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Liberals Complete Local Organizing

The most effective campaign organization the Creston district Liberal have ever had will be in action before the week is out. The men's forces completed their arrangements on Monday night, and to-night in Trinity Church basement the ladies are meeting for the some purpose.

At the Monday night get-together the whole situation was canvassed and four strong committees were named to take care of the work between now and the close of the polls, as follows:

Campaign—M. J. Boyd, chairman; W. Fisher, W. S. McAlpine, W. T. Sinister, Victor Carr, J. P. Cook, G. M Holt, H. W. McDonald, J. Moores, F. K. Hurry, J. Adlard, F. Putnam, E. Uri, Alex. Cameron, R. Heap, A. G. Samuelson W, Arb.

Voters List—J. F. Rose, chairman; H. E. Ostendorf, G. J. Bayle, R. Randall, F. Putnam, E. B. McFarlane, A. Wickholm, G. Taylor, H. Irving, Mrs. Whiteside, G, Tooze, D. J. Spiers, E. Wickstrom.

Transportation—A. Palmer, chairman; R. Dennes, H. Irving, E. Cartwright, A. D. Pochin.

Finance—S. A. Speers, chairman; F. V. Staples G. Taylor, B. Johnson, A. Spencer, B. F. Whiteside.

Committees were given full power to add to their number, and the campaign committee was instructed to at once make arrangements for opening a committee room.

At tonight's meeting of the ladies representative delegation are expected from Canyon, Erickson, Wynndel and Creston and campaign committees of ladies will likely be named for all these places, as well as organizing a central ladies' executive. Mrs. (Hon.) J. H. King of Ottawa and Mrs. C. J Little of Cranbrook will be here to address the workers and help with the organization. The provisional executive composed of Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Dow, Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Lillie, Mrs. Rose, Mrs. F. V. Staples and Mrs. R. B. Staples are in charge temporarily and are arranging to dispense a veay fine line of hospitality at the get-together.

Erickson

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Waylett were Erickson's representatives at Cranbrook on Monday for the Coldstream Guards Band concert. They motored down

W. V. Jackson got away last week on o nursery selling trip, his first stop being Cranbrook and thence up the Columbia Valley to Golden, and on to the Arrow Lakes district.

L. T. Leveque has been named deputy registrar of voters for the Erickson poll in connection with the coming Dominion election. He is now open to receive names for the list and all interested should interview him to see that they are not overlooked.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Celli are leaving this week by auto for a two weeks' holiday trip to Vancouver and coast points.

Road superintendent Davies has the crew at work with the grader and gravel on the Canyon road as far as the Cameron ranch. The heavy rains at the first of the week should greatly expedite road work in this section.

The eastbound passenger train was held here until after 6 o'clock Thursday afternoon last, due to a freight car being off the track at the Canyon, and the wrecking outfit not getting the line open until that hour.

Mrs. Frank Putnam is a Cranbrook visitor at present with her daughter, Beth, who is still in hospital in that city. Master Rodney accompanied her to have his tonsils removed, getting beck on Wednesday.

Residents along the lower Erickson-Creston aoad have just sent in a large ly signed petition to Wn. Ramsay, district engineer, asking that the road be given the same sort of surfacing as the Crawford Hill diversion, and would like to see the gravel hauled this fall or winter.

GRAND THEATRE SATURDAY, Aug. 21

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in

Tumbleweed

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—but a tremendous romantic drama of the great West by the only screen star who knows that vast region and the ways of its vaster people.

History is recorded in heart-throbs in a great pulse-stirring epic depicting frontier life; its hardships, and its joys.

Sirdar

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Whiteside left at the end of the week for Cranbrook, and will visit at prairie points before returning. They will be away a couple of weeks, and in the former's absence Bert Hill of Cranbrook is handling the yard engine.

Mrs. North was a between-trains caller at Creston on Saturday. Mrs. Brawn got back on Monday from a weeks' stay with friends at the metropolis.

Mr and Mrs. Geo. Cam were Nelson visitors on Saturday, where they were amongst the many who heard the Coldstream Guards Band in that city.

C. M. Loasby has been named to act as registrar of voters as well as deputy returning officer at Sirdar. In a few days he will be at work preparing the list, and everyone should make it a point to enquire as to whether their nam is enrolled or not.

Jim Pascuzzo has been away at Kimerley, Coleman and Blairmore, Alberta, and has had fair luck in disposing of their big vegetable crop.

Mrs. Speers of Creston, with Mrs. McLaren, went through on Monday to Kuskanook, where she has a party of girls in camp for the week.

Water at Kootenay Landing is reported the lowest in twenty-seven years the barges have been operating out of that point.

Mrs. Dibley left a few days ago for Winnipeg, Man., where she is on a visit with friends.

The westbound passenger on Sunday had on two extra coaches to take care of the Coldstream Guards Band, en route to Cranbrook.

Mrs. Roy Proctor and children spent a few days last week with her parents in Cranbrook.

Cam. Lindsay and Girvin Moore are taking passenger runs in to Sirdar at present, replacing Mr. Tiffin, who is relieving on the Kootenap Central, and Mr. Wasson who is on holidays.

A crew of about twenty is at work re-poling the telegraph line between Washout Creek and as far west as the steel span.

All will be glad to hear that the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson, who has been severely ill the past two weeks, is now making quite a nice recovery.

Visitors to Kuskanook are taken with the up-to-date appearance of the Bysouth home and place of business, which is now illuminated by a Delco electric light plant.

FOR SALE—Twelve teams of heavy horses suitable for farm or lumbering work, at bargain prices. C. R. Paulson, Kitchener.

Lister

Mr. and Mrs. George Betts and family of Calgary, Alberta, are visitors this week with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Malthouse.

mrs. Mitchell is home again from a couple of weeks' stay with Mr. Mitch- and other friends at Mullan, Idaho.

George Chudley, jr., was a visitor with his father at Klockmann last week.

Alf. Latoile, who has been working on his ranch here since the latter part of March, got away this week to Kimberley, where he hopes to strike a job for the next few months.

The rains on Tuesday and Wednesday were certainly most welcome, being really the first of the whole year. The moisture will assure a potato crop, freshen up pastures, and give second crop of alfalfa. It should also help out the the well supply of water.

Bids close on Saturday for the school janitor work for the year, and also for some repairs to the school building.

Mrs. Harold Langston was a visitor with Spokane friends the past week.

R. T. Millner has been named the deputy registrar of voters for the Lister poll for the coming Dominion election voting, and everyone should see him to make positively sure their names are on the voters list.

Geo. Crooks, Jas. Mordecai, and Wm. Orme, Old Country miners from Derbyshire, were Lister callers at the first of the week, and have since left for Kimberley and Fernie in quest of work. Their intention is to take up farms here if they can secure part time employment at their trades.

Kitchener

Mrs. N. P. Molander went to Moyie, Bull River and Yahk on a visit last week with relatives and friends.

Mrs. B. Johnson, Mrs. Geo. Hunt and Misses Clara Hunt and Mifdred Andeen went to Nelson on Thursday last on a business visit, and while there heard the Coldstream Guards Band, getting back Sunday.

Ellen and Fred Cameron of Moyie arrived on Monday last on a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Z. Geroux, going back on Sunday.

Those leaving on Sunday by train for Cranbrook to hear the Coldstream Guards Band were Mrs. McGonegal and daughters, Vera and Hazel; Mr. A. Howard, Mrs. N. P. and Richard Molander, Mrs. E. E. Driffil. They returned on Tuesday.

Mrs. R. Dalbom and daughter of Wynndel were between-trains visitors here on Sunday.

Alex. Mennie and Elmer Walby have returned from Dorr, where they have been employed for some time. The mill there is shut down for a few weeks and they will spend the time here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walby.

Mrs. M. St.Denis and daughters, Laura and Loretta, of Moyie, arrived on Friday on a visit with her mother, Mrs. Z. Geroux, leaving for home on Sunday.

Miss E. Hurry of Creston was here for the weekend, and took in the dance on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Nelson and E. Blair were auto visitors to Erickson on Sunday on a business trip.

H. C. Gilman and Ed. Martin of Lewiston, Idaho, were business visitors at the Leadville mine last week, and expressed themselves well pleased with the progress the mine is making.

W. W. Dobson, of Calgary Alberta, Ogilvie Flour Mills, saleman, was a business visitor on Wednesday, coming in by car.

R. T. Machum, of the C.P.R. National Resources department, Calgary, was a business visitor on Wednesday.

Roy Burch of Yahk and Frank Pym of Cranbrook, who are in charge of forestry work in this section, spent latter part of the week here on oficial business.

Melville Reid of Cranbrook was up over the weekend with his father, Walter Reid who is employed with the Continental Lumber & Pole Co.

Jas. McGovern, manager of Kitchener Hotel, made a business trip to Nelson at the weekend, and while there heard the Guards Band. He got back on Sunday.

Alex. Ellis, who is working at Goatfell, is spending a few days in town, a guest at the Kitchener Hotel.

Donald Young and A. LePage were down from the Iron Mountain to spend the weekend with Kitchener friends.

Wm. Varrau, A. P. Trou, M. M. Shanks, all of Seattle, Wash., who have been up Goat River on a fishing trip, left for home a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sly of Cranbrook were motor visitors here on Monday.

Hon. Dr. King, former minister of public works, paid us an auto visit from Cranbrook on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Attree and friends of Fort Steele, were other motor visitors here on Sunday.

The dance in Hunt's Hall, Saturday night was a success. There were good representations from Creston, Erickson, Canyon and Yahk. The next dance will be on August 28th.

Capt. Newby, a Salvation Army officer from Vancouver, assisted with the United Church service on Monday night, which was in charge of Pastor Harback. There was a fine turnout.

E. R. Gerber of Vancouver, Wash., was a motor caller at Kitchener on Monday.

Misses Vivian and Celina Langlois were Creston visitors last week, where the latter had her tonsils removed by Dr. Wilson Herald. At Creston they were guests of Mrs. Cowley.

Those taking in the dance at the community hall at Canyon on Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. W. Walby, Misses Esther Nelson, Laura Andeen, Edith Geroux, and Messrs. Jack and Jim Dodds, Ray McKelvey, Alex. Mennie, Elmer Walby, Harry Redmile and Roy Burch.

Geo. Huscroft of Creston was a business visitor on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Dolf Weir, other Creston callers, arriving on Saturday. We also had a call from C. W. Allan, manager of the Imperial Bank, Creston, and W. R. Long, on Saturday. R. S. Bevan, Creston's foremost garage man, was here on the Sabbath.

Those going to Cranbrook on Monday to hear the Coldstream Guards Band were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson, Laura Andeen, A. LePage, Donald Young, Fred Smith, Harry Redmile, P. Joyce, E. B. McFarlane, J. Laverne, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wickholm and children, Will, George and Myrtle; Mr. and Mrs. Walby, Mr. and Mrs. W. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. R. Lindbloom and Elmer, D. McKee, Sam Littlejohn, and Edith Geroux.

Canyon City

Clifford and Thelma Vance were motor visitors to Spokane, where they spent the weekend with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pepperdine of Calgary arrived a few days ago for the usual two weeks' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bateman.

Jock McKim arrived from the Continental mine this week, and with Mrs. McRobb is away on a motor trip to Kimberley to visit their daughter, Annie

Ernest and Gordon Vance, who have been working at lumbering in the state of Washington for the past few months, arrived home this week.

Almost two dozen Canyonites made the trip to Crandrook by auto on Monday to hear the Coldstream Guards Band.

Friends of Mrs. Wetherhead will sympathize with her in the death of her sister, Mrs. McVickers, which occured at the coast early this month. Deceased was quite well known at Canyon, having visited here about four years ago.

Wealthy and Gravenstein apples are now being hustled to the packing houses. The size is fair, but they are hardly average color. Too much smoke.

Canyon Ladies' Community Club are having another of their popular dances at the Community Hall next Friday night, August 27th, with an admission of $1 to gents, and 50 cents to ladies, which includes supper. The music is by Mrs. Lister and T. R Mawson, violins; Mrs. Pochin, piano.

Alf. Nelson is leaving this week for Pincher Creek, Alberta, at which point he has opened a fruit distributing warehouse, with Miss Signe Nelson in charge. He will use his trucks to distribute and sell the fruit from that point.

Hilton Young has been named local registrar of voters at Canyon for the pending Dominion election and starts at once to make up the list. To be sure you are registered it will be well to see him within the next week. He will take the 1926 provincial list as a starter and add every possible new name thereto.

Creston Valley Vote Registrars

The rural registrars have been appointed and are now at work making up the the voters list for the Dominion election voting on September 14th. In Creston Valley the following registrars have been named:

Sirdar—C. M. Loasby.
Wynndel—H. F. Packman.
Creston—F. H. Jackson.
Reclamation Farm—R. Sinclair Smith
Erickson—L. T. Leveque.
Canyon City—Hilton Young.
Lister—R. T. Milner.
Kitchener—A. G. Strudwicke

The lists will be made up in the same manner as for the election last October, the registrars taking the 1926 provincial voters' list as a basis. Every citszen of the riding, male or female, who is a British subject by birth or naturalization, 21 years o age, who has resided in the electoral district prior to May 20th last, and who has lived a year in the Dominion of Canada prior to July 20, 1926 (the date of the issue of the election writs) s entitled to vote, and should see the registrar of their sub-division, and make sure that their name is on the list. Provision is made, however, that if any person's name who is entitled to vote in a rural division is left off the list, that he or she may by being vouched for by a voter in the sub-division in which they reside may go to the poll on election day and demand and receive a ballot. Make sure that your name is on the list if you are a qualified voter.

DANCE

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Revenue of Temperance Council of Christian Churches in England and Wales is subject to taxation under a decision rendered by the King's Bench division.

A world survey showing that about 30,400 persons were killed and 868,000 injured in automobile accidents last year, is made public by the American Road Building Association.

The woman of today wears fewer clothes on the street than her grandmother wore to bed, says Senator Norris, of Nebraska, during a discussion in the senate.

M. Bronsky, a member of the finance ministry, says that as an outgrowth of extraordinary measures taken by the Soviet Government, the chervanetz, the new Russian gold unit of value, has now been definitely stabilized.

General strikes which would involve the violation of wage agreements were condemned by William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, in an address before the convention of the Rotary International at Denver.

The British Trades Union Council, through its acting secretary, Walter M. Citrine, denied that the Russian Soviet Government has sent funds to British strikers, and brands reports of such remittances as misrepresentations threatening to "endanger relations between Great Britain and the Soviet."

For Frost Bites and Chilblains.—Chilblains come from undue exposure to slush and cold and frost bite from the icy winds of winter. In the treatment of either an excellent preparation is Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, as it counteracts the inflammation and relieves the pain. The action of the oil is prompt and its application is extremely simple.

To Show Surplus

Manitoba Government Will Have Balance on Right Side of Ledger

A surplus approximating $350,000 will be shown by the Manitoba Government for the fiscal year which ended April 30 last, according to reports obtained in government circles.

In his estimates, Premier Bracken, as provincial treasurer, anticipated a deficit of about $145,000.

The favorable balance is attributed to under-expenditure for certain appropriations and to unexpected returns from certain sources of revenue.

France Holds Different View

France reiterated her contention that land, naval and air armaments cannot be treated separately in an effort to bring about any degree of disarmament. This view, on the whole, differs from the British and United States thesis that they can be studied separately.

Clemenceau Shuns Publicity

M. Clemenceau, former premier of France, has made arrangements so that France will not know of his death until he has been buried a fortnight.

WESTERN FARMS WANTED BY buyers who will deal with owners only. Do not pay My commission. Werner Schafroth, 127 Davison, Hyland Park, Mich.

FARMS WANTED BY CASH BUYers. Describe fully and state lowest price. H. Webster, 514 Royal, New Westminster, B.C.

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Canada's Valuable New Industry

Eastern Canada's pulpwood resources are furnishing nearly all the raw material for the manufacture of rayon, a commodity which is gradually replacing genuine silk on the market, according to Dr. W. Hale Clarks, who spoke to a large audience on "rayon" in Montreal, under the auspices of the Canadian Chemists Convention.

Rayon is made entirely of wood pulp, the Canadian spruce tree being the favorite for the purpose, said the speaker. At present nearly all the manufacturing is done in the States and Europe, though there are two factories in Canada, one of which is in Quebec.

The most modern machinery is used, and nearly everything is done automatically. The total rayon production for the last year amounted to a hundred and eighty-five million dollars.

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One-piece Frock With a Two-piece Look

Jean Patou, in his recent showing, has returned to the type of wearable one-piece sports clothes for which he is best known; many of them flare with plaits, but all with bodice cut straight and comfortably loose, and having the waistline around the top of the hips. This type of dress seen in the model pictured here, whose box-plaited skirt-front is joined to the bodice under a deep tuck. Note the back view shows a flat silhouette. There are gathers at the shoulders, and the collar is of the convertible type, to be worn high or turned back. No 1091 is for misses and small women, and is in sizes 16, 18, and 20 years, or (34, 36 and 38 inches bust only). Size 18 years (36 bust) requires 4⅜ yards 36-inch for dress of plain material; or 3 yards wide bordered material for dress as illustrated. Price 20 cents.

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Some Conditions People Should Watch To Prevent Cancer

The tendency among cancer investigators, said Dr. George A. Soper, managing director of the American Society for the Control of Cancer, is to believe that the disease is more often preventable than curable. More accurate diagnosis in early stages of the disease he accredited as one of the most outstanding advances in cancer research.

"One should beware," he added, "of the broken tooth or dental plate which continually irritates the gums, cheek or tongue; of the spectacles which make the head sore behind the ear, on the temples or nose; of any sore which will not heal; of the mole or wart that changes in color, size or appearance; of indigestion which will not stop and cannot be explained; of any unusual and unnatural discharge from any part of the body and of any lump which does not go away.

"When any one of these conditions occur, you should go at once to a capable doctor and do what he advises."—New Report from Atlantic City.

Lost In the Jungle

Explorer Returns From Expedition to the Amazon After Many Adventures

Dr. W. M. McGovern, the explorer, has just returned from an expedition to the Amazon and Andes. For many months he has been missing, and it was generally thought that he had been killed. He was indeed lost for some time in the jungle and twice was attacked by hostile Indian tribes, but won his way through, after making remarkable discoveries. One of McGovern's companions was drowned in a whirlpool, and the explorer himself was at death's door for some weeks with a strange jungle malady. The whole party was greatly troubled by vampire bats and other poisonous animals and insects.

Fire Brick Clay

Important Discovery Is Made At Williams Lake, B.C.

Development is expected to follow the discovery of hard flint clay near Williams Lake, B.C. Already several shipments have been sent to Vancouver for tests and have been found to be comparable with the best clays on the market. The clay will withstand 3,200 degrees of heat and is highly acid-resistant. At the present time there are more than fifty industrial plants in this province using British Columbia fire clays for furnace linings, and it is also used in the manufacture of crucibles, insulating materials and pottery.

After 10 Years of Asthma Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy proved the only relief for one grateful user, and this is but one case among many. Little wonder that it has now become the one recognized remedy on the market. It has earned its fame by its never failing effectiveness. It is earning it to-day, as it has done for years. It is the greatest asthma specific within the reach of suffering humanity.

Develop Platinum Claims

Plans for the development of platinum claims on the northern border of Alberta involve the use of aeroplanes. One of these planes has already arrived in Edmonton and is being put into shape by those interested in the development of these claims.

For Burns and Scalds.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil will take the fire out of a burn or scald. It should be at hand in every kitchen so that it may be available at any time. There is no preparation required. Just apply the oil to the burn or scald and the pain will abate and in a short time cease altogether.

L. J. Cobus, Milwaukee, Wis., is the inventor of a device to keep a motorist's hands warm in cold weather. The heater is in the steering post and wheel and comes from the exhaust pipe.

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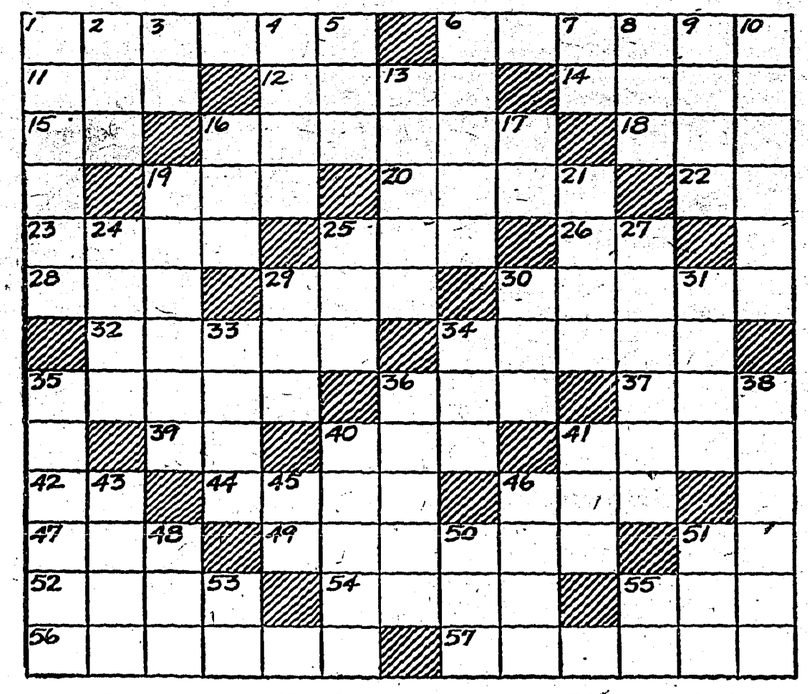


Horizontal

1—Cleans by washing and rubbing.
6—Cause to fade.
11—Possesses.
12—Comfort.
14—Number.
15—Pronoun.
16—Victuals.
18—For.
19—Salt.
20—Noose.
22—Trade union (abbr.)
23—At that time.
25—Exhausted cattle or horses.
26—Alternative.
28—Heir.
29—Man's name shortened.
30—In a living state.
32—Narrow.
34—Incline.
35—Thick, sweet liquid.
36—Unclose (poetic).
37—Prefix meaning before.
39—Suffix meaning like.
40—Twisted.
41—Listen.
42—Moving upward.
44—Small nail.
46—Title.
47—Corrode.
49—Puts into action.
51—Note of the diatonic scale.
52—God of love.
54—Lake in Northern New York.
55—To put on.
56—Request.
57—Transport.

Vertical

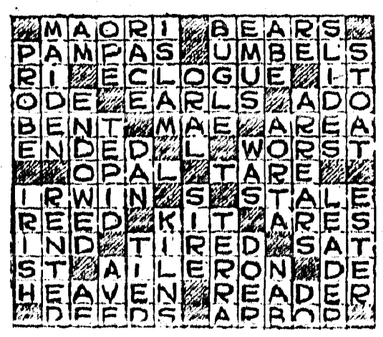
1—Undergarments.
2—Feline animal.
3—Bone.
4—Stagger.
5—Juice of plants and trees.
6—Twigs used as broom.
7—Whether.
8—Grand old party.
9—Injure.
10—Company of actors or minstrels.
13—Appetizing relish.
16—Sped.
17—Toward.
19—Title of address (Span.).
21—Game played on horseback.
24—Sacred.
25—Telegraph (abbr.).
27—Implement for ripping seams.
29—Short sleep.
30—Beverage.
31—Girl's name.
33—Restrain.
34—Watch secretly.
35—Became tart.
36—Command.
38—Wandering.
40—Became larger gradually.
41—Pronoun (poss.).
43—Ponder over.
45—Regarding.
46—Ladder; stile (Prov. Eng.).
48—Man's name.
50—Free.
51—On account of.
53—Continent (abbr.).
55—Perform.

Erect Big Flour Mill

Spillers Overseas, Limited, Will Have Large Plant At Calgary

It is stated that plans of Spillers Overseas, Limited, for the completion of their big mill at Calgary, are so far advanced that the contracts have been let to an English company for the equipment. The foundations and about two storeys have been finished and eight more storeys are to be built. The project, when ready for operations, will represent an outlay of from $4,000,000 to $5,000,000.

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle



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Criticism From U. S.

Men Who Dump Aliens Across Border Are Severely Censored

Severe criticism of "degraded men" on the Canadian side of the international boundary who induce people to pay over virtually all the money they have to bring them safely into the United States, and then "dump them across the line and let them shift for themselves," is contained in a report of the New York State Commission of Prisons. The report describes such practices as despicable.

"The commission should urge the United States authorities to call the attention of the Canadian authorities to this practice and see if the men who are responsible for it cannot be apprehended and punished," the report says.

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CHAPTER VII—Continued

"I promise Miss Manners that I shall always be ready to believe—whatever she wishes to tell me, and that I shall keep myself at her feet, eagerly listening." Smiling down at the girl, he murmured, softly: "Shan't we make that a bargain?" Then the caress came into his voice: "Shall we set apart an evening for the beginning of my devotions? Tomorrow, I petition most humbly!"

She hesitated, confused, her glance falling. She was about to turn again to John, but Brandon sensed the impulse and touched her wrist with his fingers. She shot her eyes up to his quickly. The touch burned her, but she decided instantly to accept its challenge.

He did not give his hand to John, but bowed lightly. Joanna went into the hall with him. Quite suddenly he put his hand on her shoulder and brought her around until she faced him.

"Don't make mistakes, Joanna," he said, earnestly. "There's a destiny before you, now. Your perspective isn't that of the shop girl any longer." Suddenly his nonchalance returned. She felt that the smile at his mouth was mocking her again, and that he was really taunting her, when he once more lifted her fingers to his lips. She tried to persuade herself that he was just a different kind—the difference of breeding, blood and association, from the boys who called her "kid" and asked for a kiss as soon as they happened to be alone. His difference from John—that puzzled her! For John wasn't like any of the other boys or men, either. He always wanted to talk architecture when she wanted to dance. She guessed John and Brandon would be much alike if John had had the advantages of money.

"The advantages of money! For John!"

She hurried back to him; went up to where he had dropped back into a chair, and stood before him.

First, she must do the obvious thing—do obeisance to the etiquette of occasions where a new and strange admirer confronted an old and established one unexpectedly. Girls were always getting into such muddles, and getting out of them. She tried to persuade herself that this was all that

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was bothering John—jealousy so profound that it obscured the larger events of the day.

"I didn't know he was coming, John," she pleaded. "I didn't ask him. I just met him today, at the bank, and I didn't want him. I wanted to be with you alone."

John got onto his feet, looked down into the troubled eyes, and pushed past the waiting form. He went over to a table and picked up a book fumbled it a moment, and then dropped it sharply. He swung around and faced the girl who was watching him, her slim breast rising and falling slowly:

"Well, Jo! Give me the straight of it!" he demanded, quietly. "Mrs. Adams has given me the story you told her. We agreed, of course, it's fishy. But it may be all right for her. You owe me the truth!"

Joanna caught her breath. Her impulse was to cry out, but she checked it. She felt her body growing rigid. She stared at the young man who leaned against the table regarding her coldly, cruelly, mercilessly. He who was the only link with her childhood, with her mother's geranium beds, with the school days and birthday days of the little town which had been her home—their home. He who had come also to the city to work out his career, and who had found her, sympathized with her occasional moods of loveliness, loved her and humored her tempers and her ridicule of him because he was so "slow," but always wanted to be with her in the home they'd have for their very own, someday; that he would build and make a wondrous thing with his architecture!

"John!" she whispered, the low word moaning, as if it was a pleading out of her soul.

He nodded, as if he thought he had caught her thoughts, and, being what he thought they must be, agreed with them. She rebelled against that nod instantly, and called to him her protest:

"John! What is it—what!"

He didn't move, but spoke in the same even, deadly cold tone:

"You mustn't lie to me, Jo," he said. "These days are what they are, and you girls are what you are. Money, money that you can't explain, doesn't come—you know that when you can't explain, it is because you don't want to, or somebody doesn't want you to. So drop the pretense, Jo, and for the sake of what we've been to each other, and what I've hoped we would be to each other, tell me—as much as you dare."

While the girl fought hard to ease the pain in her brain, he dropped his eyes, and a sad, quizzical smile touched his mouth. When he looked up he added: "You can trust me, Jo. I won't reveal any of your secrets, or anyone's else."

It was no trick, now, that sent Joanna's hands beating against his breast. All the trickeries had gone out of her aching little body. It was a girl who was maddened by the hurt he had given her, and who was fighting as a girl fights for the trust that is being denied her. "There is nothing more to tell," she cried frantically, while her hands beat as if to drive understanding into him. "I don't know why the money was given me, nor by whom. You must believe me, John, and help me." She hurried on, catching her breath as best she could: "And I want you to share it with me, dear; it is for you as well as me. It will make everything possible for you, and you will be big and successful, and we shall be so happy together—you've lost your head, John—or you wouldn't think! . . . . !"

He caught her hands and held them so tight that he hurt. But she didn't wince; just waited, her lips open, her eyes hungry, for him to speak.

"I havn't lost my head, Jo," he said. "It's you. And I was afraid. I was afraid it was coming, something like this. I knew you could never wear your skirts up to your knees, Jo, and flavor your kisses with cocktails, and be as you ought to be. You've laughed at me and called me a fool when I've told you that what you and your friends think is smart is only polished dirt. I wasn't old-fashioned, Jo; it was only that I wanted my girl to be different, and better—and safer! I could never get away with it, though—so whatever it is, it's happened, hasn't it?"

He had not raised his voice. He had kept his even tone. The sorrowful, quizzical smile remained at his lips. Joanna was helpless; every fibre of her was wounded and useless.

All that she could say was: "You really don't mean it—John! You don't think that I would . . . . !"

"Think?" he replied. "Think? Why, what I am thinking is, that even tonight, when you must have known that you would have to tell me something, some better lie than you planned, you meet me—meet me with this other man here too—in a gown like that! Half bare! True to the last to the morals of your kind, and your crowd!"

She heard her own voice, still pleading with him; but it sounded as if it were coming back to her from a great distance. The horror in her eyes had spread through her body and numbed it. She laughed, and cried out that he was playing with her. Then she fell into a chair and shook it with her sobs. But, so suddenly that it surprised the man who watched her, she got onto her feet and faced him. Her words were very distinct, now:

"You said a while ago, John, that you couldn't get away with it when you wanted me to be different than I was—than my kind and my crowd. Well, there's a lot more just like you! You didn't have anything to get away with. And you're not getting away with anything now!"

She thought, secretly, that he would protest, and that after a while he would be himself again, and take her into his arms, and ask to be forgiven, and believe and kiss her. She would explain about Brandon, about Graydon and Eggleston, and he would enter into her mystery with her. But he went out of the room, slowly, put on his hat and coat, and shut the door behind him.

Joanna sank to the floor, in the midst of the pretty pieces of the alabaster box in which she had treasured the only jewel she had.

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Little Helps For This Week

But this I say, brethren, the time is short.—I. Cor. vii., 29.

They are such dear, familiar feet that go
Along the path with ours—feet fast or slow,
And trying to keep pace—if they mistake,
Or tread upon some flower that we would take
Upon our breast, or bruise some reed,
Or Crush poor Hope until it bleed,
We may be mute
Not turning quickly to impute
Grave fault; for they and we
Have such a little way to go—can be
Together such a little while along the way
We will be patient while we may.

How careful one ought to be to be kind and thoughtful to one's old friends. It is so soon too late to be good to them and then he is always so grieved.—Sarah Orne Jewett.

Phonograph records of primitive languages that are dying out are being collected by scientists.

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How Gold Mine Came To Be Called Flin Flon

How the Flin Flon, Northern Manitoba's copper mine, got its name was related at the annual meeting of the Mining Corporation, held recently.

A party was paddling down the lake on which the Flin Flon discovery was made. A book was found on the shore containing the story of a Chinese named Flin Flon, who discovered a bottomless lake. Flin Flon invented a boat in which he made a trip to the bottom of the lake, the story says. His journey took him into a new world, where women were bosses instead of men. This did not suit Flin Flon and he made a hasty return to the surface of the earth, with the women chasing him with sticks.

A few days later when the party discovered the historic break which has now become Flin Flon mine—one of them said: "This looks like the place where Flin Flon came up—."

So they called it "Flin Flon" and Flin Flon it was incorporated.

Her Heart Palpitated
She Had Fainting Spells

Mrs. J. Wilson, Port George, N.S., writes: —"I suffered from palpitation of the heart and fainting spells, and, at times, I could not be left alone I was so nervous.

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Who is the "Outsider"

Under all the circumstance it is most unfortunate that some of those opposed to Harry Gale are trying to stir up opposition to him on the score that the Liberal candidate is an "outsider."

The first newspaper to put this idea forward is Mr. Esling's home town organ, the Rossland Miner, which in its issue of July 29th, opens its leading editorial with the entence, "Any political party is in pretty hard lines when it has to import its candidate from outside the ridiug," and further on in the same article it more unfortunately observes, "Someone has said that those who nominated him are now casting about for a guide to show him about the riding." In his platform work Mr. Esling has been expressing like sentiments.

But is this "outsider" representation any new thing in this constituency? And who were the first to "import its candidate from outside the riding?" Why, none other than the Conservatives who, in 1917, when West Kootenay riding came into existence, had Robert F Green of Victoria as their standard bearer.

In fact they had swallowed an "outsider" as their Ottawa representative since 1912 when Mr. Green, then a resident of Victoria, was wished on to them after emerging from a provincial scandal that made Mr. Green tough digesting for the Liberals who in 1917 found it necessary to break with their party to vote Green in order to assure the return of the Unionist Government with its win the-war selective draft policy.

Mr. Green continued to represent West Kootenay until transferred to the Senate in 1921—and in all those eight years never was heard a chirp from the Conservatives as to the iniquity of an "outsider" as a representative for West Kootenay.

It would be interesting, indeed, to learn just what has transpired since 1921 to make an "outsider" so objectionable. If the Tories for all those years could take Mr. Green without choking, surely they are showing poor sportsmanship in now trying to discredit an "outsider" whom they all admit has shown greater capacity fer successfully repres nting West Kootenay than was ever dreamed of in the case of R. F. Green.

And with due respect we submit that the word "outsider,' lends itself to broad interpretation, and would ask is Harry Gale, born and raised in Canada, really to be classed as an "outsider" when lined up alongside William K. Esling, Yankee born and for about a quarter century resident of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. U.S.A.? If this "outsider" feature of the campaign is to have the serious consideration we are told it is worth, the electors may as well have all the facts as early in the fight as passible.

And can Conservatives, who somewhat glibly talk of "no truck or trade with the Yankees" honestly line up behind Mr. Esling? If their slogan, 'Canada for Canadians,' means anything surely in this fight they will stand shoulder to shoulder with Harry Gale, Canadian for three generations back.

Gale Sets Fine Example

Speaking at his splendid rally here Wednesday night last Harry Gale stated that Mr. Esling had voted against the Old Age Pension Bill. On Thursday Mr. Esling despatched Mr. Gale the following wire:

R. H. Gale,
Creston, B.C.

"Your efforts to secure the confidence of West Kootenay electors would be more dignified if you refrained from the deliberate falsehood you utter when you say that I voted against old age pensions. By properly informing yourself on proceedings at Ottawa you will find that on the floor of the house I urged the introduction of legislation on this subject long before the bill was brought down by the government. In continuing your campaign it would be well not to underestimate the intelligence of the West Kootenay electorate."

W. K. ESLING.

And next day Mr. Esling received the following wire from Mr. Gale—and, we trust, none will fail to note Mr. Gale's gentlemanly reply to Mr. Esling's none too polite message—

"W. K. Esling, Esq.
Rossland, B.C.

Referring to your telegram of twelfth, which only reached me late last night, I hasten to assure you that I am exceedingly sorry if I have been unfair to you in inferring that you and your Conservative party voted against or opposed the old age pensions legislation introduced by the Liberal party during the last session of parliament. In taking the liberty of suggesting that it would be in the public interest that you should explain why you opposed the bill in question, I was relying upon information from sources that I consider most reliable that you had done so. I regret that you have found it necessary to accuse me of deliberate falsehood in this matter. I have and shall endeavor to continue to always conduct my campaign along gentlemanly lines, without indulging in personalties, and trust that you will not allow the heat of the campaign to influence you to adopt a different attitude."

"R. H. GALE."

And that's that. Speaking in the House of Commons on February 10, 1926 (see Hansard, Vol. LX1., No. 25. page 978), in his first address last session, Mr. Esling is reported as saying, whilst discussing fruit masters—

Then fancy them loading up their wagons with apples and whatever other farm products they have been able to raise, and starting to town, probably ten or twenty miles along a mountain road, looking up the bank to the heavens and down to eternity. At the first settlement of any size they go into the local store with their fruit and produce, endeavouring to find a market. The local merchant tells them he is sorry, but he is stocked up and cannot do anything for them. And what do the poor fellows see? They see boxes of apples, cases of eggs, and packages of other produce piled from floor to ceiling, all labelled "Oregon" and "Washington."

Early in March the Review took occasion to call Mr. Esling's attention to his gross mis statement of the case in connection with fruit marketing, and a libellous utterance concerning our merchants who Mr Esling states have their stores piled from cellar to ceiling with apples and eggs from Washington and Oregon.

Up to the present Mr. Esling has made no effort to correct his deliberate exaggeration. When one contrasts the gentlemanly overnight honorable amend made by Mr. Gale, with the failure of Mr. Esling to imitate such a fine British tradition—well the two incidents rather place the Conservative candidate in a most unfavorable light with the great big general public which always admires a public man who is big enough te admit his mistakes.

A New War Policy

Newspaper reports of the speech-making at the banquet which followed Mr. Esling's nomination at Nelson last month, quote one of the Creston delegates to the convention as saying, "I am proud to belong to a party that keeps its promises."

All will recall that in the campaign of 1921, and even in last year's fight, Conservatives were not slow at trying to make votes for that party by bewailing the fact that former Premier King did not go to the war, and proudly boasting of the admirable traditions of the Tory yarty and its policy of "Ready, aye ready!" when the empire is threatened by any foreign foe.

Immediately after last year's general election the Liberal member elect for Bagot, Quebec, died, and a bye election followed. In that province the "Ready, aye ready." policy has never been popular, and in the hope of winning Bagot we had Premier Meighen, speaking at Hamilton, Ontario, late in the fall, and in Bagot during the bye-election campaign, and promising that if the Conservative government got into power they would not permit Canada to take part in any war until a vote of the Canadian people was taken to ascertain whether or not they wished to take a hand in the defence of the motherland.

Patriotically considered such a policy is bad enough, but when one reflects that the next great war is most likely to be with Japan, and that the most natural place for the Japs to send troops and battleships—and they have them aplenty—would be British Columbia, what do the people of this province think of the Meighen proposal to leave this part of Canada undefended until such time as he can take a vote.

To assemble parliament, enact the necessary legislation, appoint officials, and take the vote, would run away with at least two months, during part of which time the enemy would be well on its way on a march through B.C. and no one to stop them. And supposing the vote was against war, what is going to happen to this province?

You say such a policy, is perposterous, and we agree with you. But it is Mr. Meighen's policy, and the Creston delegate says Mr. Meighen is at the head of a party that keeps its promises—and maybe knowns what he is talking about.

In certain quarters—notably in Orange Lodge conventions—Mr. Meighen's radically new policy has been repudiated, as well as by eattern Conservative M.P.'s, but to date the fearlessly independent member for West Kootenay—the man, we are told, who can be relied upon to stand up for the best interests of his constituents—has never been heard to repudiate Mr. Meighen's new war policy.

Is Mr. Esling putting party interests ahead of the safety of the lives and property of the people of this province, and are the people of West Kootenay going to longer stand for representation by one who by his silence gives approval of such un-British utterances?

This incident is of particular interest to those who argue that Mackenzie King is too closely allied with Quebec interests. In all your experience has anyone ever heard or read of a more monstrous bid for votes than this and if, as our Creston delegate affirms, the Tory party is one that keeps its promises, what are the voters going to do about it on September 14th?

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A. A. Dennys, the Dominion entomologist from Cranbrook, was here at first of the week, giving the potato bug invasion another official investigation.

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Local and Personal

T. D. Bunce received the unwelcome news by wire on Monday morning that his youngest sister, Mrs. Lewis French, had the previous day been killed in an auto mishap at Huntingdon, Oregon, and that Mr. French, was in a very serious condition. The injured man is a brother of C. C. French of West Coeston.

The rains at the first of the week have very effectively checked the forest fires in this district, the worst of which was at Wynndel, about ten miles up Duck Creek, and altogether too close to the Winlaw limit. It is estimated that forest fire fighting in the Kuskanook-Kitchener area this year will have run away with $17,000.

M. Wolsdon of the contracting firm Wolsdon & Degerstrom, Spokaue, with Andy Kent of Bonners Ferry, and party of four capitalists from Seattle, were here on Monday. They came up from Porthill where they had been investigating the dyked lands, and at Creston were in conference with the directors of Creston Reclamation Company, Limited.

All ladies interested in the election of Harry Gale are invited to the Liberal ladies' get-together in Trinity United Church basement at 8 o'clock. The gathering will be addressed by Mrs. (Hon.) J. H. King of Ottawa, and Mrs. C. J. Little, a well known Cranbrook Liberal worker. Refreshments will be served and a thoroughly enjoyable evening is assured.

Major Mallandaine reports a turnover in village property last week when he disposed of a block of six lots in the vicinity of the Jess Wiles residence on Fourth street, the buyer being Miss Hanson, who, with her father, have had the Lyne ranch under lease for the past year. The intention is to erect a residence which they will occupy at the expiration of their present lease.

The Lutherans of Creston district celebrated their annual mission festival on Sunday in Mr. G. Foster's bush. Tables and seats, as well as a spe ker's platform, had been provided, and as the weather was neither hot nor cold a very enjoyable day was spent by the hosts and their guests. Rev. C. Janzow of Nelson took charge of the main service, preaching two interesting, inspiring, and faith increasing sermons. The first was based on 1 Cor. xv, 58. The speaker urging his hearers to activity in mission work showed how this work should be carried on, and the gracions promise of success given by our Lord. The second sermon was based on Acts iv. 20. Rev. Janzow pointed out that all believers, having realized the greatness of God's blessing, the need of salvation through Christ for all men, the earnest will of God that the message of grace be brought to all nations and the obedience which believers owed to their Lord and Saviour, would be impelled to do mission work at home and abroad. After the lunch recess the local Lutheran pastor gave a talk on the Lutheran missions among the Maoris of New Zealand and Australia

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Rancher's Troubles

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—I note in your paper of August 6th that our kind officials are adding yet a little more expense and labor to the already over-burdened fruit rancher; more crates, more grading, more regulations. Howlong, how long, my brother rancher, will you put up with this kind of thing?

Every year we get more grading, larger crates; more inspectors to pay for—and less money for our produce. This year we had the larger raspberry crate, and we get 50 cents per crate less than we did for the smaller one.

If the grading and inspcetion meant better prices for our produce—as it should do—then it would be alright. But, Mr. Editor, I venture to think that the man who grows the fruit should at least be entitled to a say in these matters, Because the eastern fruit grower wants a larger crate we in the west are also forced to take it. Why? Simply because we do not stand together. Unity is strength.

We have too many apathetic ranchers in Br'tish Columbia who any independent buyer can hoodwink with the offer of five cents extra. They have read how they have been done down, but in spite of it all still continue to send their fruit to the same firm.

If these things go on we shall be wrapping potatoes in paper; apples will all have to be one size only and wrapped in gold leaf; strawberries will have to size up to an egg and also wrapped, and crated each in a closed package—don't forget the 'closed' package!

I would like to say a word on the apple crate. To my mind this package is only fit to ship chickens in. We are made to put our early apples, which includes Wealthy—all being of a soft nature—in a crate, which spoils our good fruit.

Now, brother ranceer, how much longer are you going to be told to do this, and that, without a protest? Until we all wake up to the fact that we are part of the world's producers, and therefore have a right to a fair profit and living wage, and take the matter in to our own hands—like our brothers on the prairie—get together and support our own shipping and selling agency, we shall always be broke—yours own association who now have a selling agency on the prairies to look after our interests.

BANCHER.

[Where was Mr. Esling, "the man who can be relied upon to stand up for the best interestr of West Kootenay," when these fool tomato regulations were being made? Why did he not let the ranchers know so they could have entered a protest.—ED.]

Still After the Potato Bugs

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—Some people have had the idea that potato beetle work in this district has been discontinued. The public is assured that this is certainly not the case, and that every effort is being made toward keeping the pest in check.

It is true that, owing to the unsettled state of Ottawa political affairs, funds have been temporarily short. However, this has not been allowed to interfere with the work in connection with the potato beetles.

The war against this pest has pro gressed continuously throughout the summer. The provincial department of agriculture has been supplying poison and loaning dusters to anyone finding potato beetles and the writer has sparod no efforts to make sure that the poison got to the beetles wherever they showed up. There have been a great many small outbreaks but these have been fought strenuously.

A very active campaign for next season is being worked out by the Dominion and Provincial departments and it is confidently expected that this season's data and results will, with the hearty co-operation of all growers, lead to the eradication or, at any rate, the prevention of the spread of this beetle. Parliaments may come and parliaments may go but the potato beetle work goes on forever. Any growers having trouble with insect pests please write A. A. Dennys, Box 79, Cranbrook.

Alice Siding

Danny Seaver of Kellogg, Idaho, is here at present on a visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Stewart.

Miss Gladys Webster was a between trains visitor at Kitchener on Saturday.

The rains of Tuesday and Wednesday will do an immense amout of good to field crops, and should help size up the winter varieties of apples.

Misses Marie and Evelyn Vaness are visitors at Cranbrook this week, where tney are guests of Mrs. M Cox.

Frank Simister is now driving the Ford 'bug' belonging to Stan. Hubbard which has been in the garage at the Jack Smith ranch the past months.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hester made the trip by auto to Cranbrook on Monday, and were amongst the throng that heard the Coldstream Guards Band that day.

Jack Miller, having completed the flats haying, left his return to Staveley, Alberta, fore part of the week.

Rev. Dr. Daly held Presbyterian Church service at the Todd house on Sunday rfternoon.

Jack Smith was at Cranbrook on Monday for the Guards Band concert.

J. C. and Frank Martin left on Thursday last for Alberta, where they will help with the prairie harvest and threshing.

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Shoes Made to Order

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In the matter of the Estate of Harold Cobbett, late of Creston, Province of British Columbia, Deceased, Intestate.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims or demands against the estate of Harold Gobbett, who died on or about the 5th day of July, 1926, are required on or before the 30th day of September, 1926, to send postpaid or deliver to James Hingston Doyle of Nelson, British Columbia, Official Administrator for the Nelson and Creston Electoral Districts, and the administrator of the estate of the deceased, their Christian names and surnames, addresses, and descriptions with full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after such mentioned date the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have had notice, and that the administrator will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof to any person or persons whose claims notice shall not have been received by him at the time of such distribution.

Dated at Nelson, British Columbia, this 16th day of August, 1926.

BROWN & DAWSON.
Solicitors for James Hingston Doyle, Official Administrator.

FORM No. 13.
(Section 39)

LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LANDS

In Land Recording District of Kootenay, Group One, and situated in the vicinity of Kitchener, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE that WILLIAM LEE HATHAWAY, of 310 Sansome Street, San Francisco, California, U.S.A., Manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the intersection of the westerly boundary of Sub-Lot 14 of Lot 4592 with the northerly boundary of Sub-Lot 13 of Lot 4592 in Group 1, Kootenay District, thence north 20 chains more or less to the north-west corner of Parcel 3 Hathaway land; thence west 100 chains more or less to a post marked 10, Sub-Lot 13 of Lot 4592; thence south 20 chains more or less to a post marked 9, Sub-Lot 13 of Lot 4592; thence east along the northerly limit of said Sub-Lot 13 for 100 chains more or less to the point of commencement, and containing 200 acres more or less.

WILLIAM LEE HATHAWAY.

Dated 5th June, 1926.

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Exclusive Ford Dealer : : *CRESTON*

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Learn a Trade

A striking and highly significant chart has just been issued based on returns made to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa, and one which should convey a sharp lesson to all parents and to thousands of youths and young men.

This chart, which is easily understood, is in two parts. Part one sets forth the average hourly rate paid eight trades in each of thirteen Canadian cities, while the second part shows the average hourly rate of wages paid labor in building trades in these thirteen cities.

Th first part, while interesting and instructive, does not carry the same important object lesson to people as does the second part. It does show that the average hourly wage is higher in Winnipeg than elsewhere in Canada, with Regina second, Toronto, Calgary and Edmonton tied for third place, Vaucouver fourth, and with Victoria, Hamilton, Ottawa, Montreal, St. John, Halifax and Quebec following in the order named. In the five cities first mentioned the average hourly rate of wage is in excess of ninety cents, including laborers, while in Quebec, the lowest, it is sixty cents.

The second part of the chart shows that the average hourly rate of wages paid taking all these thirteen cities together was as follows: Bricklayers, $1.10; plasterers, $1.06; stonecutters, 93 cents; plumbers, 88 cents; electricians, 80 cents; carpenters, 78 cents; painters, 71 cents; laborers, 44 cents. Working these rates out on the basis of an eight-hour day, we get the following results: Bricklayers, $8.80; plasterers, $8.48; stonecutters, $7.44; plumbers, $7.04; electricians, $6.40; carpenters, $6.24; painters, $5.68; laborers, $3.52.

In other words, the young man whose parents took a sufficiently deep interest in his welfare to see to it that he learned a trade, or the boy who as a result of his own ambition and initiative mastered a trade, commands a wage two to three times as great as the one who is not so equipped for life's work.

Nor is this all. The trained workman can usually find employment when the common unskilled laborer has to spend half his time looking for work and frequently without being able to get it, or anything better than an odd job now and then. At the present time in several Western cities the building trades are very active, and the statement has been made that there is no need for any man to lack employment. Nevertheless, scores of men were out of employment. Why? Because at the very time when bricklayers, carpenters and other artizans were being imported from other cities to meet the demand, there was a surplus of pick and shovel men for whom no work could be provided.

In modern construction on any large scale, excavations are now dug with steam shovels, cement is mixed by machinery, hoisting is done by machinery, with the result that only a minimum number of laborers is employed. The work is thus done more rapidly and much cheaper, and higher wages can be paid the skilled workers because of the greater and better results achieved. The unskilled laborer alone suffers.

A survey of the work of philanthropic organizations and government and municipal relief bureaus reveals that it is largely to laborers and their families that food and clothing relief have to be provided, while the lists of unplaced men in the Employment Offices is almost entirely those who have no qualifications or classification except that of "laborer."

True, the country must have those who will do the rough pick and shovel work, the simple but heavy work of carrying and lifting, but this need will always be met out of the ranks of those who lack the mental powers, the necessary application, the force of character, to learn and master a trade. But when their ranks are swollen out of all proportion by thousands of mentally alert, physically fit men whose parents, or themselves, fail to provide equipment for any worth while work in life, a situation is created which is extremely serious both for the man himself and his dependents and the country at large. And these men, who ought to be making a real contribution to the welfare of the race, are actually stumbling blocks in the path of, and a menace to the livelihood of, their less fortunate fellow men who, because of lack of proper endowments, are unfitted for any tasks but those of the laborer.

Parents should not, of course, compel their boys to adopt a trade or follow an occupation against a boy's inclination and desires, but it is one of the duties of parenthood to see that the children are properly equipped for life's struggle, and that equipment should include knowledge of some useful occupation, handicraft or trade. No boy in this country and in this age should be sent forth to face the world unable to do anything but the lowest and cheapest form of manual labor.

Largest Lace Curtain Made

One of the lace manufacturing mills in England has turned out in one piece a lace curtain 150 feet long and 50 feet wide. It is said to be the largest single piece of lace ever turned out in any of the factories throughout the world.

A tablet to the memory of Madame Marie Harel, creator of camembert cheese, has been placed on her cottage in Brittany.

Tests have been made that show that human life can be sustained at 7½ miles altitude.

This Washboard will wear for Years

IT'S so strong you could stand on it without doing it any harm. The rubbing surface is heavy SMP Pearl Enamel, positively smooth as glass, but unlike glass, *it cannot break!* And it won't wear out, like zinc. The back is heavily re-inforced with wood. It's a washboard that will last for many years, and remember, it is SMP made.

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SMP ENAMELED WASHBOARD

Senate Reform

Question Of Its Own Reform Is Raised in Upper Chamber

Senator McMeans, Winnipeg, in the senate asked: "When does the government propose to call a conference of the provincial premiers to consider senate reform?"

"May I be allowed to ask if this house is anxious to be reformed?" interjected Senator Beique.

Senator Dandurand, in reply, said he would bring the question to the attention of the government, and would suggest at the same time that the opinion of the provincial premiers on the reform of the House of Commons might be secured.

Forest Fires Are Costly

British Columbia Paid Over Three Million Last Year

Forest fires cost British Columbia about $3,500,000 last year, according to figures compiled by the forest branch of the lands department and made public by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands. This total was made up through property losses, including timber of nearly $2,750,000; $617,000 spent by the government in fire fighting and $133,000 spent for the same purpose by private companies.

Trade In Horse Meat

A trial shipment of Alberta-raised horse meat has been sent to Belgium, and if it suits the needs of that market, a considerable trade is anticipated. About two tons of marketable meat were frozen and shipped on a definite order from Brussels, and a shipment was also made to Japan where there is a potential market. If the results are satisfactory a profitable method of disposing of scrub horses will have been developed.

WHEN DIGESTION IS ON STRIKE

Food Fails to Nourish—Relief Can be Had Through Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Is your digestion strike over? Do you turn away from your food at meal times, although you know you need the nourishment your food should give you? Is what you eat followed by pains, flatulence or nausea? These symptoms show that your stomach is in no state to digest food even if you eat it. Do not rely on remedies that merely give temporary relief. A sound stomach depends upon rich, red blood, and if it does not do the work nature intended, the trouble must be corrected through the blood and there is no better way to build up the blood than by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dyspeptic who has tried them is delighted with the improved appetite and renewed strength that so quickly follow their use. Mrs. A. Quinlan, Stratford, Ont., is one who has tested the value of these pills in trouble of this kind. She says:—"I feel it a duty to let you know what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have done for me. Some time ago I suffered severely from indigestion, which left me run down and nervous. I could neither eat nor sleep well, and decided to consult a doctor. He told me that I was almost bloodless and gave me some medicine, but as it did not appear to help me, I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I got three boxes and by the time I had taken them I felt better. I then got three more boxes and when I had taken them I felt like a new woman, and I was again able to do my housework ,and have not since had any return of the trouble."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers, or will be sent by mail at 50 cents a box by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont. A little booklet "What to Eat and How to Eat," will be sent free to any address for the asking.

New Market For Canadian Wheat

Mexican Millers Purchase Portion of Their Requirements Here

According to all indications a gratifying success has attended efforts made to induce Mexican millers to purchase a portion of the wheat they need from Canada. During 1925 shipments were made through New York brokers and later direct from Canadian exporters through New York. Now shipments are being made through Vancouver via Panama Canal to Vera Cruz and Tampico. This is a new market for Canadian wheat and promises to be an increasing one. In the eleven months ended February, 1926, Mexico took 110,068 bushels of Canadian wheat, this being more than double the quantity taken in the same period ending February, 1924.

Minard's Liniment for backache

Cold Water Always

Joints—beef, mutton, pork and Ham—are perfected by the tang of Mustard.

should be cold to give the best effect and the Mustard should be mixed 10 minutes before the meal.

Keen's Mustard aids digestion 430

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Bread worth wrapping is worth wrapping well. It deserves the full protection afforded by Appleford wraps. Bakers prefer these wraps for three reasons.

1. Quality paper is used which won't tear, or crack under corners.
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Rumors Of German Request Cause Anxiety

Prospect of Having to Reduce Rhine Troops Disturbs France

A report from London that Germany is preparing an official request for a reduction in the effective troops of the allies occupying the second and third Rhineland zones has caused some disquietnde. It is believed that the question will be raised before the admission of Germany to the League of Nations. It is feared that at that time the Reich will ask for more, possibly complete evacuation.

French Nationalists are seriously disturbed at the prospect. They point out that while everyone in France thought the latter's army was established at Mayence until 1935, with time after that to organize a defence behind Lorrain Beach, through which the Germans passed in 1870, no one now can count on this.

Girl Is Star Racer

Pretty 23-Year-Old English Girl Holds the Honor

"The best motor car driver in the world, with the possible exception of Major Segrave, the high-speed expert" —this is the remarkable claim for a pretty twenty-three-year-old English girl, Miss Violet Cordery, of Cobham, Surrey, who recently broke thirty-three motoring records by driving a car 15,000 miles at an average speed of sixty miles an hour in eleven days.

The feat was accomplished at Milan, Italy, and Miss Cordery's driving so impressed an Italian nobleman that he proposed to her three times within an hour.

Saskatchewan Fish

More Than a Million Pounds Shipped Annually From Northern Part Of Province

Fifty carloads of fish—more than a million pounds—are shipped annually from Big River, in Northern Saskatchewan, to points in the United States. Large quantities of fish are also shipped from that point throughout the various centres in the western provinces for home consumption. This year shipments of Western Canadian fish have been made direct to Los Angeles, Calif.

Corns are caused by the pressure of tight boots, but no one need be troubled with them long when so simple a remedy as Holloway's Corn Remover is available.

Salt Wells At Fort McMurray

The salt wells at McMurray now being developed by the Alberta Salt Company, are producing twenty-five tons of salt daily, according to advices received. The supply is abundant, two seams ranging in thickness from 129 to 140 feet now being mined, at a depths from 600 to 800 feet.

Minard's Liniment for burns

Wainwright Oil Refinery

Will Have a Daily Capacity of One Thousand Barrels

It is expected that a refinery of 1,000-barrel daily capacity, known as the Wainwright Refinery, will be erected at Wainwright at an early date. This will be approximately the same kind of a plant as that now in operation at Edmonton, with a slighely larger capacity. It is understood that eight new wells are soon to be started in Wainwright field as a result of the success of the Edmonton-Wainwright well.

Her Whole Body Seemed to Be Affected

So Says Ontario Lady Before She Used Dodd's Kidney Pills

Mrs. L. A. Ross suffered with a severe attack of kidney trouble and found relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Ottawa, Ont.—(Special).—"I had a very severe attack with my kidneys about two years ago. So bad, I was laid up for over a week. My whole body seemed to be affected. I lost my appetite and was falling fast. At last I got a box of Dodd's Kidney Pills and got help right away. I have not been bothered since."

This statement comes from Miss L. A. Ross, who resides at 432 Nelson Street.

Other sufferers from kidney trouble tell of pains relieved and health restored through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills. They strengthen the weak kidneys and remove the cause of the pain.

There is no reason why anyone should continue to suffer when Dodd's Kidney Pills can be obtained from druggists everywhere, or The Dodd's Medicine Co., Ltd., Toronto.

Increase In Grain Shipments

Shipments of Canadian grain to British and European ports during the winter season from Saint John totalled 17,338,000 bushels, an increase of more than 4,000,000 bushels over the season 1924-25.

The use of Miller's Worm Powders insures healthy children so far as the ailments attributable to worms are concerned. A high mortality among children is traceable to worms. These sap the strength of infants so that they are unable to maintain the battle of life and succumb to weakness. This preparation gives promise of health and keeps it.

If every man could believe everything he hears about everybody else how much better he would think himself than his neighbors.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Horn-rimmed spectacles are a complete disguise for Sir Austin Chamberlain. He usually wears a monocle in his right eye.

Muskrat Farming A New Western Industry That Has Made Remarkable Strides

From all indications the new industry of muskrat farming continues to take hold of the popular imagination in a manner in which few newly developed Canadian activities have done, and from the way in which ambitious recruits with proclivities toward out-of-door occupation are coming to engage in its pursuit there seems every likelihood of its coming to outstrip most other branches of the domestic fur farming industry. Marsh and slough land, formerly regarded as waste territory, in all sections of the country, is being fenced off and transformed into muskrat farms, either by farmers adding this sideline to their main activities or by newcomers engaging in this profitable and interesting profession as a whole-time pursuit. There is every evidence that soon the country will be quite thickly dotted with domestic establishments devoted to the intensive raising of muskrats for fur.

Certain sections of Alberta and British Columbia would seem in particular to be receiving marked attention. In the Peace River country of Northern Alberta, muskeg lakes continue to be taken up on quite an extensive scale, according to report, to become domestic muskrat farms. The Columbia-Kootenay Valley, with large tracts adapted to the pursuit, is experiencing a somewhat similar invasion. A Milwaukee cattle rancher, establishing in the Lake Manitoba district of Manitoba purchased in addition an area of swamp land to turn into a muskrat farm to raise these valuable little animals on a large scale as a profitable sideline to cattle raising.

As establishments come periodically to be added it becomes evident that the prospects in the activity are making a powerful appeal to important and expert interests, and that muskrat ranching is to be an industry pursued on an ever increasingly extensive scale. This is evidenced, for instance, in the acquisition at Carol Lake, Alberta, by the Bruce Farming Company, Ltd., of fifteen quarter-sections of land, or a total of 2,400 acres, to be turned into a muskrat ranch. The land has already a thriving nucleus in the several existing colonies, and these will be added to and the entire establishment thoroughly protected. It is further evidenced in the location at Swan Lake, north of Quesnel, British Columbia, of what is to date the largest muskrat farm in the Dominion. Last fall the Musquash Farms, Ltd., secured possession of 8,159 acres of low-lying ground surrounding the lake, taking in the adjoining meadows and streams, which are already dotted with numerous muskrat houses, from which trappers have taken a toll for years.

Homestead Entries

All Provinces Record a Considerable Increase in Applications

Homestead entries in Western Canada during the month of April last, show a considerable increase over the corresponding month last year, having numbered 553, as against 315, according to a report issued by the federal lands patent branch. By provinces the entries were as follows: British Columbia, 12; Alberta, 219; Saskatchewan, 226; and Manitoba, 96. For the first four months of the current year, the cumulative total of homestead entries was 1,909, as against 944 in the same period of 1925. All provinces recorded an increase.

Alberta Coal Production

Coal production in Alberta during the month of March last showed a considerable advance over the output of the corresponding month in 1925, according to a report of the chief inspector of mines. The output for March, 1926, amounted to 428,523 tons of all grades, as against 387,007 in the same month last year, an increase of 41,516 tons.

Judge.—Did your wife hit you with a piece of bric-a-bac?

Mullingan.—Divil a bruck about it, yer honor; just the brick.

If a man never has anyone to tell him what he would do if he were in his place, that man is friendless.

Hog Trade Improving

Warning Is Given To Raisers Against Over Feeding

The livestock branch of the department of agriculture at Ottawa is able to report, in its sixth annual review, covering the year 1925, general improvement in the market situation compared with 1924, and seemingly excellent prospects for the immediate years coming. Particularly is this true as regards the hog trade, in connection with which, however, it gives warning against over feeding when feed is plentiful and under feeding when feed is scarce. In other words, to retain our regained standing on the bacon market, there must be uniformity in feeding in all circumstances. Having re-established our product on the British market as high quality lean bacon, marked increase in the percentage of fat bacon would be about the most unfortunate thing that could happen to our export trade. At no time, says the review, has there been need for greater caution, and we may well beware of the over-generous feed pail.

Cattle Pool At Coast

B.C. Stock Breeders' Association Favor Co-operative Marketing

A pool for the co-operative marketing of beef cattle will probably be established in British Columbia at an early date under the auspices of the British Columbia Stock Breeders' Association. A party of directors and members of the association have completed a tour through the Cariboo and Chilcotin cattle raising districts, holding meetings at all the principal points. Co-operative marketing was the chief topic at all the meetings, and the success which has attended the Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association in regard to the co-operative handling of dairy products was outlined by President W. J. Park of that association. At every meeting a resolution in favor of co-operative marketing of beef cattle was unanimously adopted and a committee has been appointed by the Stock Breeders' Association to work out a scheme to that end. The committee will probably visit the prairies to investigate pool cattle shipments there.

Dairy Prizes At Winter Fair

Some Changes Made in Awards For Toronto Show

The executive committee of the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair have recently approved of some changes recommended in the prize lists for this year's show, scheduled for November 12-20, in the Royal Coliseum, Toronto.

The most important amendments were made in the dairy products section, in which the prize money remains the same as in 1925, with the exceptions of sections 1 to 4 in classes for butter, to be awarded under the group system this year. In connection with the butter section, General Manager Westervelt announces the donation of two silver cups by the Hon. George S. Henry, M.P.P., one to be awarded to the exhibitor securing the highest score in any section of the cheese classes and the other to the exhibitor securing the highest score in any of the butter sections.

Modern Muskrat Farm

The Beaver and Muskrat Farm, which is located near Wilmer, British Columbia, is now fully stocked and in running order. It is, without doubt, the most modern of its kind in the whole Dominion. The farm covers about 70 acres and is completely enclosed with a specially constructed galvanized iron fence.

Alfalfa Seed Industry

Alfalfa seed growing, a comparatively new industry for Alberta, is proving very successful. The Brooks Alfalfa Seed Growers' Association has sold all it can grow. Two or three carloads have been sent to the United States.

Insurance Agent: "Any insanity in your family?"

Mrs. Suffragist: "Well, no, only my husband imagines he is the head of the house."

Exhibiting Dairy Butter

Should Use Nothing But Absolutely Sweet and Clean Cream

The making of butter for home use is still the common practice on the majority of farms. Until creamery butter becomes more accessible to farmers, it will very likely continue to be economical to do so. In some cases, a surplus is sold, but it is not probable that this constitutes a profitable source of revenue in most cases, compared to selling cream. However, where butter is made, it should be the aim of everyone responsible for this work to make good butter.

A very good method of making improvements and of keeping in touch with butter quality standards, is to make it a point to enter butter for competition at the provincial and local exhibitions. Besides the educative and advertising features, which may be shared by participating in these competitions, there is the further incentive of the substantial cash and value prizes which are offered.

No creameries now use anything but absolutely sweet and clean flavored cream in making exhibition butter and it is always thoroughly pasteurized. In making dairy butter for exhibition purposes, it is well to keep this in mind, especially because the judges for the creamery butter usually also judge the dairy butter. In pasteurizing, the cream should be heated to a temperature of 170 deg. Fahr. and held at that temperature for at least ten minutes and then cooled to churning temperature as quickly as possible. Churning should not take place for two hours or more after the cream is thoroughly cooled, and the fact that pasteurized cream may be churned at a temperature three or four degrees lower than raw cream, is also important. This lower churning temperature assists materially in producing firm, close texture, which is wanted in good butter, as well as the mild, sweet flavor.

"Does your wife take to bridge?"

"She takes to it more than she brings back"

If two souls have but a single thought it is useless to waste any time contemplating matrimony.

Immigration And Colonization The Most Important Problem Confronting Canada To-day

Mr. A. B. Calder, of Montreal, representing the department of colonization and development of the Canadian Pacific Railway, in the course of an address at a land settlement conference held recently in Edmonton, said, in part:

Immigration and colonization is the most important national problem confronting Canada. There is not a man in this audience and few in Canada, but is convinced of the supreme necessity of soliciting, securing and settling in Canada, a producing population. By a producing population, I mean, in the first place, sustain themselves and their families, produce that for which there is always a market abroad, and as much as may be of those things for which there is a market at their own doorways. At present that source is the soil and in my opinion that must continue to be one of the great sources for some years to come.

Nations are not made in cities and are only helped by the men of the cities who are gifted with vision, sympathy, and understanding. I do not contend that the man who tills the soil is by nature or at heart, set apart and superior to his urban fellow citizen, but I do think that endowed with the same type of brain, the very nature and experience of the farmer-toil makes of him a superior to his city brother. It has been poetically observed that "Nature never yet betrayed the heart that loved her." And the nearer we get to Nature's heart the better men we become and those who earn their daily bread in contact with Mother Earth and what she bears, are the backbone of a country.

I have devoted this much time to the phase of what I term the grandeur of the farmer's calling, because it occurs to me that there is at times a disposition to minimize the value and importance of the agriculturist in our economic life and that when certain legislation favors are demanded, it is with the presumption that the agriculturist is of secondary importance. Permit me to interject at this moment that if these plains are reasonably well filled with a producing population, then the purely industrial enterprises will have nothing to complain of. Their troubles will be mere bubbles, to vanish with the advent of that population and development we are assembled to promote.

The actual value of a family of agriculturists to a marketing centre, whether it be a village, town or city, is insufficiently appreciated by the residents of such communities. Investigation has enabled our department of colonization and development to demonstrate that an agricultural family of five people, located on a producing farm, spend an annual budget of $1,500 for clothing, implements, groceries, etc., which cannot be produced on the farm, and they, therefore, add that value to the merchants in their market town.

An increased and increasing population at work on our fertile prairies will settle not only our manufacturing problems, but will materially assist in settling the problem of our over-built railway mileage.

Will Eliminate Sheep Duty

Decision of Government Means Boom For British Columbia

Thousands of sheep will be brought into British Columbia next year as a result of the Federal Government's decision to waive the duty on breeding stock for a twelve-month period, according to officials of the provincial department of agriculture.

The Ottawa authorities' plan to allow breeding sheep to be imported without payment of duty follows upon suggestions of the British Columbia department of agriculture through A. C. Whitney-Griffith, president of the Farmers' Institute and well-known sheep expert. While in Ottawa recently, Mr. Whitney-Griffith secured from the federal department of agriculture a promise to eliminate the sheep duty next year.

"Inside three years there will be as many sheep in the Cariboo, Chilcotin and Nicola districts as there are all over British Columbia today," Mr. Whitney-Griffith predicted. "The ranchers of the interior actually have found that they make far more for every dollar invested in sheep than they do on their cattle operations."

Grain Still Moving

Heavy Marketing of Grain at Points On C.N.R.

Marketings of grain at points along the Canadian National Railways almost reached the two million bushels mark for the week June 4 to 10. During that period farmers brought in 1,939,000 bushels, while 1,918 cars carrying 2,679,000 bushels were loaded at country elevators along the same lines. These figures are more than three times those for the same period last year, and there is still 3,154,000 bushls in store at C.N.R. points. This amount is distributed through the three provinces, Manitoba having 784,000 bushels, Saskatchewan 1,536,000 bushels, and Alberta 834,000 bushels.

MINAKI—A SECOND JASPER

When the plans now being hurried forward by the Canadian National Railways are completed, Minaki Inn, on the Winnipeg River at Minaki, Ontario, will be a second Jasper Park Lodge. From the ruins of the old structure there is rising at Minaki a summer resort which will be infinitely more charming and picturesque than any other east of the Rocky Mountains. The rustic style of architecture which has appealed so strongly to those who have visited Jasper Park Lodge is being carried out with improvements and additions in the rebuilding of Minaki Inn.

Already the bungalows, built in the form of log cabins, which will provide the sleeping accommodation, have been completed and work on the new main building, which is most tasteful in design and appointment, will be carried forward as rapidly as conditions will permit. For the present the administration building will be used for the common rooms of the hotel and there will be cabin accommodation this summer for 140 guests. The photograph shows one of the cabins.

Minaki Inn, this summer, will be under the management of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Turner, both of whom have had long experience in hotel work. They are shown in the photographs. The nine-hole golf course is in excellent shape and will be under the direction again of E. J. (Ned) McKenna, who proved such a popular pro last summer. Improvements have also been made to the tennis, fishing, boating and swimming facilities.

Saskatchewan Creamery Butter

Production Is Increasing At a Very Satisfactory Rate

Creamery butter production in the province of Saskatchewan for the month of April, 1926, amounted to 1,052,664 lbs., as compared with 724,513 in the same month last year, an increase of 45.2 per cent., according to a report issued by the provincial dairy commissioner. The cumulative production for the first four months of the current year is 3,420,944, as against 2,650,162 pounds in the same period last year, an increase of 29 per cent.

Butter Men To Compete

Two silver cups for competition among butter producers of the Dominion have been donated by Hon. George S. Heury, minister of highways for Ontario, it was announced by the executive of the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair at Toronto.

"Do you believe in capital punishment?" "Certainly," replied the walking delegate for the Dumb-bells' Union, "the working man won't get no justice till capital is punished."

Local and Personal

PIGS FOR SALE—Well bred pigs, six weeks old, $5. Rrs. J. B. Rudd, Wynndel.

Mrs. C. O. Rodgers returned on Sunday from a short visit with Nelson friends.

The village expenditure for July totalled $698, of which amaunt $279 was for lumber.

Bob Maxwell returned on Friday from few days' business-pleasure trip to Calgary, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Adlard were motor visitors to Cranbrook this week, leaving on Sunday.

W. Fisher was a visitor with Nelson friends over the weekend.

Mrs. Geo. Hendren left on Saturday for Cranbrook, where she is visiting with her daughter, Blanche, who is on the telephone central staff in that town.

Miss E. Hughes of Medicine Hat, Alberta, is a Crestonvisitor this week, the guest of Mrs. M. R. Joyce.

S. A. Speers is a spokane visitor this week, leaving on Tuesdsy. and is accompanied by his son, Harold.

FOR SALE—Twelve teams of heavy horses suitable for farm or lumbering work, at bargain prices. C. R. Paulson, Kitchener.

G. Hendren and Master Stewart Spiers were among the Creston people who heard the Coldstream Guards Band at Nelson on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Gibbs made up a motor party to Cranbrook on Monday for the Guards Band concert.

There will be no services in Christ Church on Sunday, but the old order will be resumed on the 29th, when there will be evensong at 7.30.

Misses Margeory and Phyllis Hamilton were at Nelson on Saturday and were present at the evening concert of the Coldstream Guards Band in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Twigg spent a few days with Cranbrook friends this week, motoring up on Sunday in time to hear the Guards Band the following day.

Friends of J. D. Spiers will sympathize with him in the death of his brother, Dave, which occurred at Morden, Manitoba, on Sunday, word of his passing reaching here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McLaren are leaving this week for Vancouver, where they will visit friends for a couple of weeks. The officer at Yahk will have charge of police work during Mac's absence.

The girls of the Mission Band of Creston Presbyterian Church left on Monday for Kuskanook, where they will be in camp all this week, in charge of Mrs. Speers and Mrs. McLarn.

Rev. J. Herdman was at Yahk on Sunday, where he took the United Church service at that point. The work at Creston was efficiently handled by Pastor Harback of the Canyon-Lister charges.

The trustees of Creston high school have definitely decided not to take up the fourth year high school work this term. In order to handle that work successfully a third teacher would have to be engaged.

C. W. Allan, manager of the Imperial Bank, left on Wednesday for his usual two week' vacation, which he is spending at coast points. In his absence Mr. Godfrey of the Cranbrook branch is in charge here.

From present appearance Creston public school will be crowded to capacity, and parents who have children to commence schooling are asked to have the youngsters at the school opening day, Tuesday, September 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mawson, Misses Mary Bush, Nadine Bell, and Helen Moore, and Messrs. George Bush and Lionel Moore were at Cranbrook on Monday to hear the Coldstream Guards Band, making the trip by auto.

The Conservatives open the speaking compaign at the Grand theatre tonight (Thursday), when (Rev.) Joshua Hinchliffe, Victoria, member of the local Legislature, and Col. Fred Lister, M.P.P., are announced to speak.

At Monday night's organization meeting the Liberals arranged their campaign committees and it can safely be said that never in the Valley's history been as well prepared to wage successful fight for their candidate.

At the August meeting of the village commissioners it was decided to have the clerk notify the public library board that the village would be unable to take over the care and managment of the library at the first of the year, as requested by the directors.

Remember the auction sale of the household effects, etc. of A. Kleist, which takes place to-morrow afternoon at one o'clock at the ranch in the Dow addition, north of town. There is also a quantity of poultry in the sale.

New sidewalk construction is under way again, with authority given to extend the walk from the Edmonson residence through to Mrs. M. Young's, and to continue the new walk put down last year on from the Manse to Speers' corner.

Palmer & Maxwell this week made the sale of their eleventh 1926 model Chevrolet. The buyer was Arne Andestad of Wynndel. Watch for the firm's announcement next week showing still further reductions in the price of this popular car.

The young people will be pleased to hear that the newly organized Peerless Orchestra are making their first appearance in Creston to-night, 20th, with a popular price dance in the Parish Hall at 9 o'clock. The admission is 50 cents, with supper extra.

Mr. Biccum, who closed his second-hand store at Creston a little over a year ago, since which time he has been in business at Kimberly, has returned to town and has taken a lease on the F. H. Jackson store on Wilson Avenue, which he is fitting up preparatory to re-opening.

Geo. Horstead of Nelson, deputy returning officer for West Kootenay, was here on an official visit at the first of the week; and has named Frank Jackson as registrar of voters at Creston, and R. Sinclair Smith at West Creston. Now is the time to see these gentlemen and make sure your name is on the list.

The dry spell, which has lasted almost since the middle of June without a break, came to an end on Monday evening when there was a rainfall of acout two-thirds of an inch. It was just about sufficient to lay the dust and wash off the foliage of the trees along the main roads. Another half-inch of it came Weduesday. This will help out the vegetables but has not penetrated deep enough to help the fruit trees.

Mr. Ireland of Wycliffe, who last week moved into the former Lidgate residence, just north of town, has purchased the property from J. W. Dow, and intends making considerable improvements to house and grounds. Mr. Ireland has for years been master mechanic at the Otis Staples sawmill plant in that town and of his departure the Wycliffe correspondent to the Cranbrook Courier says: Mr. Ireland and family left Wycliffe on Monday to take up their residence in Creston, where Mr. Ireland has recently purchased a house and some land. They will be greatly missed in Wycliffe as they have lived here quite a number of years.

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