apples of this year's crop.

J. S. Connell of Chinook, Alberta, was here at the end of the week making an inspection of the Capt. O'Peters land holdings, wanting to buy the acreage en bloc.

The village council has its October meeting on Tuesday night—Monday being Thanksgiving Day. The date for the electric light plebiscite will be fixed at this meeting.

It is announced that Rev. T. Walker will succeed Rev. R. E. Cribb in charge of United Church work in Creston Valley. He is expected to arrive on Thursday to take over the work.

FOR SALE

Offers will be received for the purchase of Block 216 (except Parcel A) D.L. 9558, containing 17.21 acres, partly cultivated, together with all buildings thereon. Terms, Cash. No offers received after October 21st next.

ESTATE F. K. HURRY, Deceased.
S. A. Speers, E. Mallandaine, Executors.

LAST CALL
for
Erickson Land

Blk. No:	No. Acres	Cash Down	Cut Price	Cash Price
31	6	$175	$775	$700
27	7½	200	800	725
21	8½	250	850	775
32	10	250	1250	1150

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Now in stock a full line of
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Legs, 18c lb. Loins, 15c lb. Shoulder, 12½c lb.
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