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Abandon District Conference, 1932

Kootenay - Boundary Women's Institutes Forego Annual Convention This Year—Endorse Resolution Cawston Benefit.

Creston and District Women's Institute resumed the monthly meetings on Friday afternoon. The president, Mrs. T. M. Edmondson, occupied the chair, and there was an attendance of 13 members and two visitors.

A resolution in favor of postponing the annual conference for one year was approved, and sent on to the superintendent of Women's Institutes. The resolution was sponsored by Mrs. Hayes and Mrs. M. Young. The government is unable to give any financial assistance to conferences this year, so that all expense would fall on the local organization, and it is generally felt that this expense is not justified at the present time.

The resolution passed by Creston Women's Institute was also endorsed. This resolution asks for a government representative to be sent to Cawston to investigate the situation there. It appears that a number of settlers, who have been there for some time, and have done considerable improvements, and in many cases paid for their land, are liable to have their land seized by t e original vendor under a mortgage against the company which sold them the land and is now insolvent and in default in its payments to the original vendor.

Bounty was paid during the summe on 1545 gophers The hospital committee reported having held two sewing meetings and that sewing had also been done by Mesdames McKelvey, Crosby, Hayden and Maxwell. White rags were donated by Miss Dibben, Sirdar, and Mrs Murrell. Rags are still needed.

An agricultural tea was arranged for Saturday, September 24th, in the United Church hall, at which there will be a sale of bulbs, roots and garden produce and home cooking The Institute cook book will also be on sale.

Mrs. Edmondson briefly referred to the loss sustained by the Institute in the death of Mrs A. North of Sirdar, who had been a very active member. The members stood in silence. After adjournment tea was served by Mrs. W. M. Archibald and Miss Edith Crawford. Freewill offering for the Crippled Children's Hospital was $2.10.

Alice Siding

Miss Gladys Webster, who has been holidaying at her home here the latter part of August, left last week for Michel, where she is resuming her position on the teaching staff of the consolidated school at that point.

With ideal weather prevailing for the past two weeks haymakers on the flats are making great headway putting up the season's feed supply.

Miss Helen and Robert Moore, who spent part of the summer vacation with their mother, Mrs. H. H. Taylor, left last week to resume their schools at Lumberton and Fernie respectively.

School re-opened for the fall term on the 6th with Mr. Freney again in charge. An addition has been put on the north side of the building which is in use as a high school, with four students in attendance.

After a short holiday with her sister, Mrs. MacDonald, in Calgary, Alberta, Miss Gwen. Webster left earlier in the month to commence her course in training as nurse at the General Hospital, Vancouver.

H. Cyr of Pincher Creek, Alberta, was a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pease one day last week. He came in with a truckload of wheat and on his return took back a load of fruit.

There is considerable activity in the building line on what is known as the former Wood ranch, just south of the A. A. J. Collis place. 22 acres of this has been secured by Reg. and John Harris of Lethbridge, Alberta, and already a house has been erected for the former and work is under way on a home for the latter. Mrs. Reg Harris and children arrived on Labor Day to again take up residence after a three year absence, they having sold their former (Kedell) place to Geo Murrell in 1929, since when they have resided in Lethbridge.

Grand Theater **Sat. Sept. 17**

The story of an iron man who tried to stop an army of guerillas!

Richard Dix

in

Roar of the Dragon

a drama of lawless love in the Far East . . . ripped from the news heads that shocked the world!

Comedy and News

Canyon City

Mrs. Witherhead of Nelson, a former resident of Canyon, was renewing acquaintances here last week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Messenger.

A. D. Pochin of Nelson was here for a couple of days last week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Blair. He reports business quite satisfactory in connection with the summer hotel he conducted on the former steamer Kuskanook, which was tied up at Kokanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Kimberley were Labor Day visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Moberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolthammer and children returned on Labor Day from a week's holiday at Kimberley where they were guests of Rev. and Mrs. R. E. Cribb.

Shipping is completed on the 1932 crop of Gravenstein and Wealthy apples and picking of McIntosh Reds will be commencing any day now. The fruit is taking on excellent color, but the quantity of the fancy grades will not be as high as in other years.

Canyon United Church Ladies' Aid had the September meeting at the home of Mrs. (Rev.) Walker at Creston on Tuesday last, with a fine turnont. All report a most enjoyable session.

A. G. Samuelson loaded out four carloads of his 1930 cut of cedar posts which will be used by the C.P.R. on right of way fencing in southern Alberta.

Canyon school reopened for the fall term on September 6th, with an at endance well up to the standard at the closing in Jnne. L. W. Stephens is again in charge as principal, with Miss Mary Goodwin of Creston in charge of the junior room.

The Swedish Ladies' Auxiliary had their first annual picnic at the recreation grounds on Labor Day, with a turnout of about 60. Mrs. John Johnson was in charge of the committee handling the outing, which was a mast enjoyable affair.

A. Evans of Port Alberni, a representative of the Workers' Unity League, addressed a meeting in the community hall on Wednesday evening last which was fairly well attended. He was one of the party of 500 workers who interviewed the Dominion Government at Ottawa last month, making the trip to the capital by side door pullman.

Mr. Brown, an engineer in the employ of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company, was here last week looking over the power site at Goat River canyon, and during his inspection made a trip through the canyon by raft.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Anderson of Roland, Manitoba, were visitors here last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Halstead. They were en route to Vancouver where they intend to reside.

Wynndel Fair Wednesday, 21st

Will be Staged in Community Hall and Big Display Assured—Open to Public at 2 p.m.—Sports for the Children.

Everything is shaping up well for Wynndel's fall fair which is being handled by the Women's Institute and which is to be held in the community hall on Wednesday, September 21st, with the formal opening exercises at 2 p.m.

The 1932 fair prize list is somewhat larger than last year and will include fruit and vegetables, farm produce, cooking, canning, needlework and a class for the school children, and entries already to hand would indicate that there is going to be plenty of competition in most of the classes. This has been an ideal year for the orchardist and and gardener and the show in these classes will be large, and with keen interest by the ladies generally should assure a splendid entry in the cooking and canned goods.

A pleasing feature to this year's fair will be the music to be supplied by an orchestra. The ladies will serve tea, and there will also be a hot dog stand,

Fortune telling will be another feature, and there will be a raffle of a silk comforter and rug. Commencing at 4 p.m. there will be a list of school ports in which the children are taking a keen interest.

The admission to the fair is 25 cents. It is expected there will be a large attendance from Creston and visitors are assured a worth while exhibition. All the exhibits will be displayed in the main hall, which will enable a better display and make it much more comfortable to view the exhibits Wynndel Women's Institute have an active committee in charge and everyone is assured a royal welcome and an enjoyable afternoon

Don't miss the Wynndel fair.

Erickson

Mrs. George Cartwright is a Cranbrook visitor this week.

Miss Muriel Thurston was a weekend visitor at Cranbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Lang of Calgary, Alberta, were visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. Clements.

Jack Hall of Vancouver arrived on Saturday on a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hall.

Mrs. Frank Clark is a patient at Creston Valley public hospital.

Miss Ruth Cartwright returned on Tuesday from a visit with Kimberley friends.

Inspector Manning of Cranbrook was a visitor at the school Wednesday.

J. Mermet is back from Weeds, Calif., on Sunday. He made the trip by auto and is accompanied by his father and mother, who intend making their home here.

Mrs R. Dodds, who has been visiting with friends in Vulcan, Provost and other Alberta points for the past three months, returned home on Monday. Helen Dodds arrived from Cranbrook the same day.

R. J. and W. R. Long, of the firm of Long, Allan & Long, were business visitors at Calgary and Lethbridge, Alberta, a few days last week. They report the wheat crop in southern Alberta the best in years.

Erickson Ladies Hospital Auxiliary had a successful tea at the home of Mrs. Putnam on Wednesday afternoon last, at which the intake was in the neighborhood of $25. The pair of chickens were won by Mrs. Albert Davies of Creston.

Miss Josephine Pedersen of Creston was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Bert Boffey on Friday evening, at which Mrs. Boffey and Miss Ada Lewis were joint hostesses. About two dozen of the young friends of the evening's guest were in attendance, and a most enjoyable evening was spent at bridge. Miss Pedersen was remembered with many handsome and useful gifts, and a delightful lunch was served to bring proceedings to a close.

The sale of another 11-acre tract in the Connell subdivision is reported this week, the buyer being R. C. Phillips of Creston The acreage is to the south of the Heric ranch. Mr. Phillips will commence clearing operations shortly and proposes to erect a house and move onto the land in the spring.

Mrs. C Kelsey has been advised of winning second prize at the Vancouver exhibition last month on the Reward wheat she had entered for competition in the sheaf wheat class. If the grain has not shelled unduly it is possible she will show the sheaf at the winter fair in Toronto in December.

Monday was the busiest day of the year in the fruit shipping line, Long, Allan & Long, Limited, alone rolling three cars of apples, one of which went to the Old Country. The other two went to Medicine Hat and Lethbridge, Alberta. All three cars were Wealthys.

Wynndel

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lunt of Calgary were visitors last week with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs G. Lunt.

Mrs. M. Wigen and baby daughter were Trail visitors with the former's sister, Mrs. H. Allen.

Annual fall fair is a date to be remembered, 21st September. All entries to be in with the secretary, Miss O. Hagen, on 19th September. Teas will be served at fair for 15c. Hot dog stand. Musical items during afternoon.

Mrs. Goplin and son, Chester, of Saskatchewan are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pederson.

Mrs. Towson, Miss E. Towson and A. E. Towson were auto visitors to Bonners Ferry last week.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Pederson was the scene of a very pleasant party last Wednesday, 7th September, the occasion being a fruit and miscellaneous shower for Miss Joe Pederson bride to be of October. Many beautiful gifts were bestowed on the bride-to be, attesting to her popularity in the district and were acknowledged by her in well chosen words. Mrs. W. Cooper and Mrs. R. Eakin rendered musical items during the afternoon which were much enjoyed by all. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were Mrs. C. Gregory, Mrs. Towson, Mrs. Davidge, Mrs. Wall, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. R. Eakin, Mrs. Vic. Johnson, Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. R. Andestad, Mrs. Packman, Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. M. Hagen, Mrs. J. Ringheim, Mrs. Praken, Mrs. Hackett, Mrs. P. Hagen, Mrs. A Benedetti, Mrs. Ogilvie, Mrs. Uri, Mrs. Wood, Mrs. Menhenick, Mrs. D. Butterfield, Mrs. Goplin, Sask., Mrs. Pedersen and the Misses S. Benedetti, E. Reid, Miss LaBelle of Creston and the guest of honor Miss J. Pederson.

Lister

Birth—On September 10th, to Mr. and Mrs. Hans Lindhorst, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Boyd of Creston were weekend visitors here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jacks.

Col. Lister was a Harrop visitor last week, where he had charge of the official opening of the fall fair. This week he is filling a similar engagement at Nelson.

John Huscroft has just completed the shipping of four cars of baled alfalfa, which has gone to the dairy farm of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company at Trail.

The crop of Wealthy apples in this district is all harvested. The Jacks, Stevens, Yerbury, Langston and Powers ranches are amongst the 1932 shippers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phillips of Kimberley were Labor Day visitors at the ranch at Lister.

School re-opened on September 6th with Misses Curtis and Webster again in charge. Opening day attendance was 47, which is an increase of nine over last year opening day. There were six beginners in Harold Daus, Bernice Dent, Lily Steib, Arthur Hayward, Joan Langston, Dorothy Millner.

Last Payment Exhibition Park

Council to Hand Over $535.00 When Title Deed Furnished—Donate $10 Saluation Army—Pass Enquiry Motion.

Due to the commissioners wishing to hear W. K. Esling's talk on the St. Lawrence Waterways project the the September meeting of the village council Monday was brief and called at an earlier hour than usual.

Reeve McFarland presided and Commissioners Henderson and Jackson were in attendance. Due to a very touching appeal for help from the Salvation Army a grant of $10 was made this good cause, and the accounts ordered paid totalled $873. In this is $535 to make the final payment on the Exhibition grounds and buildings which the village purchased about four years ago.

The following resolution was moved by Councillor Jackson and seconded by Reeve McFarland, and passed: "That the clerk be instructed to write the minister of lands asking if these concessions are in the original agreement between the government and Creston Reclamation Company, Limited."

Due to the press not having notice of of the hour-early start of the council meeting the Review was not present, but on enquiry at the city hall we learn that "these concessions" referred to in the resolution have to do with an article in the Review of September 2nd in which it was stated that the Reclamation Company had tentative plans to set aside sufficient acreage for exhibition grounds, golf course, airport, etc., along with 1000 acres to be made available to bona fide residents at cast.

Miss Agnes Hobden of Vancouver, is spending part of a two months' vacation with her mother, Mrs A. Hobden.

Miss Ida Rylan, who is attending high school at Creston this term, is home at present, laid up with an attack of chicken pox.

H. Langston is the new manager of the Co-Op. store at Creston taking charge of the business on Monday, Mrs. Langston will assist with the work and every confidence is expressed that they will make a success of their new venture.

Several from here were at Creston on Monday evening to hear the address of W. K. Esling, M.P. on the St. Lawrence Waterways project.

Mrs. A. Hobden, who has spent the past year on a visit with relatives and friends at various points in Ontario, returned home on Labor Day, and was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Hazel, who spent the summer vacation there.

The Women's Institute

SILVER TEA

and

SALE of Home Cooking, Bulbs and Roots for Fall Planting, Garden Produce

in the

United Church Hall

on

Saty., Sept. 24

3 to 5.30 p.m.

Everybody Welcome!

Initiative Wins.

When Marshal Foch was given command of the French army during the World War, one of the first things he is reported to have said was: "To h—l with history and principles! What is the problem?" Though Foch was perhaps the world's greatest student of military strategy, he was no slave to it. He tackled each problem with initiative and vim. This method won for Foch.

The Review of Reviews magazine declares that a study of recent reports will show that those industrial organizations that exerted wise and sustained vim and initiative profited more than those which stood pat watchfully waiting, or those which imitated others. It points out that the larger the business, the more it tends to become standardized. System and routine often kill initiative and stifle progress. This explains in part why a small organization will so often place a new, out-of-the-ordinary product upon the market, something for which a real need has long existed but which no one previously appeared to have recognized.

Safety glass, now used so widely for windshields and bank cages, is the result of alertness and initiative. Non-shattering glass was discovered accidentally by a French chemist who knocked over a test-tube that had been used for months. Stooping to pick up the pieces, he discovered that the paste substance in the tube held the broken glass intact. Mentally alert, the chemist remembered that the tube contained a mixture of trinitro-cellulose, ether and acetone. Experiments followed and safety glass was the result.

Rear Admiral David Watson Taylor is credited for having been able to reduce the coal bill of the United States Navy by one-half, utilizing the bow wave for ship propulsion. A biscuit company making money only erratically saw its sales rise enormously by fashioning cookies in the shape of dogs, animals, and similar enticing forms. A manufacturer of towels was able to build up sales enormously by introducing towels in colors to harmonize with the bathroom tiles. Children's towels were created. Complete ensembles were worked out—towels, washcloths, bathmats. That plant is reported to have maintained full capacity throughout the depression.

Foods have undergone marked development because of research followed by initiative. It was discovered that tomato juice is rich in vitamines A, B, and C, and in three years, tomato juice has caught the public's fancy. Progressive manufacturers of canning machinery were alert to their opportunity. In two years the sales of canned tomato juice have a gain of 629 per cent., and bottled 177 per cent.

Today there is no paucity of opportunities. But there is paucity of vision, initiative, and courage to capitalize them. As Charles Kettering, vice-president in charge of research, General Motors Corporation, says, "Business will come back when we get products that people want to buy. If one-tenth of the energy was spent in getting such products instead of stirring up the mud, we would get along better."

The task of leaders is to lead. There is not an industry or a line of manufacture but affords unappreciated opportunity for initiative. Today, as during the days of the World War, executives might think to advantage as Marshal Foch was thinking when he said, "To hell with history and principles! What is the problem?"

Mine Taken Over By Workers

Interesting Experiment Is Under Way In Nova Scotia

For a quarter of a century the people of Inverness, N.S., have been working for somebody else. Now they will be in business for themselves, directing and operating the coal mine that is the only industry in the town, and marketing its products.

Their co-operative plan, approved recently by the government of Nova Scotia, is expected to banish the threat, long dreaded by the town's 3,000 inhabitants, that the mine would be closed.

Under the agreement with the government, operation and control of the mine has been transferred to a new company, the Inverness Coal Co-Operative Company, Limited, members of which are to be miners employed in that mine and taxpayers of Inverness.

Persian Balm preserves and enhances women's natural heritage of beauty. For sheer feminine loveliness it is unrivalled. Tones and rejuvenates the skin, and makes it exquisite in texture. Delightful to use. Smooth and velvety, it imparts a youthful charm to every complexion. Indispensable to all dainty women. Especially recommended to make hands soft and white. Delicately fragrant. Preserves and enhances the loveliest complexions.

New Paint Seems Uncanny

How hot a kettle is at any moment can be told by the color of a paint which has just been invented. A kettle painted with the new material, which is a mixture of salts of mercury and copper, looks bright red when cold, but as it warms up above 140 degrees it becomes maroon colored. At 20 degrees higher it takes on a dull chocolate hue, and at boiling point it is quite black. Cooling brings its color back.

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Felt Terribly Nervous

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Feeder Purchase Policy

Designed To Encourage Winter Feeding Of Cattle and Lambs

Renewal of the Feeder Purchase Policy designed to encourage the winter feeding of cattle and lambs of suitable type and quality is announced by the Hon. Robert Weir, Federal Minister of Agriculture. Under the terms of this policy, broadly put, the Federal Department will pay the reasonable travelling expenses of a farmer or his agent to the stockyard point of purchase, the feeder sales, or nearest station to range point at which feeder stock is purchased. To secure the benefits of the policy at least one car of stock (20 head of cattle or 40 lambs, or a combined car, figured on 2 lambs as the equivalent of one beef animal) must be purchased. Stock purchased is subject to approval as to type and suitability by the official representative of the Dominion Live Stock Branch serving the point of purchase. Special provision has been made to extend the benefits of the policy respectively to farmers of Eastern Canada, of the Prairie Provinces, and of British Columbia. Complete details and information about the policy and the benefits can be secured by writing the nearest stockyard agent of the Dominion Live Stock Branch, or direct to R. S. Hamer, Chief, Cattle Division, Dominion Live Stock Branch, Ottawa. The policy is operative for a period of five months from and after August 1, 1932.

Drives Asthma Before It. The smoke or vapor from Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy gives asthma no chance to linger. It eradicates the cause. Our experience with the relief-giving remedy shows how actual and positive is the succor it gives. It is the result of long study and experiment and was not submitted to the public until its makers knew it would do its work well.

Buys His Home Village

After an absence of more than 40 years, William McGregor, who left his home in Latheronwheel, Caithness, Scotland, to seek his fortune in Australia, has returned to become the owner of his native village. As a boy he was employed in herding cows. Director of several Australian companies, he came back to visit his sister, Miss Jessie McGregor, who still lives in the cottage where they were born. He bought the village when it was placed on the market recently. It has about 120 inhabitants.

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Just sprinkle Gillett's Pure Flake Lye down your drains and toilet bowls each week. Use it full strength, for Gillett's Pure Flake Lye will not in any way harm the finish of enamelled sinks or bathtubs.

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GILLETT'S LYE

EATS DIRT

Never dissolve lye in hot water. The action of the lye itself heats the water.

Stock Exchange Seats Up

Estimated Value Shows Big Increase In Short Time

With the recent sale of a seat on the New York Stock Exchange for $120,000 the value of the 1,375 seats went up by 33 per cent. The estimated worth of the seats is now placed at $165,000,000, an increase of $41,250,000 over the total of a week before.

The traders in Wall Street are preparing to pick up where they left off a few years ago. It is getting on for three years since the crash on October 29, 1929, when 16,400,000 shares changed hands.

People have been hoarding their money for a long time. They are beginning to feel the itch to spend. The stock exchange is one of the barometers, even if it is a place where many lose their savings. And the exchange is girding itself for a pick up in its business.—Border Cities Star.

Externally Or Internally, It Is Good. —When applied externally by brisk rubbing, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil opens the pores and penetrates the tissue, touching the seat of the trouble and immediately affording relief. Administered internally, it will still the irritation in the throat which induces coughing and will relieve affections of the bronchial tubes and respiratory organs. Try it and be convinced.

Canadian Radio Programme Broadcast From 'Plane

Contact Made With Station From Height Of 3,000 Feet

An advertising stunt that proved of some scientific importance was accomplished here recently when Arthur Dupont, local radio announcer, and Sydney M. Nesbitt, aeroplane club official, successfully established contact with a Montreal radio station while flying 3,000 feet over the city. Both men gave short addresses which were clearly received by many wireless fans. It was believed to be the first Canadian radio program broadcast from an aeroplane, though short addresses were broadcast from the airship R-100 over Ottawa in 1930.

Britain Is Providing Underground Airports

'Planes Will Use Inclines To Come To Surface

Underground airports are to be provided for the British Air forces. This decision was made after it was found that no camouflage could hide the hangers from the powerful lenses now being used in military cameras. The new airdromes will be at a minimum depth of thirty feet. There will be inclines for 'planes to come to the surface and take off.

Grow Seedless Grapefruit

Secret Was Originally Discovered By South African Plowman

South African planters have mastered the secret of growing seedless grapefruit, and bulk supplies are now beginning to be exported. A careless plowman discovered the secret originally. His blade came in contact with a grapefruit root and a small tree, growing from the incision, produced sterile (seedless) grapefruit. South African growers experimented and found that similar fruit could be produced only under special conditions.

Worms in children work havoc. These pests attack the tender lining of the intestines and, if left to pursue their ravages undisturbed, will ultimately perforate the wall, because these worms are of the hook variety that cling to and feed upon the interior surfaces. Miller's Worm Powders will not only exterminate these worms, of whatever variety, but will serve to repair the injury they have done.

His Voice

Newedd was showing an office friend over the young couple's new house.

"All this luxurious furniture is my wife's idea, you know," he explained.

The friend nodded approvingly.

"Very nice, I'm sure," he replied; "but surely you had a voice in the matter."

"Yes, the invoice," said the young husband.

Motion Without Motive

Chinese Description Of Western Civilization Fits Speed Maniac

Judging by the number of convictions in recent weeks, the Ontario authorities are in earnest in their determination to make the highways of that Province safe for the average motorist.

There is rarely any intelligent reason for driving a car beyond a reasonable speed. Occasionally, in an emergency, fast driving may be justified. For the most part it is merely craziness.

One of the most frequent causes of fast driving is the desire merely to pass some one on the way to nowhere in particular. Which gives point to the Chinese observer's description of Western civilization as "motion without motive." The speed maniac might just as well be driving around an enclosed motor speedway as on the public highways. Perhaps something of the kind may eventually be provided for those infected with the speed virus.—Winnipeg Tribune.

Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator will drive worms from the system without injury to the child, because its action, while fully effective is mild.

"Too bad about Tom and the girl he's engaged too. Neither one of them is good enough for the other."

"Where did you get that idea?"

"Ive been talking the matter over with both families."

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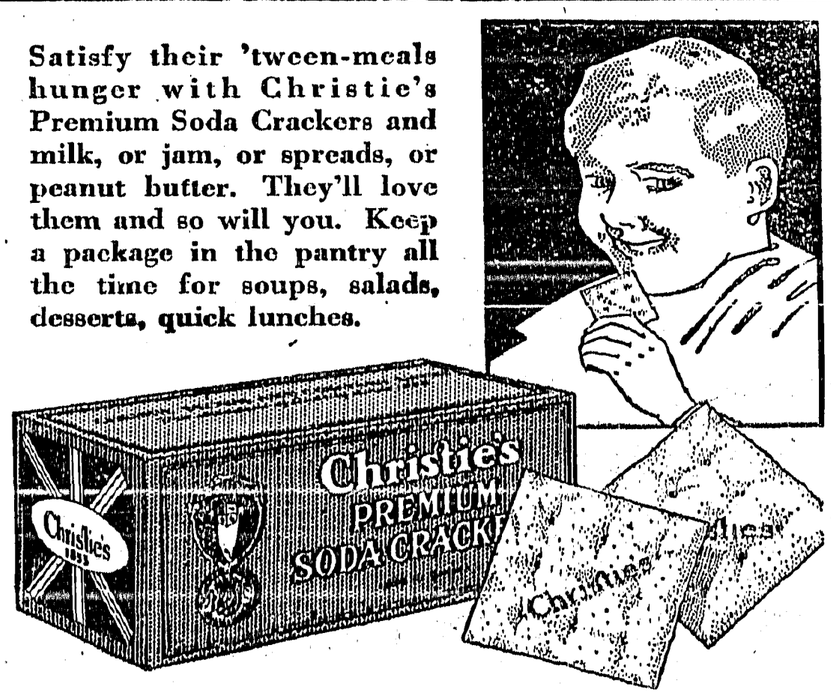

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CHAPTER XXXI.—Continued.

A brief silence followed this announcement. Blaise was thinking concentratedly. So Madame de Varigny, despite her French name and her French mannerisms, was an Italian! He might have guessed it had the possibility ever definitely presented itself to him—guessed it from those broad, high cheek bones, those liquid, southern-dark eyes, and the coarse, blue-black hair. Yet, except for one fleeting moment at Montavan, the idea had never occurred to him, and it had then been swiftly dissipated by Jean's explanation that the impressive-looking Cleopatra was the Comtesse de Varigny and her chaperon for the time being.

Italian! Blaise felt more convinced than ever now that Madame de Varigny's visit portended unpleasant developments. Something, a voice from the past, was about to break stridently on the peaceful present. He braced himself to meet the encounter whatver might be coming. Vaguely he foresaw some kind of blackmail, and he thanked Heaven for Jean's absolute understanding and complete knowledge of the past and of all that appertained to his first unhappy marriage. There would be little foothold here for an attempt at blackmail, however skilfully worked, he reflected grimly.

He therefore responded civilly to Madame de Varigny's statement, apparently accepting it at its mere face value.

"I am surprised," he told her. "You have altogether the air of a Parisian."

The Countess smiled.

"Oh, I had a French grandmother," she returned carelessly. "Also, I have lived much in Paris."

"Ah! that explains it," replied Tormarin, leaning back in his chair as though satisfied. "It's the influence of environment and heredity, I expect."

He was fencing carefully, waiting for the woman to show her hand.

"I have also Corsican blood in my veins," pursued Madame de Varigny. Then, as Tormarin made no answer, she leaned forward and said intently: "Do you know the characteristic of the Corsicans, Monsieur Tor-ma-rin? They never forget—nevaire"— her foreign accent increasing, as usual, with emotion of any kind. "The Corsican always repays."

"Yes? And you have something to repay? Is that it?"

"Yes, I have something to repay."

"A revenge, in fact?"

She shook her head.

"No, I do not call it revenge. It is punishment—the just punishment earned by the man who married Nesta Freyne and brought her in return nothing but misery."

Tormarin rose abruptly.

"What have the affairs of Nesta Freyne to do with you?" he asked sternly. "As you are obviously aware, she was my wife. And I do not propose to discuss private personal matters with an entire stranger." He moved towards the door. "I think our interview can very well terminate at that. I do not wish to forget that I am your host."

"You are more than that," said Madame de Varigny suavely. "You are my brother-in-law."

"What?" Tormarin swung round and faced her.

"Yes." The suavity was gone now, replaced by a curious deadly precision of utterance, enhanced by the foreign rendering of syllable value. "I am—or was, until my marriage — Margherita Valdi. I am Nesta's sister."

Tormarin regarded her steadily.

"In that case," he said, "I will hear what you have to say. Though I don't think," he added, "that any good can come of raking up the past. It is better—forgotten."

"Forgotten?" Madame de Varigny seized upon the unlucky word. "Yes—it may be easy enough for you to forget—you who took Nesta's young, beautiful life and crushed it; you who came like a thief and stole from me the one creature in the whole world whom I love—my bambina, my little sister. Oh, yes"—her voice rose passionately—"easy enough when there is another woman—a new love—with whom you think to start your life all over again! But I tell you, you shall not! There shall be no new beginning for you—no marriage with this Jean Peterson to whom you are now fiance. I forbid it—I——"

Blaise stemmed the torrent of her speech with an authoritative gesture.

"May I ask how the news of my engagement reached you?" he asked, his cool, dispassionate question falling like a hailstone dropped into some molten stream of lava.

"Oh, I have kept watch. I have the means of knowing. There is very little that has happened to you since—since I wrote to you of Nesta's death"—she stumbled a little over the words, and Blaise, despite his anger, was conscious of a sudden flash of sympathy for her—"very little that I have not known. And this—your engagement, I knew of that when it was barely a week old."

"I'm really curious to know why my affairs should be of such surpassing interest to you. My engagement, for instance—how did you hear of it?"

"Oh, that was easy"—contemptuously. "There was another man who loved your Mees Peterson—this Monsieur Burke. I used him. I knew he was afraid that you might win her, and I told him that if ever you became engaged he must come and tell me, and I would show him how to make sure that you should never marry her. Oh! That was vairy simple!"

"I'm afraid you promised more than you can hope to perform. I grant that you have every reason to dislike me—hate me, if you will. I acknowledge, too, that I was to blame, miserably to blame, for Nesta's unhappiness—as much in fault as she herself. But there is nothing gained at this late hour by apportioning the blame. We each made bad mistakes—and we have each had to pay the price."

"Yours has been a very light price—comparatively," she commented with intense bitterness.

"Do you think so?"

Something in the quiet, still utterance of the brief question brought her glance swiftly, curiously, back to his face. It was as though, behind those four short words, she could feel the intolerable pressure of years of endurance. For a moment she seemed to waver, then, as though she had deliberately pushed the impression aside, she laughed disagreeably.

"Too light to satisfy her sister, at any rate."

Tormarin froze.

"It is fortunate, then, that my ultimate fate does not lie in your hands," he observed.

"But that is just where it does lie—in the palm of my hand—there!"

She flung out one shapely hand, palm upward, and pointed to it with the other.

"And now—see—I close my hand—so! . . . . And this beautiful marriage of which you have dreamed, your marriage with Mees Peterson—it does not take place!"

"Are you mad?" asked Blaise contemptuously, experiencing all an Englishman's distaste for this display of unforced drama.

She shook her head.

"No," she said quietly. "I am not mad."

The air of theatricality seemed to fall suddenly away from her, leaving her a stern and sombre figure, invested with an intrinsic atmosphere of tragedy, filled with one sentiment only—the thirst for vengeance.

"No. I am not mad. I am telling you the truth. You can never marry Jean Peterson, because Nesta—your wife—still lives."

Tormarin fell back a pace. For one moment he believed the woman had gone genuinely mad—that by dint of long brooding upon how she might most hurt and punish the Englishman whom she had never forgiven for marrying her sister, she had evolved from a half-crazed mind the belief that Nesta still lived and that thus she would be able to prevent his marriage with any other woman.

And then, looking into those seeming soft brown eyes with the granite hardness in their depths, he could see the light of reason burning steadily within them.

Madame de Varigny was quite sane, as sane as he was himself. And if so . . . .

A great fear came upon him—the fear of a man who dimly senses the approach of some appalling danger and knows that it will find him utterly defenceless.

"Do you know what you are saying?" he demanded, his voice roughened and uneven.

"Yes, I know. Nesta is alive," she repeated simply.

"Alive?"

The word was wrung from him, hardly more than a hoarse whisper of sound. He swung round upon her violently.

"But you yourself wrote and told me of her death?" She nodded placidly.

"Yes. I wrote a lie."

"But the official information? We had that, too, later, from the French police, confirming your account. You had better be careful about what you are telling me," he added sternly. "Lies won't answer, now."

"The need for lying is past," she answered with the most absolute candour. "The French police wrote quite truthfully all they knew. They had found the body of a suicide, whom I identified as my sister. To strengthen matters I bribed someone I know also to identify the dead girl as Nesta. She was a married woman, too, the poor little dead one! So it was quite simple. And I took Nesta home—home to Chateau Varigny. I had married by then. But she had learned of my marriage through friends in Italy and wrote to me from there, telling me of her misery with you and begging me to succour her. So I went to Italy and brought her back with me to Varigny. Then I planned that you should believe her dead. It was all very simple," she repeated complacently.

"But what was your object in all this? Why did you scheme to keep me in ignorance? What was your purpose?"

"Why?" Her voice deepened suddenly, the placid satisfaction with which she had narrated the carrying out of her plan disappearing from it completely. "Why? I did it to punish you—first for stealing my Nesta from me and then because, after you had stolen her, you brought her nothing but misery and heart-break. She was so young—so young! And you, with your hideous temper and your cold, formal English ways—you broke her heart, cowed her, crushed her!"

"She was old enough to coquette with every man she met," came grimly between Tormarin's teeth. "No husband—English or Italian, least of all Italian—would have endured her conduct."

"She would not have played with other men if you had loved her. She was all fire. And you—you were like a wet log that will not burn!" She gestured fiercely. "You never loved her! It was in a moment of passion—of desire that you married her! . . . But you were sure, eventually, to meet some other woman and learn what love—real love—is. So I waited. And when I saw you at Montavan with Jean—I knew that the day I had waited for so long would come at last. I knew that your punishment was ready to my hand."

"Do you mean"—Blaise spoke in curiously measured accents—"do you mean that you deliberately concealed the fact that Nesta still lived so that——"

"So that you should not marry the woman that you loved when the time came! Yes, I planned it all! I kept Nesta safely hidden at Varigny, and I made little changes in her appearance—a woman can, you know"—mockingly—"the colour of her hair, the way of dressing it. Oh, just little changes, so that if by chance she was seen in the street by anyone who had known her as your wife she would not easily be recognized. Oh"—once more with that exasperating complacence at her own skill in deception—"I thought of every little detail."

Tormarin stood listening to her silently, like a man in a trance. His face had grown drawn and haggard, and his eyes burned in their sockets. Once, as she poured out her story of trickery and deception, she heard him mutter dazedly: "Jean . . . . Jean," and the anguish in his voice might have moved any woman to pity save only one who was utterly and entirely obsessed with the desire for vengeance.

But the intolerable suffering which had suddenly lined his face and rimmed his mouth with tiny beads of sweat was meat and drink to her. She gloried in it. This was her hour of triumph after the long years of waiting.

She smiled at him blandly.

"I think I have behaved very well," she pursued. "I might have waited till you were actually married. But I have no wish to punish the little Jean. She, at least, is 'on the square,' as you say—though it would have revenged my Nesta well had I waited. You ruined Nesta's life; I could have ruined the life of the woman you love. I did think of it. Ah! You would have suffered then, knowing that the Jean you worshipped was neither wife nor maid, but a——"

"Be silent, woman!"

(To Be Continued.)

It is usually safe to say that when a child is pale, sickly, peevish and restless, the cause is worms. These parasites range the stomach and intestines, causing serious disorders of the digestion and preventing the infant from deriving sustenance from food. Miller's Worm Powders, by destroying the worms, correct these faults of the digestion and serve to restore the organs to healthy action.

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HOME BREW

With the fall fair prize list off the press and mailed to exhibitors, the work of preparing the many entries for the big show on October 5th is now well on the way. The old dollar-bill membership fee has disappeared entirely. In place of this a straight entry fee of 10 cents per exhibit, with a minimum of 50 cents, is in force. This arrangement will be easier for exhibitors: and, with a free admi s'on cket given on turning in on 's entry, almost everyone will v.ih to join the show.

The special prizes are the best that have been offered for sometime. The 'prize money' schedule, which automatically expands to take care of any increase in competition provides, as a maximum, as many as four prizes in most of the classes on the list. Even if as an exhibitor you are found wanting in the scales of perfection and escape one or more of these prizes, you may yet hold the lucky entry number and bring home the bacon of the "Elephant Brand" type.

Of the main competitions of the exhibition, the Jubilee Shield contest is expected to draw the greatest interest. Most schools have already won the shield twice, and unless some dark horse crashes the gate at the last moment, in all likelihood it will be won outright. The Lister school district defends the shield. Those organising the displays should study the new details for this year's competition.

Get a copy of the prize list and read the rules carefully.

It is now time to select exhibition fruit in some varieties. Choose a dozen of each most like the ideal, selecting direct from the tree. Pinch off the leaves that shade each specimen and leave the fruit on the tree long enough to gain maximum color. Pick carefully with stems complete. The shape should be characteristic of the variety, and the size as near to the standard as possible. The standard sizes used by the fruit judges are as follows—a margin of one eighth inch is allowed either above or below these sizes.

	Plate size inches.	No. per box
Cox Orange	2¾	
Delicious	3 1-8	104
Gravenstein	3	
Grimes Golden	2¾	125
Jonathan	2¾	150
MacIntosh	2 7-8	125
Northern Spy	3	
Ontario	3 1-8	
Rome Beauty	3 1-8	104
Spitzenberg	3	104
Wagener	3 1-8	104
Wealthy	3	
Winter Banana	3 1-8	

Refer to prize list for the scale of points for plates of apples or pears.

Kitchener

Mrs. E. W. Payne and Mrs. Manuel of Creston were visitors here last week, guests of Mrs. C. Senesael.

The Racketeer softball team played the Yahk Dumb Doras at Yahk on Wednesday last, the Kitchener team tasting a 10-17 defeat.

Mrs. Hall of Erickson was a visitor with Mrs. Senesael a couple of days last week.

Miss Hazel White of Fernie has arrived to make a visit with her sister, Miss Jessie white, principal of Kitchener public school.

Mrs. E Blair and family and Denis and Charles Bush are just home from Robsart, Sask., where they spent a week visiting relatives. They report excellent grain crops in that section.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Anderson of Columbia Lake spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. D. Rae and son, Maurice, spent a few days here last week. Mr. Rae is manager of the Royal Bank at Cranbrook.

Miss Kate Payne was here from Creston last week on a visit with Misses Vera and Hazel McGonegal.

Donald Bentley of Kimberley was a visitor here last week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hunt.

C. R. Paulson of Spokane was here on a few days' business visit last weekend.

Misses Helen and June Browell, who have been visiting with the Misses McGonegal, have returned to their home at Canyon.

Miss Katherine Cavanaugh, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. B. Johnson, has returned to her home at Kimberley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kennedy and daughter of Cranbrook were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson.

Master Robert Johnson has returned from Cranbrook, where he has been visiting his sisters, Misses Laura and Mildred Andeen.

Tom Thorson, an oldtimer of Kitchener, was taken to St Eugene hospital at Cranbrook last week, and his condition is quite serious.

Mrs. Langlois is a patient at the Cranbrook hospital, to which city she was taken by auto on Wednesday last.

Miss Hazel McGonegal is a first-year student at Creston high school this term, and is making her home with Mrs. Manuel in that town.

Cyril and Marcel Senesael and E. LePage have gone to Boswell where they have secured employment.

Miss Esther Nelson of Cranbrook was here last week on a visit with Kitchener friends

Miss Vera McGonegal was visiting with Creston friends on Thursday and Friday last.

Miss Olga Nelson left on Friday by bus for a holiday visit with friends at Kellogg, Idaho, and Spokane.

O. H. Perkins has finished baling his 1932 crop of hay which amounts to 70 tons.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Strudwicke, who have been holidaying with the former's father, A. G. Strudwicke, have returned to their home in Calgary, Alberta.

School opened here on Tuesday last with 19 pupils in attendance. Miss Jessie White is again principal. There will be no superior school here this year.

The Farmers' Unity League had a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin. People from Wynndel, Canyon, Lister and Huscroft attended. A cake was raffled, and was won by Mr. Demchuk of Huscroft.

Claude Simpson and party had the misfortune to go over the bank while driving by auto three miles east of Wynndel on Friday evening. All escaped with minor scratches. The car made one complete turnover and came to rest against a telephone pole. The top of the car is broken but this is the only damage it sustained.

Miss Vera McGonegal entertained a number of her friends at her home at a dinner party on Friday last, when covers were laid for thirteen. The occasion was her birthday and the invited guests were Misses Helen and June Browell of Canyon, Miss Kate Payne of Creston, Misses Clara Hunt, Beatrice Molander, Hazel McGonegal, Myrtle Anderson, and Richard Molander, Kitchener, Robert Long, Perley and Douglas Putnam of Erickson, and Telesford LaBelle of Creston.

Wynndel

Miss M. Glazier returned to Cranbrook to take second year of high school.

Vic Erickson was a Nelson visitor last week.

E. Davis and S. Smith of Trail spent a few days with the formers parent's here.

Mrs. Webster and sons, Miss D. Bellenger and C. Bellenger of Calgary were visitors here guests of the latter's father.

Miss A. Davis was a Trail visitor last week guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Cornwall.

Rolf Hindley who has been holidaying at Harrop returned home on Saturday.

Miss Redpath of Nelson was a weekend visitor guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. McInnis.

Miss O. Evans of Cranbrook is spending a holiday here with her mother, Mrs. Ramsey.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor returned by auto from their holiday at the coast.

School opened Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. McGregor again in charge.

Misses June Wigen and H. Hagen are taking first year high School at Creston.

OUR K.B.O. BROADCAST

August building permits, at Cranbrook totalled $3100.

Still another music teacher and his wife have opened a studio at Cranbrook.

318 miners' licenses have been issued at Cranbrook since the first of the year.

Up till the end of August Cranbrook had suffered no fire loss so far this year.

Nakusp is to have its twenty-third annual fruit fair on September 21st and 22nd.

At Kaslo the city clerk and city electrician have had their salaries cut to $127 per month.

Kimberley has reorganized its community musical society—the Orpheus Choir—with 35 members.

Seed pea growers on the dyked lands at Bonners Ferry will average $50 per acre on the 1932 crop.

10250 native trout were put into two rearing ponds in the neighborhood of Bonners Ferry last week.

Without fear or favor Kaslo will cut off all light users who fail to pay up before the 10th of each month.

Juvenile crime at Penticton is the worst ever. Burglaries are all too common, according to the Herald.

53 families with 167 dependents were receiving direct relief at Cranbrook at the first of September.

Opening day attendance at Kimberley public school was 560 pupils. 120 were enrolled at the high school.

Opening day attendance at Bonners Ferry high school was 239. This is an increase of 15 over last term. Public school enrolment shows a slight falling off.

Kaslo is getting along with two teachers in the public school and one instructor in the high school. In both high and public school but 98 scholars are enrolled—24 in the high school.

Cranbrook unemployed are asking the council to pay single men, when not working, at the rate of a $3 meal ticket and a $2 bed ticket per week. Married men to receive $12 per week.

the Kootenays shipped 16 cars of cherries this year. In other years the outgo was about one carload

Harvest is pretty well over on the seed pea crop at Bonners Ferry. 1200 acres were in crop this year, as compared with 1500 a year ago.

Kimberley Anglicans are expecting to resume regular services the first sunday in October, after being without a minister for at least a year.

Approximately 200 men and women attended the oldtimers banquet at Rossland Labor Day evening. All were members of the organization.

The market for Okanagan onions is anything but promising at present. Manitoba growers are supplying the Winnipeg market at $19 a ton.

Dr. Rutledge, the well known Cranbrook veterinary, has just been appointed temporary park superintendent with headquarters at Sinclair hot springs.

Penticton is this year anticipating more than 1000 scholars attending public and high schools. Two additional teachers have already been secured.

The final crop report indicates that the Okanagan apple and plum crop will be larger than originally estimated, but pears and crabapples will be lighter than anticipated.

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Local and Personal

Father Choinel will say Mass at Holy Cross Church, Creston at 10.30 a.m., Sunday, September 18th

The Women's Institute has paid a bounty of one cent per tail on 1545 gophers killed by the school children the past season.

At the council meeting on Monday night the village treasurer was authorized to pay the Park Association $535, which is the final payment of principal and interest on the exhibition grounds purchased four years ago.

Readers of the Review continued story, "House of Dreams Come True," will find a double instalment of the serial in this issue.

Due to having to condense two weeks' news into this issue of the Review some important matter is held over till next issue. This includes a report of the Workers Unity League meeting held at Canyon on September 7th.

Many mothers have reason to be thankful for what Chiropractic adjustments have done for their children and themselves. Chiropractic is certainly a boon to every mother. Do you know anything about it? If not, find out now.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Power, who have been residents of Creston during July and August, left for Spokane on Labor Day. Mr. Power has been in charge of the Review for the past two months, and both express a sincere appreciation of the courtesies extended them during their residence here.

R. Lamont has greatly improved the exterior appearance of the Peter Pan cafe and the Ryckman tinshop on the north side of Canyon street by giving them a coat of paint. He has also moved the former Card ice cream parlor up to the street line and brightened it up with a new dress of paint.

Jas. Cook, chairman of Creston school board, was at Arrow Creek for the opening of the new school in that district on September 6th. Inspector Manning was in charge of the opening exercises, which were quite impressive. W. H. Kolthammer is the teacher and the opening day attendance was 18 pupils.

PLANT NOW, to flower next summer. Wallflowers, Sweet William, mixed colors, 25c. dozen. Delphinium (Larkspur), bright shades of blue, 10c. or $1 dozen. Columbine, long spurred, mixed colors, Coreopses, yellow, free flowering. Hollyhocks, mixed colors, 50c. dozen. H. F. Robson, Wynndel.

By winning three very closely contested games at the tournament at Fernie on Labor Day, Creston baseball team retains the championship of the Crow's Nest Pass and possession of the silver cup. Eureka, Montana; Coleman, Alta., and Kimberley, were all trimmed by Creston—by a one-run margin in each game.

Fall fair prize lists and entry forms may be obtained at Creston Bakery, Creston Mercantile, S. A. Speers, V. Mawson, Cranna's jewelery, Burns & Co., Your Cash Store, drugstore, Co-Op. Imperial Groceteria, Farmers' Institute, Secretary, Wynndel Mercantile, Lister Trading Company, Canyon Trading Co., R. M. Telford, Erickson.

R. Thomson, who for a couple of years was on the sales staff at Kelly's drugstore, and who left here in July for the coast, has gone into business for himself at Cloverdale under the firm name of Thomson Drug Store. Both he and Mrs. Thomson made a host of friends during their stay in Creston, and all wish him success in his venture.

W. K. Esling, M.P., Rossland, was a visitor to Creston Monday and Tuesday and spoke in the Grand Theatre Monday evening under the auspices of the Board of Trade on the St. Lawrence Waterways project. The chair was taken by R. J. Forbes, board of trade president, and there was a fair turnout to hear a very practical talk on this extensive undertaking.

Mr. Hawthorne, a representative of the Broder Canning Company, New Westminster, was looking the valley over one day last week. About three years ago the firm assured they would put a cannery at Creston when a considerable acreage of green peas could be secured, and it is hoped dyking of the flats will enable the firm to secure the asked-for pea tonnage.

Creston Frothblowers won the second and final game of the posc series in connection with the 1932 international league championship at Exhibition Park on Sunday afternoon by a score of 13-5. The batteries were Herb Couling, Roy Penson and Schade for the winners, and George Niblow, Louie Benedetti and Hale for Canyon. Four double plays featured the contest, three of them to the credit of the Creston team.

Messrs. Mellinchuk and Ellis, the two burglars who on July 23rd made off with $22.25 in cash from the C.P.R. depot as well as goods valued at $50 from the drug store, were up for trial at Nelson on Tuesday. They pleaded guilty and will be sentenced later. A number from Creston were at Nelson attending the trial, including provincial police Hassard, G. H. Kelly, W. B. Martin, A Biccum, J. Stephenson, Ray McKelvey, and E. J. Leveque, assistant C.P.R. agent.

R. A. Palfreyman, who has had charge of Creston Valley Co-Operative Association store since its opening about nine years ago, has resigned, and is succeeded by Harold Langston of Lister, who took charge on Monday. Dick, as he was more familiarly known, will be missed from the business circle and by the store patrons, his geniality and uniform courtesy winning him a wide circle of friends. Miss Edith Palfreymau, who has been on the store staff for some years, has also retired. Mr. Palfreyman will take charge of his orchard property on the lower Erickson road.

Erickson

W. Woodhall of Trail was a visitor here for some days, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Hall.

Mrs. Clark of Ottawa, Ontario, who was visiting her brother, R. M. Telford, left for Vancouver on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cartwright and Roy were Kimberley visitors for the Labor Day weekend.

Sunday school resumed on September 4th after the usual two months' summer vacation, with Mrs. Haskins and Mrs. Kemp in charge.

School opened on September 6th with D. Tully in charge of the senior room. Miss Walker is detained at her home for a couple of weeks, and in her absence Miss Margaret Fraser is in charge of the junior room. Each room has an enrolment of 29 pupils. There were 11 new beginners. They are Evelyn Andrew, Harold Beam, Hazel Botterill, Lois Bundy, Ered Carr, Mabel Chernoff, Elizabeth Gadski, Leland Heric, Mabel Hlookoff, Maurice Murphy and Henry Read.

This year Kaleden apple production will average eight boxes per tree. Penticton will have a showing of six boxes.

For the first time in many seasons Cranbrook this year got through the summer without having to restrict the use of water for garden and lawn sprinkling.

One of Cranbrook's rather numerous meat markets has just made an assignment for the benefit of its creditors.

At Cranbrook fire chief Adams has offered to grow all the flowering plants the city can use at the city hall, etc., if a small greenhoust is erected at the fire station.

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POUNDKEEPER'S NOTICE

To the Owner Unknown :

Take notice that, pursuant to the provisions of the Pound District Act, one red heifer with horns cut off, and one red and white heifer, brand R-1, horns cut off, were impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned at East Creston-Erickson pound, on Tuesday, the 6th day of September, 1932. And further take notice that unless, within three days after the date of this notice, you appear at the pound and release the animals so impounded by the payment of the lawful fees and charges, the same will be advertised and sold at public auction as provided in the said Act. Dated this 13th day of September, 1932.

VICTOR BRIXA, Pound-keeper.

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CRESTON—8.00 a.m., Holy Communion. 11.00 a.m., Morning Prayer and Holy Communion.

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Taxes--Who Is Responsible For Them?

It is an old saying, and true, that there are at least two things which no person in the world cao escape,—death and taxes. So far as the former is concerned it is inevitable; it may be postponed by rational living, by observance of the laws of nature and hygiene, by the exercise of "safety first" principles, but, in the end, it cannot be avoided.

Taxes, too, are inevitable if orderly government, a properly organized community life, and essential public services are to be maintained, but, and this is the important thing, the taxpayers have it within their own power to determine the size and extent of the tax burden they shall carry.

Begin a discussion of the subject of taxation and the chances are that nine out of every ten persons, yes, ninety-nine out of every one hundred, will at once lay the blame for their unduly heavy burden upon Governments, either Federal, Provincial, Municipal, or all three combined. Governments, of course, are partly responsible, but the taxpayers themselves are even more responsible, and it is high time Mr. and Mrs. Taxpayer realized this fact of their responsibility.

In the first place, the taxpayers are responsible for creating the Governments. It was their votes which placed the Governments in power. It is by virtue of the votes of the taxpayers that Governments continue in office to apply their policies, impose taxes, and spend the proceeds of those taxes, or, contra, are ejected from office. The taxpayers cannot escape this primary responsibility.

Secondly, Governments are constituted of groups of human beings, with all the failings of human beings. Placed in office they naturally desire to stay there, while opposing groups out of office just as naturally desire to get in. All these groups, therefore, angle for the support of a majority of the taxpayers, who are the final arbiters. If one group presents an attractive programme of public works, involving large expenditures, much employment, and consequent free spending of public monies, contrasted with a more conservative and economical programme advocated by an opposing group, and the people endorse the former and reject the latter, then, again, it is the taxpayers who are responsible for the ensuing large borrowings on the public credit, the creation of a large public debt, and the resultant heavy taxes to pay the charges on that public debt. The group in office may be responsible for proposing an unwise policy, but the taxpayers themselves set the seal of their approval to that policy and issued instructions that effect be given to it.

In the third place, there has never been a government entrusted with the duties of administering the business of all the people which has not been confronted with demands from the people that it do this or that, provide this service or construct that public work, extend financial support to this organization or that project. The cabinet of ministers, or municipal council as the case may be, may feel that the action urged upon them is unwise, but if the clamor is loud enough, and the demand of the taxpayers themselves urgent enough, they will, as representatives of the taxpayers and depending upon their support, yield to such demands. The result is more and heavier taxes. Governments must accept some responsibility for yielding to such demands when their judgment ordered otherwise,—there are times when it is the duty of Government to resolutely resist public clamor and refuse their demands, even when it means the defeat of the Government and the placing in office of another group which will carry out those demands,—but the major responsibility rests upon the taxpayers, the voters.

Then these self-same taxpayers make bitter complaint because their taxes are heavy. They discover they cannot pay the taxes imposed upon them by reason of the very expenditures and borrowings they themselves insisted their Governments should make. When it is too late, because the obligations have been incurred and must be met, they demand that their taxes be reduced, or wiped out altogether. And when a responsible Government, entrusted with the preservation of the credit of the Dominion, a Province or a Municipality, declines to do this, because it cannot be done honestly, and if done dishonestly would react to the further disadvantage of the taxpayers, then many of the taxpayers make the further mistake of listening to, and being guided by, other groups which promise to do what is being demanded. In his difficulty Mr. and Mrs. Taxpayer is willing to jump out of the frying pan into the fire.

When the taxpayers make a mistake, either as individuals or collectively as a community, they must pay the penalty. If a child puts its hand in the fire it will suffer pain. There is no escape; it cannot undo its rash action. So, too, the taxpayers cannot tear up and repudiate what they have done, or their Governments, acting for them and all too frequently upon their own urgings, and with the approval of the majority, have done for them. They must abide by the consequences.

What they can do, and should do, is set to work to remedy the mistakes made in the best way they can, and sternly resolve not to commit the same mistake again. A little more thought and judgment before plunging into expenditures and debt is the surest method to reduce taxes and keep them down.

Where English Draw Line

An enterprising investigator has just discovered that the postoffice department of England will let you send a telegram calling a man a "chump" or a "blockhead," but it is against the rules to call him a "fathead."

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Royal Photographers

There is scarcely a member of the Royal Family who does not carry a camera on holidays. From the King and Queen downwards each takes the liveliest interest in snapping, and not only in that, for they also like to develop their own films. The Duke of York is the champion photographer of the Royal people, and is the proud possessor of an album of delightful pictures depicting the Duchess and the two little Princesses.

Rescuer Was Cautious

A resident of old Fort Erie was telling how he had rescued a man from drowning off Point Abino.

"I saw this fellow away out and heard him cry for help," he said. "I swam out to him and found him floating face downward. I turned him over to make sure it wasn't the assessor and then I towed him ashore."

Progress Of Silk Industry

So Far Economic Disturbance Does Not Seem To Have Affected This Business

The silk industry of Canada has so far evidently not been affected by any economic disturbance. In 1931 the value of production of this industry amounted to $18,187,492, an increase of $378,894 or 2.1 per cent. over 1930. There has been an increase in the Canadian silk industry from 1917 to 1931 of over 666 per cent in production, of 1,348 per cent. in capital invested, and in the number of employees 661 per cent.

The silk industry of Canada is divided into two distinct branches, real silk and artificial silk. The industry is located entirely in the provinces of Quebec and Ontario, thirteen of the 23 establishments being in the former named province and ten in the latter. The principal items of production are broad silk or piece goods of real silk, of which 8,657,612 yards were made in 1931. Piece goods of artificial goods measured 4,073,434 yards; real silk mixtures measured 2,869,866 yards and 4,383,839 pounds of silk, artificial silk, yarns and threads and their mixtures were produced.

When We Slumber

Sleep Seems To Be Controlled By Amount Of Iodine In the Blood

A new idea of what sleep really is—discovery that it seems to be controlled by the amount of iodine in the blood—was reported to the British Association for the Advancement of Science.

Thyroxin, the iodine-containing secretion of the thyroid gland, apparently is the sleep-controlling substance, said Dr. G. S. Carter. It does its work in reverse fashion for artificial sleep-producing drugs, however. Sleep seems to come when the supply of thyroxin in the blood is decreased, not increased.

The winter-long "sleep" or hibernation that is habitual for many animals also seems to be controlled by thyroxin, Dr. Carter said his experiments showed.

He tried thyroxin on frogs, which have a different temperature and pulse rate in winter while hibernating than in summer when they are active. When thyroxin was added to the heart of the hibernating frog, its temperature and pulse increased to the summer level. Thyroxin was the only gland secretion that had this effect.

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Prizes For Royal Ranch

Prince Of Wales Is Winner At C.P.R. Exhibition In Vancouver

His Royal Highness, the Prince of Wales, joined the ranks of the big winners at the Canada Pacific Exhibition in Vancouver.

Besides carrying off the grand championship bull and female awards, animals from the E.P. ranch at Pekisko, Alberta, won 21 other prizes in Shorthorn classes. The prizes were for varying ages.

Douglas' Egyptian Liniment is an excellent leg wash for stock. Also removes corns in horses and quickly relieves bruises, sprains, swellings and joint stiffness.

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"Why?"

"Cause dad gives him a quarter a week not to play it."

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Invention and Idleness

Warning Is Sounded In Connection With Mechanical Progress

Sir Alfred Ewing, president of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, sounded a note of warning to mechanical progress as he opened the 101st annual meeting of the association at York, England.

"We must admit that there is a sinister side even to the peaceful activities of those who in good faith and with the best intentions make it their business to adapt the resources of nature to the use and convenience of man," Sir Alfred said.

Telling of the great progress of the "mechanical age," Sir Alfred declared "man was ethically unprepared for so great a bounty. The command of nature has been put into his hands before he knows how to command himself." He declared that man had lost the joy of craftsmanship because of the machinery of mass production.

"In many cases unemployment is thrust upon the worker, an unemployment that is more saddening than any drudgery. And the world," continued the association president, "finds itself glutted with competitive commodities, produced in a quantity too great to be absorbed, though every nation strives to secure at least a home market by erecting tariff walls."

Sir Alfred could not name a remedy for the situation, but declared he refused to think that man is destined to atrophy and cease through cultivating what after all is one of his most God-like faculties, "the creative ingenuity of the engineer."

The president spoke with enthusiasm of the benefits of electrical communication which, he said, had brought distant parts of the earth's population into close contact and sympathy with one another.

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Decreasing Revenues

Quebec Reports Deficit For The First Time Since 1896

Decreasing revenues in Quebec were reflected in the annual financial statement of the province recently made public. A deficit of $584,708.61 was reported, the first time since 1896 that Quebec has not wound up its financial year with a surplus.

The annual statement shows ordinary revenue was $36,941,020.36 while expenditures announced to ETETT expenditures amounted to $37,525,-728.97. The decrease in the revenue as compared with the previous year was $4,589,600.20, compensated for partly by economies effected in various departments of $3,912,824.23.

Don't Submit To Asthma. If you suffer without hope of breaking the chains which bind you do not put off another day the purchase of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Remedy. A trial will drive away all doubt as to its efficiency. The sure relief that comes will convince you more than anything that can be written. When help is so sure, why suffer! This matchless remedy is sold by dealers everywhere.

Wanted To Be Friendly

But Attempt Proved Embarrassing For Service Club Member

It happened at a service club luncheon. The visitor was being introduced at the door. And the usual attempts were being made to make him feel at home.

"Say, haven't I met you before some time? Maybe in business. What's your line?" asked a club member.

"Well, maybe you have met me in business," said the visitor, somewhat bashfully. "I'm with a detective agency."

Then there was a general laugh, as the embarrassed member pushed his way through the crowd.

Mother—"Poor boy, how did you hurt your thumb?"

Son—"With a hammer, just a little while ago."

Mother—"But I didn't hear you cry."

Son—"I thought you were out."

DOES OWN HOUSE-WORK AT 70

With the Help of Kruschen

"For nine years now I have used Kruschen Salts and could not do without them. I take a third of a teaspoon in a cup of water as hot as I can drink it. No sickness, no headaches now. I am 70 years of age in April, and just with taking Kruschen Salts am able to do all my housework duties myself. I recommend Kruschen to all my neighbors. Before I began taking it I was never away from the doctor, but now I never need him. I used to have sick headaches and then was not able to do anything. But now it is different—thanks to Kruschen Salts."—(Mrs.) J. G.

Kruschen keeps the organs of the body working actively, cleanses all clogging impurities from the system, and sends clear, vigorous blood coursing through the veins. And the result? An end to all Life's minor ills and miseries. No more headaches, tiredness, depression, "nerves," or constipation. Instead, a sensation of delightful freshness, high spirits, happy outlook—in short, sheer good health!

All Empire Soldiers Now Commemorated

Even Those With No Known Grave Named In Memorials

When the British war memorials were unveiled recently at Thiepval and Arras, France, by the Prince of Wales and Marshal of the Royal Air Force, Lord Trenchard, respectively, every empire soldier—officer and man—who was lost in the world war and never found was commemorated by name.

The Thiepval monument is carved with 73,367 names of men "with no known graves," while that at Arras records 35,000 names.

In 1804 the New Jersey legislature abolished slavery.

NEW INVENTION DOES AWAY WITH COOKING ODORS

Even fish and cauliflower bow down to Canapar Cookery Parchment

BETTER, CHEAPER AND EASIER COOKING

Delicious as cauliflower, cabbage and certain other vegetables are, they have imposed a heavy penalty on people who fearlessly cooked them. Not to mention those who had to suffer the odor without enjoying the finished product. The same thing is equally true of fish.

Canapar Cookery Parchment, a very ingenious invention, does away with this annoyance entirely. While sealing in odors, it also retains flavor and food value. Cooking in Canapar actually parallels the famous French method of simmering and confining food and its flavor in the closed casserole.

You buy Canapar in a large envelope of handy-size sheets which may be rinsed out and used over and over again because they won't absorb odors. When boiling vegetables you simply wet the Canapar and make a bag similar to a pudding bag. If you steam them, you line the steamer with Canapar, arrange food and seasoning, and fold back corners of the Canapar to prevent steam from dripping back. You can actually cook three vegetables at once in the same saucepan, this way—save fuel—and the flavors will not intermingle.

Steamed, or boiled, fish comes out firm, solid and swimming in its own juice. No odours. No sticky steamer or saucepan to clean up afterwards.

Line your roasting pan with Canapar, then the fats and juice can't burn. Meat is more succulent and there is no scouring or scraping of the pan afterwards.

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THREW AWAY HIS STICK

When Sciatica Yielded to Kruschen

There can be no doubt that this man has finished walking with a stick, for it is now four years since he discarded it.

He writes:—"For 18 months I suffered with chronic sciatica and rheumatism, and was unable to walk without the aid of a stick. But after taking Kruschen Salts for a short time, I was able to throw away the stick. It is now four years since this happened, and I have had no return of the complaint, and have not lost a day from work. I shall never be without Kruschen Salts, as they are worth their weight in gold. You can use this letter as you please, as I can honestly recommend Kruschen Salts to any sufferer."—C. F.

If the eliminating organs become sluggish, they permit harmful uric acid to accumulate and deposit itself in the tissues, muscles and joints in the form of needle-pointed crystals, which, piercing the nerve sheaths, cause excruciating pains of sciatica. The six salts in Kruschen stimulate the eliminating organs to healthy, regular action. Mischievous uric acid is then given no chance to collect.

THE HOUSE OF DREAMS-COME-TRUE

— BY —

MARGARET PEDLER

Author Of "The Splendid Folly," "The Hermit Of Far End."

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CHAPTER XXX.—Continued

She made no pretence at mourning the man who had turned her life into a living hell for nearly three years and who had stood like gaoler betwixt her and the happiness which might have been hers had she been free. But the conventions, as well as her own feelings, dictated that a decent interval must elapse before she and Nick could be married, and this would be for her a quiet period dedicated to the readjustment of her whole attitude towards life.

The length of that period was the subject of considerable discussion. Nick protested that six months was amply long enough to wait—too long, indeed!—but Claire herself seemed disposed to prolong her widowhood into a year.

"It isn't in the least because I feel I owe it to Adrian," the said in answer to Nick's protest. "I don't consider that I owe him anything at all. But I feel so battered, Nick, so utterly tired and weary after the perpetual struggle of the last three years that I don't want to plunge suddenly into the new duties of a new life—not even into new happiness. It's difficult to make you understand, but I feel just like a sponge which has soaked up all it can and simply can't absorb any more of anything. You must let me have time for the past to evaporate a bit."

But it required the addition of a few commonsense observations on the part of Lady Anne to drive the nail home.

"Claire is quite right, Nick," she told him. "She is temporarily worn out—mentally, physically and spiritually spent. Her nerves have been kept at their utmost stretch off and on for years, and now that release has come they've collapsed like a fiddle-string when the peg that holds it taut is loosened. You must give her time to recover, to key herself up to normal pitch again. At present she isn't fit to face even the demands that big happiness brings in its train."

So Nick had perforce to bow to Claire's decision and it was settled that the first month or two, at least, of her widowhood Jean should remove herself and her belongings from Staple and bear her company at Charnwood. And meanwhile Nick and Claire would spend many peaceful hours together of quiet happiness and companionship, while Claire, as she herself expressed it, "rebuilt her soul."

To Jean the issue of events had brought her nothing but pure joy. Her belief had been justified, and the grim gateway of death had become for these two friends of hers the gateway of happiness.

She had neither seen nor heard anything of Burke since the day she had fled from him on the Moor, although indirectly she had discovered that he had quitted the bungalow the day following that of her flight from it and had gone to London.

Judith sent her a brief, rather formal letter of congratulation upon her engagement, but in it she made no reference to him nor did she endeavour to explain away or palliate her own share in his scheme to force Jean's hand. Probably an odd kind of loyalty to her brother prevented her from clearing herself at his expense, added to a certain dogged pride which refused to let her extenuate any action of hers to the daughter of Glyn Peterson.

But none of these things had any power to hurt Jean now. In her newborn happiness she felt that she could find it in her heart to forgive anybody anything! She was even conscious of a certain tentative understanding and indulgence for Burke himself. He had only used the "primitive man" methods his temperament dictated in his effort to win the woman he wanted for his wife. And he had failed. Just now, Jean could not help sympathizing with anybody who had failed to find the happiness that love bestows.

She reflected that the old Gypsy on the Moor had been wonderfully correct in her prophecy concerning Nick and Claire. The sun was "shinin' butivul" for them at last, just as she had assured them that it would.

And, with the same, came a sudden clutch of fear at Jean's heart, like the touch of a strange hand. The gipsy had had other words for her—harsher, less sweet-sounding.

"For there's darkness comin' . . . . black darkness."

She shivered a little. She felt as though a breath of cold air had passed over her, chilling the warm blood that ran so joyously in her veins.

CHAPTER XXXI.

An Unwelcome Visitor

Blaise was seated at his study table regarding somewhat dubiously a letter which lay open in front of him.

It was written in a flowing, foreign hand and expressed with a quaintly stilted, un-English turn of phrase. The heading of the notepaper upon which it was inscribed was that of a hotel in Exeter.

"Dear Mr. Tormarin," it ran. "You will, without doubt, be surprised to receive a letter from me, since we have met only once. But I have something of the most importance to confide in you, and I therefore beg that you will accord me an interview. When I add to this that the matter approaches very closely the future of your fiancee, Miss Peterson, I do not doubt to myself that you will appoint a time when I may call to see you."

The letter was signed M. de Varigny."

Blaise had received this thought-provoking epistle two days previously, and had been impressed by an uncomfortable consciousness that it foreboded something unpleasant. He could not imagine in what manner the affairs of Madame de Varigny impinged upon his own, or rather, as she seemed to imply, upon those of his future wife, and this very uncertainty had impelled him to fix the interview the Countess had demanded at as early a moment as possible. Disagreeables were best met and faced without delay. So now he was momentarily awaiting her arrival, still unable to rid himself of the impression that something of an unpleasant nature impended.

He glanced through the open window facing him. Afterwards, he was always able to recall every little detail of the picture upon which his eyes rested; it was etched upon his mind as ineffaceably as though cut upon steel with a graver's tool.

Although the mellow sunlight of September flooded the lawns and terraces, that indescribable change which heralds autumn had already begun to manifest itself. Not that any hint of chill as yet edged the balmy atmosphere or tint of russet reddened the gently waving foliage of the trees. It was something less definite—a suggestion of maturity, of completed ripening, conveyed by the deep, rich green of the grass, the strong, woody growth of the trees, the full-blown glory of the roses nodding on their stems.

To the left, in the shade of a stately cedar, Lady Anne and Jean were encamped with their sewing and writing materials at hand, and the rays of sunshine, filtering between the widespread branches above them, woke fugitive gold and silver lights in the downbent auburn and white-crowned heads. Further away, in the valley below, the brown smudge of a wide-bottomed boat broke the smooth expanse of the lake whence the mingled laughter of Nick and Claire came floating up on the breeze.

It was a peaceful scene, full of intimate happiness and tender promises, and Blaise watched it with contented eyes. The voice of Baines, formal and urbane, roused him from a pleasant reverie.

"Madame de Varigny," announced that functionary, throwing open the door and standing aside for the visitor to enter.

Blaise rose courteously to greet her, holding out his hand. But the Countess shook her head.

"No, I will not shake hands," she said abruptly. "When you know why I am come, you will not want to shake hands with me."

There was something not unattractive about the outspoken refusal to sail under false colours, more especially softened as it was, by the charm of the faintly foreign accent and intonation.

Madame de Varigny had paused a moment in the middle of the room and was regarding her host with curiously appraising eyes, and as Blaise returned her gaze he was conscious, as once before at the fancy-dress ball at Montavan, of the strange sense of familiarity this woman had for him.

"I am sorry for that," he said, answering her refusal to shake hands. "Won't you, at least, sit down?" pulling forward a chair.

"Yes, I will sit."

She sank into the chair with the quick, graceful motion of the South, and continued to regard Blaise watchfully between the thick fringes of her lashes. Had Jean been present, she would have been struck anew by the expression of implacability which hardened the dark brown eyes. By that, and by something else as well—a look of unmistakable triumph.

"I have much —much to say to you, Monsieur Tor-ma-rin," she began at last. "I will commence by telling you a little about myself. I am"—here she looked away for an instant, then shot a swift, penetrating glance at him—"an Italian by birth."

(To Be Continued.)

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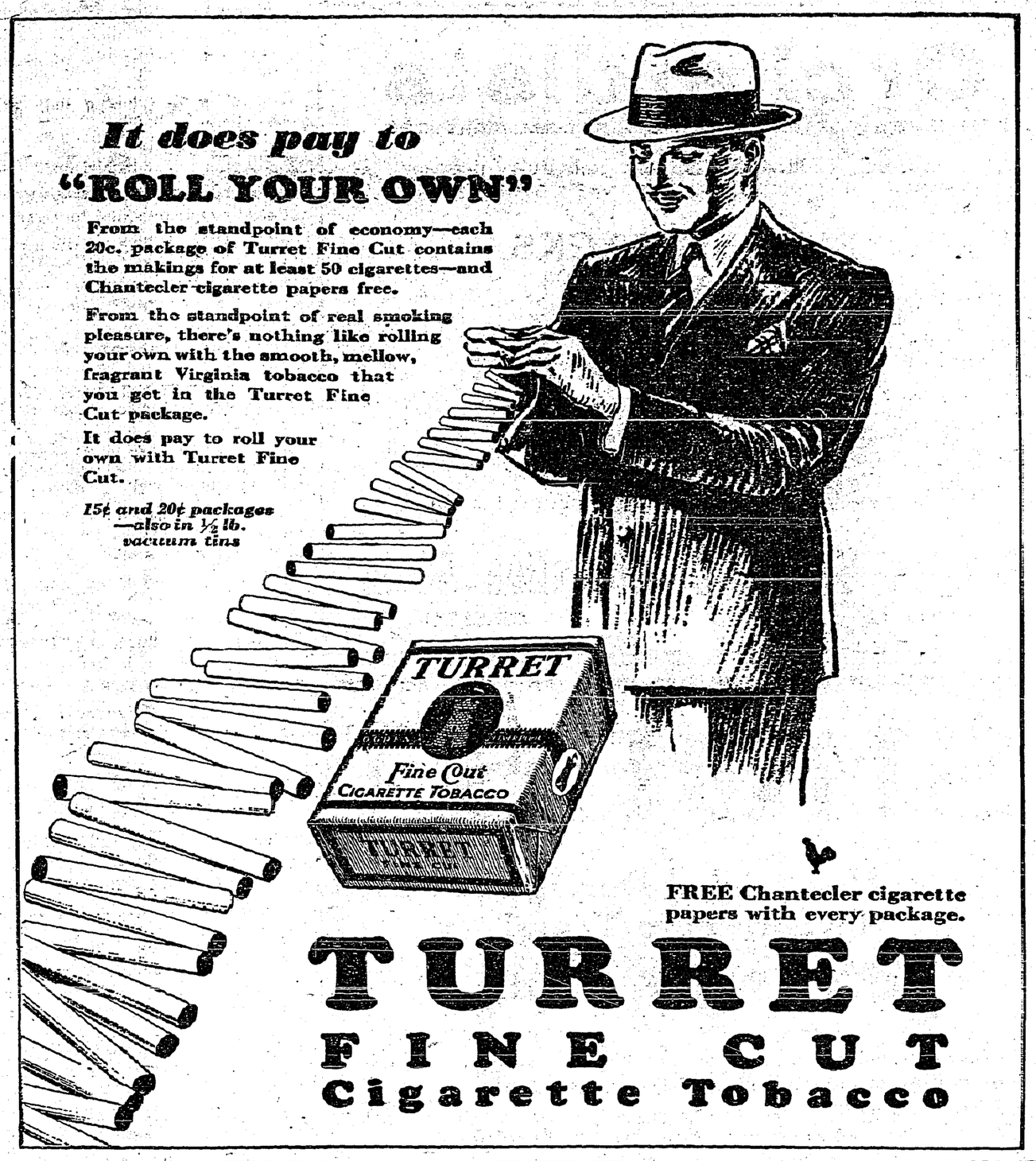

All Her Children Were Troubled With Diarrhœa

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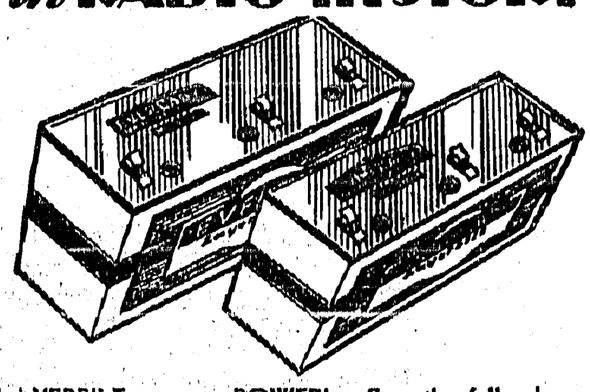

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Kelley left on Monday on a visit to Nelson.

The C.P.R. section crews have been reduced to two men and foreman.

PULLETS—White Leghorn pullets for sale. Paul Raschke, Camp Lister.

SWAP—Silver black foxes and cows for best winter apples. P. M. Wiltse.

INSURANCE—Fire life, automobile, sickness and accident. H. A. Powell, Creston.

MODERN BUNGALOW TO LET—Swivel office chair for sale, Fred Ash, Creston. 24-8

LOST—A silver fox. $5 reward for return to kennel of its owner, Mr Wiltse, Arrow Creek. 23-3

Miss Edith Crawford was renewing acquaintances in Nelson a couple of days at the end of the week.

PIGS FOR SALE—Young pigs, six weeks old, $8 each. John R. Miller (Alice Siding), Creston.

Miss Blanche Hendren of Penticton is home on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hendren.

Miss Lanning of Vancouver is making a short holiday visit at Creston, a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. Levirs.

FOR SALE—Brood sow and young pigs, 6 weeks old. Apply to Otto Hoehme, Camp Lister. 23-3

The choir of Holy Cross Church had their annual picnic on Saturday and a very enjoyable time was had by all.

For SALE—Yorkshire pigs, 7 weeks old; from registered stock. Price $3 each. Bert Yerbury, Camp Lister. 24-3

R. S. Bevan, who has been on the Bell mine staff at Beaverdell for some time past, is renewing acquaintances in town.

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Mrs. B. F. Whiteside of Nelson is here for a few days this week on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T Simister.

Mrs. Bourdon was renewing acquaintances in Kimberley last week, a guest of Mrs. J. W. Richardson, a former resident of Creston

FOR SALE—Jersey cow ready to freshen. Also house for rent, with water and outbuildings, $5 per month. E. Nouguier, Canyon.

The school at West Crestou re-opened on September 6th with Miss Joyce Moore again in charge and a record attendance of 22 pupils.

G. W. Shaw, teller at the Bank of Commerce, has been transferred to Salmon Arm, and left for his new work at the end of the week.

Rev. T. Scott was a visitor at Cranbrook at the first of the week, and was in charge of Church of England services in that town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Speaker arrived home on Saturday from a two weeks' motor trip to Portland, Ore., Vancouver and other B.C. coast points.

Miss Lily Lewis, who has spent the past eight weeks on a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis, returned to Nelson Wednesday.

Wallace Benjafield of Regina, Sask., who has been a visitor with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cherrington, left at the end of the week on a visit at Vancouver.

COW FOR SALE—One good, gentle milch cow, three-quarters Jersey, 4 years old, will freshen October 1st, $60. Mrs. R. Sinclair Smith, West Creston.

Mrs. Crawford, sr., arrived from Fort William, Ontario, on Friday, and will be spending the winter in Creston, a guest of her sons. W. H. and T. J. Crawford.

The hunting season for game birds and deer opened yesterday. Reports would indicate that duck and geese are more numerous than on opening day a year ago.

A. L. McCulloch of Nelson spent Tuesday and Wednesday on some additional survey work on Creston Reclamation Company lands on the flats.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hayes, who spent July and August on a holiday at Spokane, Seattle, Auburn, and other Washington state points, arrived home last week.

Mrs. M. J. Boyd was a visitor at Natal on Labor day where she handled the judging in the domestic science classes at the annual fall fair in that town.

The ladies are notified that at a date towards the end of the month a meeting will be called to organize a ladies' auxiliary connection with Creston Valley public hospital.

Jack Lyon, who has spent the summer with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Forbes, returned to Regina, Sask., where he is resuming his second year work in college in that city.

School re-opened on September 6th with an attendance pretty much on a par with opening day a year ago. The number of new beginners was 22, as compared with 35 in 1931.

Miss Jean McCreath, who took fourth year high school work at Cranbrook last year, left on Saturday for Victoria, where she will attend the provincial Normal school this term.

L. A. Campbell, manager of West Kootenay Power & Light Company, was a business visitor from Rossland on Toursday last, going on to Bonners Ferry the same afternoon.

Adam Robertson, who is principal of Sirdar public school, spent the weekend at Creston, and officiated as umpire at the Canyon-Frothblowers baseball match on Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Cherrington left on Tuesday for Nelson where she is one of the judges in the cooking and needlework sections of the fall fair in that city. Last month she did similar duty at the Fernie fall fair.

Mrs. R. Stevens, wh has heen a visitor with friends in Vancouver for some months past, arrived home on Saturday, and her many friends will be glad to hear her health shows a great improvement.

MRS. J. E. JOHNSTON will re-open her classes in Piano and Elocution on Sept. 6. Pupils prepared for "The Toronto Conservatory of Music" or the "Associated Board," London, England, as desired. 24-2.

Housewives are reminded that there will be the usual canned goods shower for hospital benefit later in the season. There is still a quantity of empty jars to be had for this good work. Enquire of Mrs. Jas. Cook.

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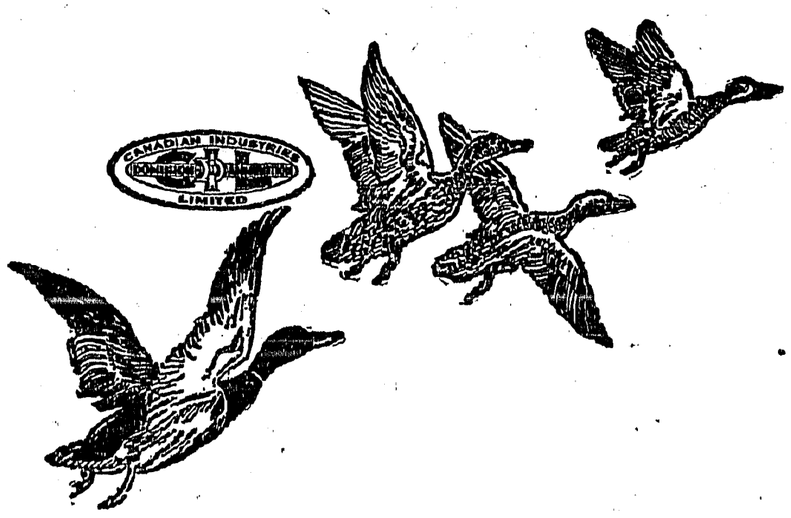

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