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Berry Shipping Season Closes

To-Morrow Will See Last of Raspberries—Crop in Excess of Estimates—Also Cherries—Cooker Apples in Demand.

Raspberries and limited supplies of cooking apples are the only commodities on the shipping list just at present. Despite the prolonged hot spell the raspberries are holding up remarkably well, and will last until the end of the week. While final returns are not available it looks as if the shipping will be well over the estimated crop. Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange has had 30 per cent. more than early-season estimate, and Long, Allan & Long and Wynndel Co-Op. also report an outgo in excess of estimates.

Selling agencies advise that growers are losing money by not speeding up the pick of cooking apples, as right now the market is quite attractive. Anything over 2¼ inches is acceptacle, and it is felt there should be a greater supply of the Transparents.

The last of the cherries went out on Saturday, and have been harvested under ideal conditions. Crows and robins may have been more numerous than usual but on only one day in all July was there anything resembling even a heavy shower. Biugs have been a disappointment, but the pick of Lamberts has been much better than expected.

Tomatoes are slow coming along, possibly due to the cool nights that are being encountered this week—the mercur registering at 37 both Sunday and Monday mornings, and much the same temperatures each morning since. The Sunday morning cold dip was sufficiently low as to take some toll of vegetable in the Arrow Creek secti n.

What is termed "early potatoes and cabbage" are considerably in evidence but have made their appearance a little late as prairie points have a local supply of their own that pretty well takes care of the demand.

Both local selling agencies report a wider l.c.l. distribution this season due to the express company extending the territory in which the preferential rates accorded last year are applying in 1933. A year ago Lethbridge and a few of the intervening bigger centres were the favored spots. This year the territory is extended to Medicine Hat and north almost to Calgary, and every station, small or large, is enjoying the benefit of the reduced rate The bargain rates are 35 cents per hundred to both Cranbrook and Kimberley; 50 cents to Fernie; $1 to Lethbridge, and $1.50 to Medicine Hat.

Alice Siding

Mrs. Moull and children of Vancouver arrived this week on a visit with her mother, Mrs. John Marshall.

Robert Moore, who is spending the summer vacation at his home here, is among a half dozen on the public school teaching staff at Fernie to turn in their resignations.

The Compton ranch here is about the first to market cooker apples for the 1933 season. They were Transparents.

Vernon News: Mr. and Mrs. W. Barraclough and family left on Tuesday on a vacation trip to the coast. Mr. Barraclough, who has been in poor health lately, has been granted three months' leave of absence from his duties at the Burns & Company's market.

P. Argyle, who has been in charge of the egg grading station with the Farmer's Institute for the past couple of years, is this week taking charge of similar work with Creston Valley Co-Op.

Alice Siding's raspberry crop will be pretty well all marketed by the end of this week. Where water has been available yields have been satisfactory.

Wynndel

The Misses Rays of Calgary, Alberta, are here on a holiday with their mother, who is visiting here.

Guy and Gerald Cooper of Trail were auto visitors here last week.

Eric Hurst of Vancouver was an auto visitor to Wynndel, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hackett.

Geo Leach, who has been visiting here, left for his home in Spokane on Saturday.

August meeting of the W.A. at the home of Mrs. C. Gregory on Wednesday, 9th, at 2.30 p.m.

Mrs. R. Andestad and son, were Boswell visitors for the regatta, guests of Mrs. W. Milligan. Other Wynndelites at the regatta included Mrs. M. Hagen. Mrs. Towson, Miss E. Towson, E, Hulme, Mr. and Mrs. R. Uri and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Benedetti' Mr. and Mrs. A. Benedetti and Irene, J. and R. Benedetti, Misses A. and E. Hook, O. Hagen, M. Hagen, L. Benedetti, Mr. and Mrs. Hulme, Jim and Geo. Hulme. K. Packman.

Kenneth Packman made quite a name for himself at the Boswell regatta last week, winning the men's diving competition in decisive fashion.

Sirdar

Sirdar was well represented at the Boswell regatta on Wednesday afternoon and the dance in the evening was equally represented by the younffer folks.

A. C Whitehouse, water rights branch engineer of the department of the interior, was a business visitor during the week, removing automatic guage at Kootenay Landing to a new site.

Mr. Woodhall of the Canadian Smelters, Ltd., was a business visitor to the mine at Sanca for several pays, returning to his home in Calgary on Saturday.

The water guage at Slough bridge registers 10.90, a drop of 2.11 for the week. The water is going down rapidly and two or three weeks should see the flats drained completely.

Congratulations are extended Principal McGregor and the students who so successfully passed the entrance to high school examinations. They are Elmer Davis 426, Kenneth Packman 410, Ida Glasier 366 and Leah Abbott 360-

A herd of nine horses, accompanied by two riders, stayed over in the vicinity Monday evening, continuing the following morning on their journey to the Okanagan. A larger herd of 105, 3 prairie schooners and a truck passed through on their way to Burns Lake, on Tuesday.

Miss Gwen Wilson left on Thursday morning for Nelson, where she will be the guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Harlow, leaving Friday for Vernon and Penticton where she will visit with friends for a week before returning by way of Spokane.

A miraculous escape from a serious accident occurred between Atbara and Boulder Creek when a car driven by a Manitoba party, consisting of man and wife ank several children, went over the bank, the man receiving fractured ribs, his wife a dislocated shoulder and the little boy minor injuries. The three were taken to Nelson hospital where they are at present.

The Canadian Smelter Company, Ltd., of the Sanca mines, have just completed the loading of another car of ore, this being their second It is reported that the first car shipped was very satisfactory in regard to smelter values. It has been decided to construct a roadway up to the mill, so that the trucks will receive their loads at that point instead of the present landing place. This work is well under way and is expected to be completed very shortly.

Canyon City

A. Wickholm is at present employed at Wynndel, where he is in charge of the planer at the Winlaw sawmill.

A. A. Bond is making daily trips to Creston at present, where he has the contract of plastering the new hospital.

E. Nouguier is busy baling the first crop of alfalfa, and is using the Jas. Huscroft baling machine, from Huscroft.

Cooking apples are on the move from this section, mostly of the Transparent variety.

Miss Thelma Peterson of Yahk is a Canyon visitor this month a guest of Misses Agnes and Helen Johnson.

Rev. R. E. and Mrs. Cribb spent a few days here this week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kolthammer. They were en route from Kimberley to Nelson for a meeting of the presbytery.

Miss Richmond of Cranbrook has just arrived on a visit with her aunt, Mrs. Humble.

Arvid Samuelson has taken the contract of trucking a quantity of logs from the old Putnam, Palmer & Staples sawmill, to the Winlaw mill at Wynndel.

The August meeting of the Farmers' Institute is on Saturday night at the A. Wickholm residence.

The Swedish young people are sponsoring a community picnic to be held at Canyon baseball park on Tuesday afternoot next.

Up to the end of July A. G Samuelson has delivered almost 10,000 cedar posts on a contract he has with the C.P.R., but which is still uncompleted.

Canadian Legion members are reminded of the August meeting on Tuesday evening, 8th, at the schoolhouse at Camp Lister.

New Imperial Groceteria Open

Self-Serve Grocery Occupies New Quarters Not Excelled in Province—Roomy, Well Lighted, Completely Stocked.

A notable addition to Creston's business section will open for business tomorrow morning. In spacious, sanitary, well lighted, modernly equipped and arranged, and altogether pleasing quarters the new Imperial Grocerteria will, on Saturday, open its doors with a complete stock of groceries and food stuffs attractively priced, and an array of specially priced lines for opening day, and all next week, that will assure at least one visit from Creston and district's army of thrifty shoppers.

The new Imperial (next door to the old stand) is of stucco construction with the popular black and white effect. It is 26 x 52 feet with a 14 x 26 foot basement; with an 8 x 26-foot packing and parcelling room at the rear, leaving a main store space of 26x44 feet. The whole structure is on a cement foundation. The building is two story high, the inte tion being to construct the top floor into living apartments later on.

On entering the first thing that strikes one is the splendid lighting that is provided by the interior color scheme of ivory and white, supplemented by two plate glass windows 7x7 feet and the 3x7 foot plate glass windows that flank the set-in doorway, while the electric lighting is by eight 150-watt semi-inverted Ivanhoe Trojans. Delightful contrast is provided by the black trim on shelving and display racks.

For displaying the endless array of commoditi s carried in stock there is almost 500 feet of shelving as well as half a dozen six-foot display racks each of which has two or three decks, along with the window display space. Between racks and shelving ample aisle space is available for the utmost convenience of self-served shoppers.

For p rishable goods, such as butter milk, smoked and cooked meats and delicatessen products, the latest in Frigidaire sanitary service is provided in one of the latest three deck models 8x14 feet and standing five feet high

A splendid front store appearance is provided by placing the wrap-up counter well toward the rear of the store, which will obviate any inconvenience to incoming and outgoing shoppers during the busy hours. Something, too, that the careful housewife will appreciate is the cash register attachment which gives the customer a slip showing the amount of each purchase, as well a the total expenditure.

In connection with the erection of the new Imperial it is pleasant to be able to state that all labor employed and the materials used throughout were secured right here in Creston. The foundation and excavation work was done by S. Dando. Boyd & Craig had the general contract, with the electrical work in charge of Ness Electric, and the painting throughout done by A. Goplin. A Bond had charge of stucco work.

The staff employed is also local, and customers will be pleased to know that, as in the past, the Imperial will be in charge of Percy Robinson, who has been with the store since its opening a little over a year ago. M. R. Joyce, who has had much to do with the Imperial, also, will be supervising things generally during the opening week.

Imperial Groceteria is the sole property of S. A. Speers, who certainly has every reason to be proud of his newest retail establishment. In all its appointments it equals the best in British Columbia, and by continuing the Imperial policy of buying for cash; taking advantage of many special opportunities open to the cash buyer, and in turn passing these advantages on to customers, the new Imperial will still better serve the district in the very important detail of keeping down the cost of living.

ANNOUNCING

the Opening of a New

Egg Grading Station.

We have established a new Egg Grading Station to take care of our increased egg business and are now in a position to handle your eggs in a most economical manner.

In addition, we can also supply you with a full line of Feeds and Mashes for Poultry, Hogs and Livestock, at most reasonable prices.

The Egg Grading Station and Feed department will be in charge of P. Argyle, whose years of experience with eggs and feed will prove of great value to the poultryman and stock raiser.

Creston Valley Co-Op. Association

Lister

Mr. and Mrs. Abbie of Vancouver, who have been on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sinclair, left for home at the first of the week, going by bus via Spokane.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Phillips of Kimberley were here for the weekend at their Lister ranch.

Rev C. Bause, who is just back from an extended visit in the east. resumed Lutheran Church service here on Sunday afternoon.

No resignations have as yet come to hand from either of the teachers, and parents are happy to know that Misses Curtis and Webster will again be in charge of the school.

Miss Margaret Sinclair left this week for Nelson, where she is on a visit with Miss Lily Fisher.

Lister baseball team was at Canyon on Sunday afternoon and were successful in batting out a 6-5 victory over the Canyon team.

John Huscroft has his sawmill in operation again and is getting out some of the timber required for the rebuilding of the twin bridges at West Creston.

Col Fred Lister was a business visitor at Nelson at the first of the week.

The mercury dipped quite low at all valley points on Sunday morning but no damage by frost is reported here

Kitchener

A. D. McLean, inspector of Dominion airways, paid an official visit at the airport last week.

Mrs A. Lepage is away on a visit with friends at Spokane.

Mrs. Barr and son Charles, spent the weekend at their home in Kimberley.

John Belanger, who has been on an extended visit at the home of Mrs. C. Senesael, left for his home at Jaffray last week.

O. H. Perkins has a number of men at work on the M7 ranch cutting a fine crop of timothy hay.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Bowness of Portland, Oregon, arrived on a visit at the home of the latter's parents, Mr and Mrs. Chas. Nelson.

Mrs. Geo. Priest and daughter of Nelson arrived on Sunday to make their home at Kitchener, Mr. Priest being head cook at the airport.

C. Senesael, Fred Smith, A. Lepage and Lewis Simpson left on Monday for Fort Steele, where they have a contract cutting ties.

Marcel Senesael, Sam Littlejohn and party motored to Nelson on Sunday to witness the Creston-Nelson baseball game.

Mrs. John Hall, Mrs. W. Woodall and Mrs. D. F. Putnam of Erickson, were visitors with Mrs. C. Senesael on Tuesday last.

At a meeting of the Pine Katz softball team one night last week Hazel McGonegal was named captain in place of Miss Jessie White, who is away on holidays.

Pine Katz softball team journeyed to Yahk on Friday afternoon, and in a game against the Dumb Doras were beaten 13-12. Kitchener battery was Mrs. J Hankey and Hazel McGonegal.

Canyon softball team played here on Sunday evening against the Pine Katz, Kitchener winning 26-9. Mrs. J. Hankey and Miss Hazel McGonegal were Kitchener battery. The girls did well at the bat with the latter hitting two homers. Clara Hunt, Sarah Brett and Alta Blair had a homer each. Return game at Canyon on August 6th.

SUMMER COTTAGES AT TWIN BAY—For rent, summer cottages at Twin Bay, four miles west of Kuskanook. Best bathing beach on Kootenay Lake. An ideal place to spend your holidays. For further information enquire from CARL O. WIGEN, Wynndel, B.C.

Creston Defeats Nelson; Baseball

Score is 6-3—Seven Innings of Shutout Ball—Creston Infield and Outfield Work Smooth—Double Play Ends Contest.

A Creston nine, recruited largely from the Creston Valley Athletics, had no trouble disposing of the Nelson seniors at Nelson on Sunday afternoon, by a 6 3 margin, in about the snappiest encounter the Nelson fans have had the pleasure of witnessing this season.

Fortin was starting pitcher for Creston and with gilt edge support from the infield had no trouble turning Nelson back in the one, two three order. He, however, found the day too hot and was forced to retire in the sixth, when Cherrington took on mound duty and was just as effective until the eighth when Nelson came to life and by timely hitting managed to annex their three markers. They continued their hitting in the final frame but a snappy double killing, Christie to Couling to McKelvey, checked a rally that might otherwise have been disastrous.

Creston also had one big inning, putting five counters across in the second round. According to the Nelson News Christie brothers were the outstanding performers—Earl having a faultless day at short, and Ollie collecting four hits on five times at bat. After Fortin's retirement, Cherrington was replaced at second by Art Couling, who in turn was replaced at left field by Jack Hale. Others in the Creston lineup were: Schade, catcher; McKelvey, first base; John LaBelle, third base; Herb Couling, centre field; Schade, catcher; with H. Corrie and Roy Telford, in reserve.

With Creston team out of town there was no activity in league circles last Sabbath, but it is hoped to wind up the league season on Sunday afternoon when a double header will be played between the Athletics and Eastport if the latter can be got to agree with such an arrangement.

With these games disposed of the stage will be set for the two-out-of-three playoff between Forthill and Athletics, which will commence on August 13th, although Porthill is hoping to make a deal with the local nine whereby the final encounter can be delayed till Labor Day.

An August Bride

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the "Willows," the home of the bride, when Rev. Andrew Walker united in marriage Miss Joyce Eileen, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, with Matthew Moores of West Creston, youngest son of Mr and Mrs. J. J. Moores. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate relatives of the contracting parties.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white silk flat crepe and lace, with the customary veil and orange blossoms, and carried a boquet of pastel shade roses and fern. The bride was attended by Miss Marion Learmonth and the bride's sister, Miss Frances, who were becomingly attired in pink organdie, and carrying boquets of pink clarkia. Miss Gwendolyn Bradley made a pretty flower girl. The groom was supported by the bride's brother, Lionel Moore.

After the ceremony a light buffet lunch was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Moores left by car for Banff, Waterton Lake and other Alberta points

Both bride and groom are well known in the district and heartiest congratulations of a wide circle of friends are extended them for a long life, health and happiness.

Complete H.S. Pass List

Results of the midsummer examinations at Creston High School are as follows: Passed from Grade 11 to Grade 12—With honors, Kathleen Bundy. Passed—Ellen Hagen, Marjorie Crosby, Tony Morabito, Sandy Telford, Edith Rentz, Allan Speers. On trial—Reetha Phillips, Mary Abbott, Jack Payne, Alice Wesling, Esther Stace-Smith, Margaret Stapleton, Agnes Crane, Frances Lewis.

Passed Junior Matricilation, names in order of merit—Herbert Dodd, Jack Young, Iris Taylor, Faye Tompkins, Roland Miller, Opal LaBelle, Arthur Nichols, Muriel Thurston, Marjorie Learmonth.

Passed Normal Entrance—Herbert Dodd, Iris Taylor, Opal LaBelle, Murial Thurston, Marjorie Learmonth.

Recommended for High School Graduation Certificates—Herbert Dodd, Jack Young, Iris Taylor, Faye Tompkins, Roland Miller, Opal LaBelle, Arthur Nichols, Muriel Thurston, Marjorie Learmonth, Edith Avery, Sidney Scott, Elsa Willis, Minnie Downes, Betty Speers. These certificates will be presented at the opening day exercises of the new school year, September 5th.

Nature's Laws

In these days much is said and written on the subject of planning,—farm planning, industrial planning, social planning, financial planning. Economists, both those who have made a life study of economic principles, trends and problems, and those who assume to speak on economics but have only a superficial knowledge of the subject, are talking and writing on the subject of planning. Governments the world over are engaged with the subject, and world conferences are wrestling with it. As a result, people are confused with the multiplicity of ideas advanced, as in the majority of cases, one set of ideas is contradicted by another set.

However, out of the confusion, there has come the suggestion that nations everywhere should reverse the process they have been following of increasing and expanding production and proceed to curtail production. So, we are told, farmers should reduce the acreage they are planting to wheat and cotton and coffee; miners should mine less copper, iron, silver, zinc and tin; smaller quantities of oil should be pumped from the bowels of the earth; fewer fish should be caught; less timber cut; smaller quantities of manufactured articles turned out.

The suggestion is an absurd one. The population of the world is steadily, even rapidly, increasing, and people want more of everything, not less. Why then produce less to meet their needs? The problem that calls for solution is not that there is too much wheat in the world, or that too much of it is being produced annually, but that certain countries for purely national reasons are denying to their people the right to import wheat and in so doing are denying to them the privilege of cheap bread. And what applies to wheat, applies in varying degrees to all other products and commodities.

Nature with her immutable and inexorable laws has a way of controlling production. In this year of 1933 when the story of huge wheat surpluses is heard on every hand, Nature stepped in and reduced the wheat crop of the United States by two hundred million bushels, and struck tens of millions of bushels off the Canadian crop; and reduced the yield in other countries. Drouth, and hail, and grasshoppers, and other insect pests all took their toll, and as a result the world will not produce more wheat than its inhabitants require.

Suppose the acreage sown to wheat, for example, was arbitrarily curtailed by order of governments. Farmers would be obliged to summerfallow the land not seeded to prevent it becoming infested with weeds. It will be acknowledged that the more carefully and intensively the land is worked and cultivated, the greater the production per acre. Consequently, the almost certain result would be that larger average yields would be obtained, and the reduced acreage in crop would be offset to a considerable extent by the heavier yields. Therefore, even assuming that less wheat should be produced, reduction in acreage sown might not solve the problem. It may be admitted that there would be an economic saving to the farmer in increasing his yield per acre and sowing fewer acres. Possibly farmers should have followed this practice in the past, and should do so in the future, but not with the object of raising less wheat, but better wheat and more of it per acre at less cost to himself.

And if man decided in his wisdom, or lack of it, to greatly reduce the production of wheat in any one year, Nature might likewise in that year enforce certain of her laws to bring about a reduction, with the result that man might easily find himself in dire need. Or Nature might offset the puny efforts of man and order climatic and other conditions which would more than offset all man's efforts to lessen production.

Man stands impotent when drouth comes and day follows day without rain; he is powerless when hail lashes his grain crops to the ground; he can wage but a futile battle when grasshoppers and other pests swarm over the land; he can do nothing if a blighting frost destroys. But Nature has her own ways and methods of control. When grasshoppers increase, a parasite develops which ultimately destroys the hoppers; when rabbits become unduly numerous, disease takes them off. Man may wage war against this or that, he may plan and seek to control, but in the final analysis Nature directs and controls.

There are men who in this day and generation propose to plan and control practically everything, who declare that old laws of supply and demand, of the survival of the fittest, are absolete, and should be ignored, or overcome. These things, they say, are merely the laws of the jungle, which should have no place in our modern civilization. But the laws of the jungle are Nature's laws. In the jungle Nature rules supreme, and it is a jungle because no attempt is made to interfere with Nature.

Man may, and can, and does control some of the powers of Nature. Working with Nature he can bring about many improvements, and may even control Nature in some of its aspects and workings. But with many of Nature's laws and workings, man can exercise no control whatever. He cannot lengthen or shorten the seasons, he cannot determine the weather, he cannot order the earth to bring forth bountiful cops this year and less than normal crops next year. And he better not try to do it.

The real trouble with the world today is that man has tried to control Nature's law of supply and demand by setting up an intricate network of man-made restrictions, obstructions, barriers, prohibitions, which interfere with the natural working of that law. As a result man has put himself into a huge spider's web of his own making in which he is struggling in futile fashion. He can only free himself, not by a further defiance of and interference with Nature, but by destroying the web he has woven to his own undoing.

Any Looseness of the Bowels Is Always Dangerous

When the bowels become loose and diarrhoea, dysentery, summer complaint and other bowel troubles set in, immediate attention should be given and the discharges checked before they become serious.

To check these unnatural discharges there is a remedy in Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, a remedy that has been on the market for the past 88 years. It is rapid, reliable and effective in its action. A few doses is generally all that is required to give relief.

Get it at your drug or general store; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Canada's Taxed Property

Total Taxable Real Estate Is Assessed At Eight Billion

The total taxable real estate in Canada was assessed at $8,222,260,000, according to reports received by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, for the year 1932.

Another $1,500,000,000 of assessed property was exempt from taxation, consisting chiefly of Dominion, provincial and municipal property, and educational, charitable, and religious institutions.

Quebec led with $705,798,000 exempted property. Ontario, $536,536,000. Manitoba, $156,794,000. British Columbia, $149,275,000; Nova Scotia, $48,119,000. Prince Edward Island, $1,828,000. The returns from New Brunswick, Saskatchewan and Alberta do not show the amount of the non-taxable property.

The total taxable valuations in Canada were $8,752,110,000, of which Ontario had $3,183,152,000; Quebec, $2,223,479,000; Saskatchewan, $1,134,461,000; British Columbia, $688,096,000; Alberta, $595,745,000; Manitoba, $557,103,000; Nova Scotia, $177,216,000; New Brunswick, $153,565,000; Prince Edward Island, $39,302,000.

Taxable real property, amounting to $8,222,260,000, was distributed as follows: Ontario, $2,811,763,000; Quebec, $2,210,943,000; Saskatchewan, $1,089,729,000; British Columbia, $688,096,000; Alberta, $579,960,000; Manitoba, $539,012,000; Nova Scotia, $140,107,000; New Brunswick, $130,053,000; Prince Edward Island, $32,596,000.

Change Hardly Noticeable

American Inch Unit Now Two-Millionths Less In Length

The American inch unit of measurement has lost two-millionths of its former length in order that precise measuring in the United States and England may be done on the same basis. The new definition of the inch is now 25.4 millimetres—a difference of about one-eighth inch in a mile as compared with the former American standard. This minute alteration was made necessary by modern precision manufacturing, and the confusion arising from varying standards in the two countries. Gauge blocks now are made correct to within one-millionth of an inch. Both the United States bureau of standards and the national physical laboratory of England will certify industrial gauges on the new basis.

Looking For Sandy Beaches

Stefansson Sceptical and Mounties Are Going To Search Arctic

Seeking sandy beaches under icebergs will be part of the R.C.M.P.'s arctic patrol work the next two years, for as the "Nascopic" sailed recently bearing aboard "Mounties" to be stationed in the polar regions of Canada for the next two years, they had instructions to look for sandy beaches. The night before the "Nascopic" sailed, Vilhjalmur Stefansson, famous explorer, wired Gen. T. H. MacBrien, commissioner of the R.C.M.P., asking him to enlist the co-operation of the red-coats, in searching for sandy beaches under the ice The wire stated that Stefansson had never recalled having seen one, and he wanted to confirm his own experiences.

Rewarded For Kindness

Welsh Girl Receives Legacy For Helping Old Lady

An old lady of Swansea who lost her money while travelling fifteen months ago met a girl at Cardiff Railway Station and told her of her difficulty. The girl lent her 10s. The money was returned by post shortly afterward.

A few days ago the girl, Miss Jean Dawes, a pretty brunette, engaged as a shop assistant at a hairdresser's in Pontypridd and living at Senghenydd, received a solicitors letter. The latter informed Miss Dawes that the old lady had died and left her £3,000.

London Police Versatile

London policemen, who already must have a practical knowledge of first aid, car driving, swimming and life saving, are now to be trained as firemen, so that they may be equal to the task of rescuing persons from burning buildings.

Professor Raps Modern Method Of Education

Says Students' Mind Clogged With Dead Matter

Modern methods of education clogs the mind and as the result modern young people are class conscious, really ignorant, selfish and arrogant, their minds filled with dead matter.

This slashing attack on modern methods of education was made by Dr. William Oliver, professor of the School of Organization and Industry at Edinburgh University, Scotland, in an address at the annual conference of the textile industry held in Harrowgate, England.

"Modern education tends," Dr. Oliver said, "to hinder mental development by clogging the mind with dead matter. Education has become too pedantic, and in consequence distrust had arisen between men interested in education and men interested in industry.

"The idea that education should relieve its recipients of manual labor was prevalent, and it has been strengthened by the evolution of staff appointments mainly dealing with clerical duties. Manufacturers were largely to blame for appointing their managers from the office, rather than from the machine.

"It is distinctly unfortunate that much of the present day educational procedure is developing a class of young people who do not wish to work in factories, or indeed to work at all. Many 'liberally educated' young people are really ignorant, selfish and arrogant.

"Wherever a man gets above the dead level of bare subsistence he becomes obsessed with the idea that his family should have an easier time than he has had. He fails to see that his hard work has been the essential factor in any success he has achieved."

Aquarium That Is Different

Queer Fish Kept In Refrigeration Rooms At Port Of Seattle

In a frozen aquarium, believed by officials to be the only one of its kind, strange fish from many waters stare stonily at thousands of visitors at Seattle every year. The aquarium was not planned, it just grew, Harry E. Larson, of the port of Seattle, explains, until it is becoming world famous. One day a fisherman brought in a strange fish and wanted to hang it up in the refrigeration rooms. Then another caught a different variety, rare in these waters. So it grew until there is now a collection which has attracted as many as 1,500 visitors to the plant in a single day. They brave a temperature of ten degrees below freezing to walk through the corridor lined with ice-encased rarities of the deep.

For Safer Flying

Device Lands Passengers Safely From Disabled 'Plane

A device which ejects passengers from disabled cabin aeroplanes and lowers them safely to the ground with parachutes was demonstrated successfully at Roosevelt Field, New York, before a group of air line officials and prominent aviators.

At 150 feet, lower than is considered safe for a parachute jump, eight dummies were dropped successfully from a test 'plane then two parachute jumpers were dropped from 1,500 feet.

Proves Value Of Advertising

Reading Newspaper Ads Often Creates Desire To Shop

The value of newspaper advertising to shoppers and advertisers alike was shown at St. Louis, Montana, in a survey conducted by advertising students of local vocation schools.

Of those interviewed, 1,380 out of 1,545 said they generally read newspaper advertising before planning a shopping trip, while 1,322 out of the total interviewed said newspaper advertising often created a desire to go shopping when there had been no plans to go.

About the first thing a physician does is to examine the patient's tongue—probably to see if it will tell what he is worth.

Police of Glasgow, Scotland, are rounding up counterfeiters.

When the sun begins to shine—and you've "rolled your own" with Ogden's Fine Cut. That fragrant, friendly cigarette sure does put a smile on the day. It's so cool and satisfying. And so easy to roll. Ogden's Fine Cut and "Chantecler" papers ...you can bank on that "roll your own" combination morning, noon or night.

SAVE THE POKER HANDS

OGDEN'S FINE CUT

Your Pipe Knows Ogden's Cut Plug

Loaned Money On 'Plane

Kansas City Pawnbroker Kept Promise To Take Anything

Ben Hurst, Kansas City, Montana, who advertises the "largest pawn shop west of the Mississippi," and who boasts that he has never refused a loan on anything that had a tangible value, was in a quandary recently.

Williard Herman, Oregon, Mo., wrote Hurst that he needed $250 and had a good aeroplane he could put up as security.

Hurst thought the whole thing over, decided he could rent a hangar to keep the aeroplane in and told Herman, by mail, to come get his money.

Test Was Satisfactory

First test of the Dymaxion car, three-wheeled automobile built on the stream-lining principle of fast boats, was held at Bridgeport, Connecticut, before 3,000 spectators. With its inventor and designer, Buckminster Fuller at the wheel, the automobile attained a speed of 70 miles an hour over the one-third mile cement test road at Seaside Park.

Bright red handbags are vogue in Germany.

U. S. RECOVERY PROGRAM WINS WIDE APPROVAL

London, Eng.—Approval for President Roosevelt's recovery program was voiced in the House of Commons by spokesmen of the three principal political camps.

The debate, which turned upon the world economic conference upon the eve of indefinite adjournment of that gathering, drew from Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, the declaration that the pound sterling is an independent currency, linked neither to gold nor the U.S. dollar.

Independent speakers of the Laborite, Liberal and Conservative groups declared the United States is not to blame for lack of accomplishments by the economic parley.

"There was no basis on which President Roosevelt could stabilize the dollar with reference to the pound," charged the veteran Liberal chieftain, David Lloyd George, making one of his now rare appearances in the parliamentary discussions.

Asserting the economic conference is dead, Mr. Lloyd George asserted that "the prime minister is engaged in finding the best method of embalming it, so as to keep the appearance of life after the spirit has departed."

Cheers greeted the statement from the Conservative member, Wardlaw Milne, it was impossible for the United States to enter an agreement to stablizie the U.S. dollar.

Many speakers referred to "the great experiment" now in progress in the United States. Mr. Lloyd George said:

"There are three experiments now proceeding, on the success or failure of which the whole outlook of the world depends—the Russian, the Italian and the American. The American is the most important.

"I hate to use the word revolution in referring to it (the American), but it is a complete transformation."

The debate was forced on the government in order to clear up its policies with regard to such problems as currency and public works.

Road To Recovery

Industrial Situation Is Showing Further Improvement

Ottawa, Ont.—Canada's industrial situation showed further marked improvement at the beginning of July. Increases in personnel reported to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics by 8,125 firms were greater than those indicated by the firms making returns for any previous July in any year since 1920.

Establishments reporting data had 778,148 persons on their staff on July 1, as compared with 742,750 on June 1. This increase caused the Bureau's index to rise by 3.8 points to 84.5 as compared with the average seasonal advance of about two points.

Visitor To Canada

British Free Trade Leader Coming To Conference At Banff

London, Eng.—Sir Herbert Samuel, leader of the Free Trade group in the House of Commons and former Home Secretary, will lead the British delegation to the conference on pacific relations to be held at Banff, Alberta, this month, it was announced. Sir Herbert left for Canada July 28.

He will also attend a meeting of the Royal Institute of International Affairs to be held in Toronto, September 12. At this gathering it is planned to discuss some outstanding empire questions.

Visiting Peace River Country

Edmonton, Alberta.—Preparations for the visit of Lord and Lady Bessborough to the Peace River country have now been completed. The governor-general's party will arrive in Edmonton Sunday, August 6. They will entrain Monday evening for the Peace River trip which will last five days. A holiday side trip to Jasper Park will follow.

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High Commissioner

London Representative Has Not Standing Of Cabinet Minister

Ottawa, Ont.—Queries reaching Ottawa from British newspapers indicate that the question of the Canadian High Commissioner being a member of the Dominion Government is again under discussion in London. Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, High Commissioner in London, is a member of the Canadian Privy Council as was his predecessor, Hon. Peter Larkin. As such he may attend a cabinet meeting but evidently in some quarters the proposal being made that Canada's representative to the British Government should be a full fledged cabinet minister.

During the war Sir George Perley before he became high commissioner, represented Canada in London while a member of the Borden Government.

The argument has been advanced that a high commissioner could more effectively serve Canada if he had the authority of a member of the Dominion Government. Under the present arrangement, the high commissioner is responsible to the minister of external affairs, whereas if he were a cabinet minister he would be responsible to cabinet as are the holders of the other portfolios.

One suggestion made some time ago was that a member of the cabinet serve in London for two years and then be succeeded by another member, thereby always having a representative in close touch with Dominion affairs.

End Economic War

Expect Trade Barriers Between England and Ireland Will Be Removed

Dublin, Irish Free State.—The belief is growing that the economic war between the United Kingdom and the Irish Free State, which resulted from withholding by the Free State Government of land annuities amounting to $15,000,000 a year, will be speedily ended.

"We are not anxious to maintain tariff barriers," Sean Lemass, Minister of Industry and Commerce, declared in the senate. "We will remove the emergency duties now if Great Britain undertakes to remove her penal duties within a reasonably short time."

Mr. Lemass added that if certain members of the United Kingdom government would "show a little sanity" there would be a speedy end to the dispute.

The minister's speech is generally regarded as a distinct advance and gesture to the United Kingdom.

Western Wheat Crop

Heat and Drought Spoils Excellent Prospects In June

Ottawa, Ont.—Continued uncertainty as to the prospects for crops on the prairie is noted in the ninth of a series of 15 weekly telegraphic reports on conditions in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, published by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Excellent wheat prospects in May were generally blighted in June by drought, and July brought a further decline, the report states.

The unsatisfactory conditions are regional, however, the report explains, and the effect on the whole wheat crop will depend upon the acreage affected.

Seizes Islands

Tokyo, Japan.—An investigation to determine whether Japan would be justified in contesting France's recently announced occupation of nine hitherto ownerless coral islands is being conducted by the foreign office. The islands lie between the Philippines and French Indo-China at 11 degrees north and 113 east.

Edge Is Off Relief

Toronto, Ont.—"The edge is off the relief problem. A large percentage of Ontario's unemployed have been absorbed," said Hon. J. D. Monteith, Ontario minister of public works, in a statement here.

Thanksgiving Day

Ottawa, Ont.—Thanksgiving Day this year will be celebrated on the second Monday in October, as was the case last year, it was learned here on good authority.

JOURNALIST PASSES

Viscount Burnham, famous British journalist and former publisher of the London Daily Telegraph, who passed away at the age of 71. For twelve years, 1916-1928, the distinguished newspaperman was president of the Empire Press Union.

Flight Postponed

Mollison's Plans For Further Flight Off For the Present

New York.—Captain James Mollison said the projected flight of himself and his wife, Amy Johnson, is definitely off for the time being.

"I'm not through flying," the Scotsman said as he lay in bed in his hotel recovering from injuries suffered when his 'plane crashed at Bridgeport, Conn., after a trans-Atlantic hop.

Although he made it plain that their flying plans for the immediate future have not been made, Mollison intimated he had in mind obtaining on his return to England, a 'plane similar to the "Seafarer," the 'plane in which the couple crashed.

Meanwhile it became known that the "Seafarer" is being prepared for shipment to England on the liner "Amereican Farmer."

Unemployed Congress

National Meeting Of Workless To Be Held In Ottawa

Ottawa, Ont.—The city council has been asked to provide accommodation for some hundreds of delegates who plan to hold a national congress of the unemployed in Ottawa, Sept. 6 and 7. The secretary of the national committee of unemployed councils, H. Sula, Toronto, also asked that the city provide food for the delegates.

Last August a similar gathering of the unemployed was held here, with hundreds of unemployed men and women coming to the capital by hitch-hiking, riding freight rtains, and on foot. Some rode freight trains all the way from the Pacific coast.

The forthcoming congress was called by a committee appointed at the gathering last August.

Would Ship Butter To New Zealand

Vernon, B.C.—The Okanagan Valley Co-Operative Creamery would reverse the order of things and ship butter to New Zealand, taking in return lumber or fish. Directors of the company have petitioned the Minister of Trade and Commerce requesting him to try to arrange a shipment of Canadian butter to the antipodean dominion.

Viewed As Experiment

Believe Roosevelt Plan Would Not Be Success In Canada

Toronto, Ont.—Toronto business leaders said they did not believe an industrial recovery plan along lines of that initiated in the United States by President Roosevelt would succeed in Canada. The United States plan of raising pay and shortening working hours, they said, could not be regarded otherwise than as an experiment.

C. H. Carlisle, president of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, said "I am not in favor of President Roosevelt's plan as a plan that would work out permanently. If it works at all, it is a sort of anaesthetic for a bad case.

C. L. Burton, president of the Robert Simpson Company, described the scheme as "dynamite." In his opinion, Mr. Bufton said, "the less interference by the government with business the better for the wage-earner.

J. Allen Ross, president of the William Wrigley Company, differed. He said he thought the Roosevelt plan had a good chance of success, but admitted "the industrial set-up of this country is different."

Improving Bay Railway

Work Being Done Between Mile 442 and Churchill

Churchill, Man.—Extensive improvements in the Hudson Bay Railway line are being made in this division in order to facilitate grain movements and industry in the far north.

A work train employing 80 men is located in the yards here. Seventy men are employed at the gravel pit five miles east of the harbor. Five train crews are operating between the pit and Mile 442, Hudson Bay Railway. The embankments on the right-of-way are being widened between that point and Churchill. Ballasting is also being carried out along the line. About 130 ballast cars are being used on this job.

An extension of trackage to facilitate movement of grain at the terminal elevator is being laid 1,600 feet beyond last year's limits.

One work train is making one trip per day to the muskeg camp at Mile 486 where moss is being delivered for the covering of the pipe line which leads from the reservoir east of the port to the townsite.

Herman Trelle Captures Prize

Takes First Place With Sample Of Reward Wheat

Regina, Sask.—Herman Trelle, champion wheat grower of Wembley, with his sample of Reward wheat, took first place and a prize of $1,500, in the class of 10 bushels of hard red spring wheat at the World's Grain Show. Alberta growers occupied the first six places in this class, and a total of 12 prizes out of 25 offered. Prize money going to Alberta in the 10-bushel hard red wheat class totalled $5,275, out of $6,000.

Aged Couple

Mouche, Turkey.—Hashi Hashim and his wife, Hadji Haddidje who say they are 128 and 124 years old respectively, have appeared in Mouche after migrating from their village of Mutki. They have 45 children, grandchildren, and great-grand-children living.

PART PLAYED BY EMPIRE IN WORLD PARLEY

London, Eng.—"The British Commonwealth of Nations was one of the greatest powers participating in the World Economic Conference," the Prince of Wales declared in addressing delegates to the sixth biennial conference of the British Empire Service League at a banquet here.

"Because of our position we can never have any narrow, national character," he continued. "For one of the greatest powers in the world to have no narrow, individualistic national character but yet be held by a great bond is a very great thing at present."

The Prince said that after ten years the British Empire Service League had justified its existence among ex-servicemen and among governments in all parts of the commonwealth fr nations. All parts of the Empire had suffered severely during the last ten years. War veterans of the Empire had borne their burdens with great fortitude, he said, because they knew what service and sacrifice were and knew it was up to them to help others who had not been through the same gruelling.

The heir to the throne read a telegram from the King wishing continued prosperity to the league.

"Danger clouds are showing in more than one quarter," declared Rt. Hon. Winston Churchill responding to a toast to the guests. "The glorious victory has not been followed by any slackening in the demands for exertion or any increase in the ease o fthe lives of our people, but we ease of the lives of our people, but we can feel a certain satisfaction at the position we hold today."

Crowned Wheat King

Freland Wilford Of Stavely, Successful Mixer Farmer

Calgary, Alberta.—Freland Wilford, crowned wheat king at Regina World's Grain Show, also is a prominent stockman of the Stavely, Alberta district. Freland carries a fine herd of Tamworth hogs, a flock of Hampshire sheep, a herd of Hereford cattle and a number of purebred horses on his four sections of land.

In every sense of the word a successful mixed farmer, Wilford will receive a rousing welcome when he returns to Stavely with the wheat crown. Stavely residents, while preparing for a great reception, told how Wilford and his wife had quietly prepared since the fall of 1932 for the Regina show.

In the daytime and under artificial light at night the couple examined bushel after bushel of Reward wheat until he found the sample that carried him to victory at the world's greatest grain exhibition.

Ruling In Marriage Case

Alberta Court Determines Provincial Laws Governing Youthful Contracts

Calgary, Alberta.—Alberta court of appeal has ruled any girl over 12 and any boy over 14 years of age may marry without their parents' consent as far as provincial laws are concerned, declaring such cases are exclusively under Dominion government control.

This judgment was handed down in Edmonton, Tuesday, during appeal court sittings and followed hearing of a case in which a mother attempting to have the marriage of her daughter annulled on the grounds both the daughter and youthful husband failed to obtain their parents' consent. The girl was 19 years of age and the boy 20.

The court held the marriage was valid in handing down judgment. A minority dissenting judgment was handed down by Mr. Justice Clarke.

Communists Arrested

Berlin, Germany.—The authorities announced that nation-wide police raids resulted in the arrest of many Communists and in the confiscation of large quantities of weapons, explosives, and subversive literature.

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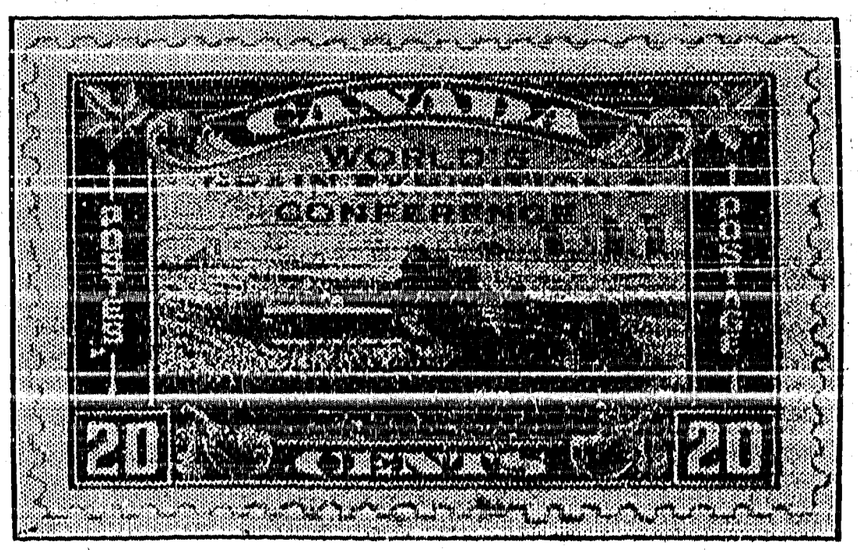

To commemorate the opening of the World's Grain Exhibition and Conference at Regina this month the Canadian Post Office has issued a special set of stamps. Above we see a reproduction of a twenty cent stamp bearing the title "World's Grain Exhibition and Conference."

So he asked Hazel Thompson instead

"Hello, Marie!" said Myrtle. "Frank Courtenay was in town yesterday. He wanted to take you out, but he couldn't get in touch with you—you have no telephone, you know—so he asked Hazel Thompson instead."

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Another Control Plan

Prospects for some control of the marketing of the 1933 fruit crop brightened somewhat during the past week when, with hope for the operation of a 1933 Cartel all but vanished, along comes a sort of jobber controlled deal that is meeting with considerable favor in Okanagan shipping circles.

The plan is for the jobbers to get together and to agree to buy only through an association formed by shippers in the Oknagan. All the shippers are to be invited to go in and they agree with the jobbers to meet competitive values where necessary.

The association would be composed of four representatives of the shipping interests, and the jobbers would nominate two of their numbers to contact the group. Orders would be pro rated, and upon entry shippers would hand over control of their tonnage.

No time is being lost in the endeavor to get the new deal into operation as a committee consisting of Major McGuire, prominent in last year's Cartel, along with R. B. Staples of Sales Service, and E. J. Chambers of the Associated Growers, are in Winnipeg this week discussing the new plan with the large jobing houses.

As the deal is very much in its infancy there is no intimation as to whether the effort will include tonnage outside the Okanagan.

Spoke Too Soon

This district has had its first intimate look at the Canadian Co-Operative Commonwealth Federation, and if the impression created by the speakers at last week's meeting has not been as beneficial as expected the local backers of the new party can hardly blame anyone but themselves for any failure in this direction.

The weakness to the meeting, if weakness is conceded, lay in the fact that Messrs. Stalin and Pritchard had not had time to prepare a statement of case. What the audience was wanting to hear was the policy of the new party as it proposes to benefit the man on the land—not only here but on the prairie as well, because the prosperity of the fruit grower depends to a considerable extent on the good times enjoyed by our prairie neighbors.

With about a month to examine the 14-point platform and arrange the benefits it is so confidently expected to confer on the agriculturist and industrial worker alike, Mr. Pritchard would have appeared to much better advantage, and not have required so much time to state his case.

As a newpaper man Mr. Pritchard will recall that the greate t story ever told—that of t e creation—can be read in less than ten minutes, while he hammered away for more than an hour and still the open minded listener was not convinced that the new party had anything better to offer the agriculturist than either of the old parties.

Erickson

Birth—On August 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. W R. Long, a son.

Frank Putnam is a business visitor at Beaverdell, leaving the latter part of the week.

Miss Emma Polak and friend are visitors this week with Mrs. A. Mensinger.

Mrs. Jim Eddy and son, Ralph, are visiting with old friends at Burmis, Alberta.

Misses Lucille and Margaret Murphy are away on a visit with friends at Cardston, Alberta, leaving on Wednesday.

Mrs. W. Percival of Cranbrook returned to her home after a two weeks' visit with her mother, Mrs. R. Dodds.

Miss Helen Polak and friend, of Fernie, who have been visiting with Mrs A. Mensinger, returned home on Sunday.

Masters George and Jimmy Carr were holidaying with their uncle and aunt. Mr. and Mrs. W. Belanger, at Jaffray. last week.

Mrs. W. Woodall and young daughter left last week for her home in Trail. after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hall.

Mr Sullivan of Blairmore, Alberta, is a visitor here this week, a guest of his old friend. Jim Eddy, on he former Attwood ranch.

Miss Beulah Penson, nurse in training at St. Eugene Hospital, Cranbrook, is here on a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Penson.

Miss Molly Kemp of Winnipeg, Man., who has been visiting with her father, W. H. Kemp, left on Friday on her return to the Manitoba capital.

Mrs Russell Vincent and two children, who have been on an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Campbell. left on Monday for their home in Evansburgh, Alberta.

R. Scott of Edmonton is renewing acquaintances here at present, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Fraser. He is accompanied by his nieces, Misses Frances and Billie Trueman

Roy Jackson has just been advised of his success in passing the entrance to high school examinations at midsummer, studying under the departmental correspondence course.

At the inaugural meeting of the school board on Thursday night last the teaching staff for 1933-34 was engaged. Miss Margaret Fraser is the new principal, and Miss Marcella Sanford will have charge of the junior room.

So far as we can learn Mrs. Chas. Kelsey is the only woman seed grower exhibiting at the World's Grain Show at Regina, Sask., who has been successful in winning a prize She arrived in the class for Yellow Flint corn, which was grown from seed raised by Mrs. Kelsey in 1931 Her win is a notable one in that she had stiff competition, meeting up with growers of many year experience, while she has had but two years experience on a small plot, used more or less as a hobby. From all accounts champions of former years were not as successful at the Regina show as in other years. Following her successes in corn at Vancouver, Victoria and the Royal Winter Fair at Toronto last year, Mrs. Kelsey has every reason to feel proud of her seed growing effort.

If ten pupils are available at $10 per month senior matriculation work will be carried on at Cranbrook high school this year.

In order to dispose of some surplus of peaches and pears Summerland growers were compelled to take three cents a pound for their limited crop of apricots from the Penticton cannery. Peaches brought four cents and pears three cents.

OUR K.B.O. BROADCAST

Kelowna reports codling moth as less numerous than in 1932.

Tourist traffic through Cranbrook is not up to last year's standard.

For the first six months of the year Fernie's fire loss is placed at $15,800.30.

Some Fernie gardens suffered severely from quite a heavy frost on July 20th.

Both Moyie and Yahk report the 1933 huckleberry crop lighter than a year ago.

Fernie city council has cut a hay crop of 45 tons from its airport—valued at $20 a ton.

Patrons of Rossland swimming po l complain of missing small change from clothing left in the lockers.

According to the Kootenaian Kaslo was last week shipping 1000 crates daily of its famous cherries.

For the first six months of 1933, Fernie has spent $18,536 on charity. The schools have cost $23,877.

In the north Okanagan Wealthy and Duchesss apples were the only ones that required serious thinning.

Trail was the hottest spot in the Kootenays last week. At the peak of the heat it touched 104 in the shade.

The U.S. Red Cross will require $10,000 to take care of the relief of those flooded out at Bonners Ferry las June.

In order to avoid the extreme heat the Anglican Church at Grand Forks is having morning worship at 10 a.m.

Kimberley had a frost one night last week that took the cucumbers, while tomatoes came through unharmed.

The Bulman plant at Vernon is unabl to secure an adequate supply of string and wax beans for its processing plant.

Due to insufficient space in the Canadian section Kaslo was unable to display its cherries at the blg exhibition at Chicago.

The Golden Star says the snow figure "7" which has been so prominent on the mountain top has now melted out of existence.

The first mixed car of fruit and vegetables rolled from Summerland on July 24th. A year ago eight cars had rolled at the same date.

Bonners Ferry is after a $15,000 bequest from the federal works department to build a permanent dyke around the town.

$30,500 will be required to pay the cost of trying to save the dykes in the Bonners Ferry area during the very high water last June.

At Grand Forks it is said that some of the Doukhobor peddlers of fruit from house to house are getting better prices than town stores.

Extremely hot weather and lack of rain will greatly reduce the grain crop on St. Mary's prairie, Cranbrook, according to the Courier.

The Courier estimates that 350 youngsters and grownups attend the Cranbrook United Church Sunday school picnic at Green Bay Wednesday last.

At Grand Forks the bandmaster is rather proud of the fact that he has a class of girl beginners who will soon be able to play regularly with the organization.

Crestland Fruit Company paid its Oliver growers 12 cents a pound nett for Bing cherries. Four basket crates of Royal Annes netted the grower as low as $1.10.

At Nakusp the Legion will spend almost $1000 on a celebration on August 5th. Three bands will be in attendance. A Rossland orchestra will play at the dance.

Rossland may blow itself to the price of a few refuse containers to keep the main thoroughfare clear of waste paper, etc.

In June there was an increase of over 50 per cent. in the quantity of special grade cream delivered at the Vernon creamery. At Enderby the gain was almost 40 per cent.

The Herald claims the quantity of snow still lying at the headwaters of Bonners Ferry water system is so great that it will not all melt this season.

London County Council, England, has placed an order for three tons of dehydrated apples with the Bulman plant at Vernon.

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Local and Personal

Miss Aileen Spratt, of the nursing staff of the Cranbrook hospital, spent a few days the past week with her parents, Mr and Mrs John Spratt, returning to duty on Tuesday.

L. A. Campbell of Rossland, vice-president and managing director of West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Limited, was here on Tuesday on an inspection of operations at Goat River canyon.

Cherry shipping came to an end at the first of the week, and the last of the week will pretty nearly see the finish of the raspberries. The first of the tomatoes are looked for before the end of next week.

August meeting of Creston and District Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs M. Young at 3 p m., Friday, 11th A large attendance is requested as there is important business to dispose of.

R. B. Robinson of Regina, Sask., was a visitor here a few days the past week with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bell, and was so much taken with the district that he has taken an option on some unimproved acreage close to town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H Kolthammer will be in charge of a party of young people of Trinity United Church congregation who are leaving today for a ten-day camp at Crescent Beach, about three miles west of Kuskanook.

Rev. A. Walker left on Tuesday for Kolardee where he is attending the semi-annual session of Kootena presbytery. Instead of the usual early fall session presbytery meeting this year is being held during the camping season.

The new Imperial groceteria opens for business tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock. S me wonderful values are offered all through the store with extra specials for morning and afternoon only both Saturday and Monday. Look up the advt. on page five.

July furnished Creston with the two extremes in summer temperatures On the 26th the mercury hit 99 in the shade. and on the mornings of the 30th and 31st it went down to 37 above zero. The rainfall for the month was less than a quarter-inch.

Mr. and Mrs G. Sinclair were visitors at Green Bay on Wednesday last, and were present at the annual Sunday school picnic of the Cranbrook United Church. Although it was 99 in the shade in town they report the lake resort delightfully cool.

Rev. R. E. and Mrs. Cribb of Kimberley were renewing acquaintances on Tuesday en route to Kolardee for the meeting of the Kootenay presbytery of the United Church. He is a former pastor of Trinity Church and was looking remarkably well.

A fleet of about two dozen autos carrying over 50 Bonners Ferry residents, passed through Creston Sunday morning and evening, going to and coming from an inspection of the West Kootenay Power & Light Company dam at Corra Linn, below Nelson.

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It is announced that the sitting of the International Waterways Commission to hear the application of the Reclamation farm interests as well as West Kootenay Power & Light Company, in connection with the former's dyke and the latter's dam, will be held at Nelson on August 24th.

The Trail Ranger boys of Trinity Tnited Church are in camp at Lockhart beach, just west of Boswell, leaving on Friday and planning to return on Saturday of this week. There are about 20 in the party and they are in charge of the troup leader, George Connell, and W. J. Truscott.

Morning worship was resumed in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. The congregation celebrated its thirtieth anniversary last week, the church being opened the last week in July, 1903 by Rev. W. G. Fortune, then pastor at Cranbrook. The first student pastor was a Mr. Broadfoot of Moyie.

I G. Stewart of the Dominion live stock branch will be in the district abont August the 7th, for the purpose of assisting those who wish to secure a water supply. He locates wells with the operation of the witch hazel water diviner, and if you wish to utilize him leave word with D. Bradley at Creston Farmers' Institute.

For June and July the register at Creston View tourist park shows 177 cars carrying 711 persons had made the overnight stop there. 144 of these with 646 passengers came in July, the biggest night being the 29th with eight cars registered. Of the July total 88 were from Alberta, 17 from B.C., 14 from Saskatchewan, 6 from Manitoba and 6 from U.S. points.

Prior to leaving on a two week holiday trip Mrs. R. B. McKay, nee Ena Christie, was guest of honor at a kitchen shower on Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Beryl Nichol, which was attended by a score of young friends of the bride, who remembered her with a great variety of gifts for the new kitchen and apent an enjoyable afternoon with music and dancing, with delightful variety provided by Mrs. Art Reed who made everyone happy with the fortunes she was able to foresee in the teacups. The gifts were presented by Miss Mary Malone and the hostess and were suitably acknowledged by Mrs. McKay. A delightful lunch brought the gathering to a close.

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BROOMS, each .26 — FIVE STRING. Made by blind returned men.
Sardines, 6 tins .27 — Brunswick.

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VINEGAR, Malt, gal. .85 — Crosse & Blackwell.
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Creamettes, 3 pkgs.. .21 — Quick cooking.
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Malt Extract, tin — 1.14 — Gold Medal.
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Limit: 6 tins to customer.

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Max von Schillings, an outstanding figure in German music for nearly 40 years, is dead. He was 65 years old.

Australia has made large shipments of gold to London in the last few months.

Profits of the South Manchuria Railway have greatly increased during Japanese occupation.

Judge Cluer, British jurist is demanding that Holloway prison be made less comfortable.

Study of accounting and auditing methods that prevail in the western provinces is to be made by three officials of the Ontario Government.

Thousands turned out to welcome Lord and Lady Bessborough on the occasion of their first visit to Cape Breton Island.

Motor cars exported from Great Britain this year exceed in value those shipped last year by almost 100 per cent.

The first load of wheat, offered to a Brantford, Ontario, mill from the 1933 crop, brought 75 cents a bushel, compared with 40 cents for the first load last year.

Flood, drouth, famine and heat and plagues of cholera, locusts and rats are variously reported in widely separated parts of China, causing suffering and death.

Robert Brooks Harris, 74, founder of the Hamilton Herald, died at his home recently. With his brother, the late J. M. Harris, he started the Herald in 1889. Mr. Harris retired from the business some years ago.

Miss Anna Blair Thornton, daughter of the late Sir Henry Thornton, formerly president of the Canadian National Railways, was recently married to Dr. Winston F. Harrison, of New York and Montreal.

A brisk demand exists in Great Britain for cattle from the Canadian west, and that should be a big factor in making the first livestock shipment via the port of Churchill a success, stated Col. H .A .Mullins, M.P. for Marquette.

Men, women and children on unemployment relief allowances in British Columbia have been reduced from a peak of 129,000 in March to 100,000 at the present time. The government expects a further decline during the summer months, but is not so optimistic about the late fall and winter.

Age Is No Handicap

Eighty-Two-Year-Old Woman Keeps Active Control Of Brewery

Said to be the only woman brewery president in the country, 82-year-old Mrs. Jacob Hornung is directing the production of her Philadelphia brewery.

When her husband died eight years ago she decided that she would take charge of the plant and continue making near beer. Then, with the advent of real beer, she found herself in the midst of humming activity.

Some of her friends say she is 86, others that she is 82, but she insists she feels 16.

She is at her desk in the brewery every day and some mornings she arrives at 7 o'clock to see "who comes late.

Should Advertise In Canada

If British goods, even with a tariff preference, are to find a proper market in Canada they will have to be advertised here. Canada is undertaking an advertising campaign in Britain and if the full benefits are to be reaped from the Ottawa agreements a similar campaign should be carried on in this country on behalf of United Kingdom and other Empire goods.

Was New Once

Shenfield, England, decided to climax its recent progress and beautifying campaign by having an up-to-date mail box in the post office. An appeal to the government brought prompt action and a "new" box was installed. Inspection has revealed the letters "V.R." on the box, showing that it had been made in the time of Queen Victoria.

Horseshoes have been listed in Chile as a prime necessity and placed under government control.

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Founding Of Cunard Line

First Regular Steamship Service To Cross the Atlantic

Americans the world over are particularly interested in the birthday of the Cunard Line, founder of the first regular steamship service across the Atlantic, first because the date of July 4th happened to coincide with their own Independence Day, and secondly because the birth and growth of the steamship has played a major part in the development of America.

When the Cunard flag-ship "Aquitania" sailed into Halifax on a short cruise from New York, her arrival marked the ninety-third anniversary of the maiden voyage of the pioneer Cunarder "Britannia," from Liverpool to America. From then on the history of the Line has been to a large extent the history of trans-Atlantic shipping. The "Britannia" left Liverpool on July 4th, 1840, bound for Halifax and Boston and covering the route in 14 days and 8 hours carrying 63 passengers.

She inaugurated the first regular steamship service across the Atlantic. Little is known of that first historic voyage except that it was successfully completed and when the "Britannia" bearing her builder, Samuel Cunard, arrived at Halifax and Boston, he was received with the wildest enthusiasm which expressed itself in hundreds of invitations to dinner, and the presentation of a marvellous silver loving-cup by the merchants of Boston, commemorating the achievement.

Few Canadians realize that Sir Samuel Cunard was born in Halifax and even before founding the Line which bears his name, had by the year 1830 amassed a huge fortune and was head of a fleet of sailing ships plying between Nova Scotia and the West Indies. Knighted in 1859 for outstanding service during the Crimean War, he died in London in 1864, in his 78th year, one of the world's great pioneers.

Cunard came of a United Empire Loyalist family and was one of the leading men in Nova Scotia for many years. The name of his family is still carried on in various parts of the Maritimes.

From the early days of the first fleet of four little steamers, the "Britannia," "Acadia," "Columbia," "Caledonia," the story of the Line as told in "Spanning the Atlantic" by F. Lawrence Babcock, is a fascinating one. Many celebrated passengers have crossed in famous Cunarders, including no less a personage than Mark Twain, whose quaint account of his crossing in those early days is given in a letter he wrote to the "Acadian Recorder" of Halifax, and in his "Innocents Abroad."

It is interesting to know that the Cunard Line was the first to obtain a monopoly in carrying British mails to America; to adopt new inventions in hull and engine constructions; to provide comfortable quarters for steerage passengers; to communicate by wireless from boat to land and to initiate in recent years the popular "tourist" class.

The story of the race for time across the Atlantic is one which has epic quality. Many competitors arose and fell and in the late years of the nineteenth century the race was fast and furious. As early as 1856 the "Persia" made the crossing in nine days while ten years later the "Scotia" crossed in 8 days. In 1877 the "Umbria" and the "Etruria" crossed in six days, while in 1894 the speedy "Lucania" reduced the crossing to one of five days. In this century the celebrated "Mauretania" has raced across the Atlantic consistently in less than 4½ days and even today is the fastest cruise liner afloat. For 22 years she held the mythical "Blue Riband" of the Atlantic, the longest period any ship has ever worn this honour.

Cunarders have figured in several crises of Empire. Sir Samuel was knighted for the services his ships gave Britain during the Crimean War, while the fleet also served during subsequent troubles and the Boer War; a war service which culminated in the magnificent record during the World War. The present Atlantic fleet of the Cunard and Associated Lines, numbers twenty-two, from the giant "Berengaria" and "Aquitania" to the popular "A" steamers on the Canadian route.

Making Youths Sea-Minded

Another Task Which German Chancellor Has Set Himself

Making the younger German generations "sea-minded" is one of the multiple tasks which Chancellor Adolf Hitler has set himself. While he has not yet gone as far as the ex-kaiser with his famous phrase: "Our future lies on the water," which so aroused the British prior to 1914, he and his propaganda minister, Dr. Josef Goebbels, are losing no opportunity to bring the German navy before the eyes of the masses.

The world's most densely populated land is Java.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union

Fashion

By Ruth Rogers

905

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So young in mood.

She'll love it! Well I guess! It has all the newest features, besides the smart fabrics that fashion it.

Navy blue crinkly crepe silk inspired the original. The sleeves, collar and tie help marvelously in creating an unusual effect in carrot-red crepe overplaided in blue.

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It's easily made and at an unbelievably small cost.

Grey crepe jumper is just the cutest idea ever with yellow and white checked gingham guimpe.

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Dirigible Coming Again

Graf Zeppelin Making Trips To New York In October

The dirigible Graf Zeppelin will make another flight to New York via South America in October if present plans materialize, Dr. Hugo Eckener said.

"Negotiations for the flight have not been completed yet," Dr. Eckener said. "It will be a passenger and mail flight, like our last trip to New York. We will follow our regular course from Friedrichshafen to Pernambuco and then go northward to New York."

The Graf Zeppelin thus far has made 320 flights with a total of 6,000 flying hours. It has transported 8,200 passengers, 32,000 pounds of mail and 47,000 pounds of freight and covered about 400,000 miles. Included in these flights are about ten round trips to North and South America, of which three were made this year.

Not Much Change

Away back in 1665 Abraham Cowley, of England wrote:

"Gold begets in brethren hate;
"Gold in families debate;
"Gold does friendships separate;
"Gold does civil wars create."

The old world hasn't changed so much in some of its troubles.—Winnipeg Tribune.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

AUGUST 6

RUTH

Golden Text: "Let us love one another; for love is of God."—1 John 4: 7.

Lesson: The Book of Ruth.
Devotional Reading: Psalm 4:1-8.

Explanations and Comments

Naomi and Her Family In Moab, Chapter 1:1-5.—During a severe famine in the time of the Judges, Naomi and her husband and two sons left Bethlehem and settled in Moab. There Elimelech, the husband, died. The sons married daughters of Moab, Orpah and Ruth. After a few years' sojourn in Moab, both sons died; Naomi was the sole survivor of her family; her daughters-in-law were to her foreigners. She determined to return alone to Bethlehem, for she heard that the famine there was over.

At the Parting Of the Ways, Chapter 1:7-14.—In eastern lands farewells seldom take place in the home, and Ruth and Orpah carried out the usual custom when they accompanied Naomi a short distance on her way. When Naomi thought they had gone far enough to show her fitting respect she stopped to dismiss them. She bade each return to her own mother's house, and find a husband in her own land. "Jehovah deal kindly with you, as ye have dealt with the dead, and with me"—thus she voiced her realization of their devotion to her and her sons. She kissed them farewell and then wept. As the young women both insisted they would return with her, she reminded them that they could not hope to secure husbands in her land. Orpah yielded, and turned back.

"In our desire to honor the courage and charm of Ruth's devotion, we moderns are apt to do some injustice to Orpah. Poor Orpah is often contrasted with Ruth, as though she were a Gonerii or Regan beside a Cordelia. It is not so. Orpah was not a cold-hearted creature, with more prudence than affection in her nature. In returning to her natve land and refusing to be a burden to the older woman, she acted according to Oriental standards, wisely, and even—as both she and Naomi felt—in a true spirit of kindness. She had nothing to reproach herself with, and her mother-in-law had no cause to feel disappointed. Both Orpah and Ruth were kind folk as well as kinsfolk to Naomi."—James Moffatt.

Ruth's Noble Decision, Chapter 1: 15-18.—Naomi tried to persuade Ruth to return also, but Ruth was steadfast in her determination to remain with Naomi. Her words to Naomi have become famous: "Entreat me not to leave thee, and to return from following after thee; for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge; thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God."

"Large is the life that flows for others' sakes;
Expends its best, its noblest effort makes;
Devotion rounds the man and makes him whole;
Love is the measure of the human soul."—James Buckham.

Plenty Of Playgrounds

Canada has Eighteen National Parks Covering 11,500,000 Acres

The recent official opening of Riding Mountain National Park, in Manitoba near Neepawa, adds 1,148 square miles to the area reserved in the Dominion as a natural playground for all the people. There are now eighteen of these national parks throughout Canada, with a total area of 18,000 square miles or more than 11,500,000 acres. They are sanctuaries for wild life, refuges from the hustle and bustle of affairs, and as the population grows they will be appreciated more and more by those periodically overwhelmed by a desire to "get away from it all."

Riding Mountain Park is 178 miles from Winnipeg and may be reached by good roads from the international boundary. It is a natural home for elk, moose, deer, black bear and beaver. It has a herd of 2,000 to 3,000 wild elk, probably the largest in Canada. There are golf, tennis, swimming and boating, and for those who want the forest primeval trails likely to bring one into an encounter with the roaming elk. These ought to be enough qualifications for any one park.

Eighteen national parks offer eighteen magnificent vacations in infinite variety for the tired worker who craves the open spaces. In a few of them, such as Banff and Jasper, he may dress for dinner if his inclinations move him that way, but for the most part they are handed over to the people pretty much as Nature left them.—Ottawa Journal.

It is indeed a poor man who says money is his best friend.

Saskatchewan Natural Gas

Drilling Commences In Dirt Hills Area Of Province

After $40,000 had been spent in testing the structure, Highwood Sarcee Oils Limited, of Calgary, has pushed forward immediate plans for drilling for natural gas in the Dirt Hills. The company has secured controlling interest in 14,000 acres approximately 30 miles south of Moose Jaw and 50 miles southwest of Regina.

A contract for drilling the first well has been given to the Sheldon Burden of Canada Limited, work has already commenced and actual drilling operations started.

The company is equipped and prepared to go to 4,000 feet if necessary but it is anticipated gas bearing strata will be reached long before that depth. The area has been tested geologically and geophysically and last year a thorough survey by the latest seismographic method was undertaken.

The results confirmed previous investigation and if expectations are fulfilled a supply of natural gas easily available for both Regina and Moose Jaw should be developed by the fall months, the company says, in its official statement.

A great deal of geological work has been done in this area, which has been favorably reported on by leading geologists, and the present development work is being undertaken as a result of a favorable report on the seismograph survey made last fall by Geophysical Service Corporation of Dallas, Texas, which is the same company that did the work for the Nordon Company on the Twin River structure, which has just recently completed its well.

President of the Highwood Sarcee Oils is A. W. Dingman, the father of gas and oil development in the district of Calgary and a pioneer in Turner Valley, to whom much of the subsequent development is due. The company is strong financially and well able to carry out its undertakings.

Japan Needs Markets More Than Territory

Chinese Trade Is Necessary To Support Growing Millions

Japan last year added more than a million to her population in the home islands. She now has as many people as Germany on a territory only five-sixths as large; and Germany is among the most crowded of nations. There is only one other big power that registers such annual gains, and that is Russia. There the annual increment is about 2,500,000 for a population two and a half times as large as Japan's. The latter has a death rate twice as high. Birth control in Nippon is as yet unknown.

It does not follow that population pressure in Japan justifies recent methods in territorial expansion. Emigration is comparatively a trickle and cannot solve her problem. Her growing millions can be supported only by progressive industrialization and growing foreign markets. In this sense Japan needs the good-will and trade of the Chinese people more than she needs Chinese territory.

Idea Originated In Canada

Canadian National Steamships Offered Cut Rates To Newly Weds Before Mussolini

Premier Mussolini last year offered a ten per cent. reduction for honeymooners on Italian airways but a few months before his cut-rate was introduced the Canadian National Steamships had come to the rescue of newlyweds in Canada, according to Thomas Cree, passenger manager. The company had announced a fare reduction of ten per cent. available to all couples sailing within a week of their wedding day and the offer is in effect again this year.

Abolishing the Slums

For England and Wales the Minister of Health has launched a campaign to wipe out the slums in five years. In Scotland the Department of Health is at present working on a three-year program which is operating with great success. Scotland has outstripped England and Wales in slum clearance.

Occasional Wife

By EDNA ROBB WEBSTER
Author of "JORETTA," "LIPSTICK GIRL," ETC.

SYNOPSIS

Camilla Hoyt, young and beautiful student in an art school, unconsciously sketches the head of a fellow student during class and when she is supposed to be drawing a Grec'an urn. The professor, looking at her sketch, embarrasses Camilla by having Peter Anson, the boy whose head she sketched, criticize her work before the class. Afterwards Camilla goes to the park outside to cry. A hand touches her shoulder.

(Now go on with the story)

CHAPTER II.

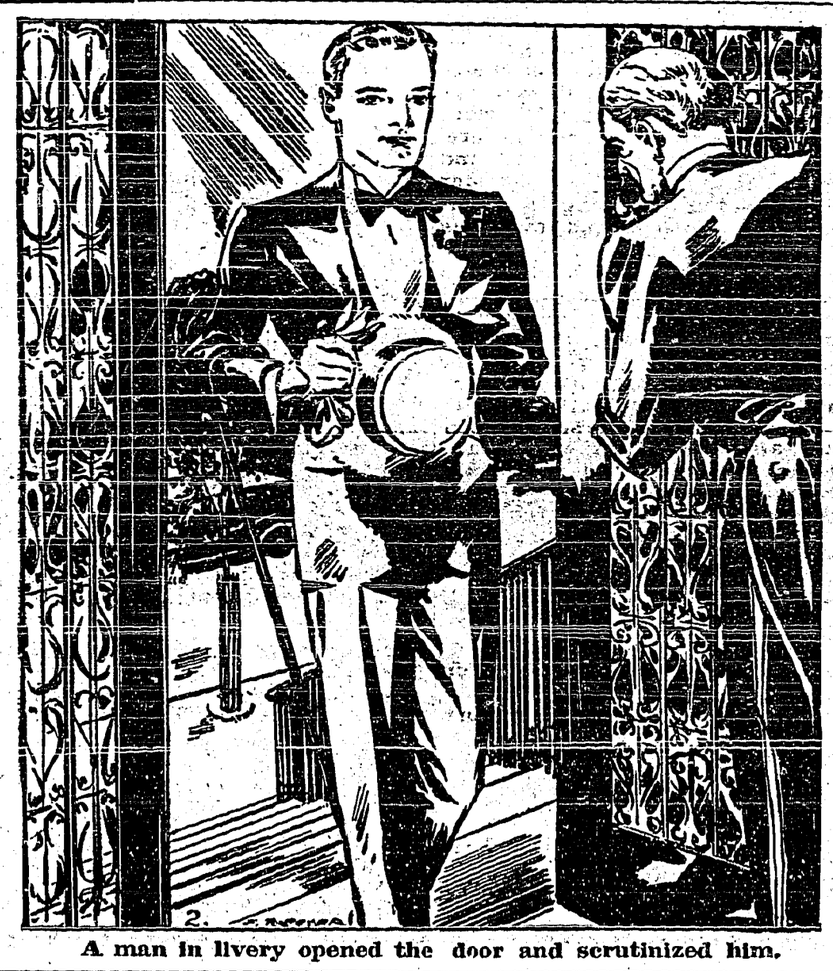
"Miss Hoyt," a man's vibrant voice pleaded, "may I apologize? I'm sorry if I offended you in class today."

Camilla dabbed frantically at her teary eyes with a square of bright linen, then raised her head reluctantly. She could not meet Peter's eyes.

"Well, if you think I'm crying about that," she finally managed in a husky voice that stung with sarcasm, "you need not trouble to apologize. You presume a lot to think I even remembered it, don't you?"

"Oh—I'm sorry," he hesitated. "But if—you are in trouble—that is—may I help you?"

To his amazement and relief, she laughed suddenly and looked up into his face as he bent over her anxiously. Her tear-wet eyes dazzled him, wide and shining like a child's and the tumbled black hair was like a cloud around her laughing face where the sun had just appeared.



A man in livery opened the door and scrutinized him.

"Well, my trouble isn't sketching still-life objects," she said, "but don't worry about me. I'm all right. Just the blues, I guess."

His eyes twinkled with a spontaneous humor and he sat down on the bench beside her. "What kind of blues—Limehouse, St. Louis or any particular brand? I might know the cure."

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"Oh," her voice held awe. "You're a sculptor."

"Well, that's what I want to be. It happens that I've studied with Professor Drake before, and am finishing next month. I only went into this sketch class for critical training."

"No wonder you laugh at us."

"Not at all. You have me wrong, Miss Hoyt. I wasn't laughing at you, really."

"Laughing with me, then?" she suggested, with a roguish tilt of her chin.

Peter chuckled with relief. "That's better," he declared. "Whose head were you sketching—the prof's?"

"No— yours."

"Mine?"

"Yes. I think it is a beautiful head and I couldn't resist sketching it. Besides, it was right in the way so I couldn't see the old study-object, anyway."

"I'm sorry. Why didn't you tell me—?"

"Because I didn't care about sketching still-life, anyway. I much prefer living models."

"You'll get that next year."

"There'll be no next year here. I'm not studying to be a famous artist with immortal ambitions and all that."

"I didn't suppose you were," he admitted, suddenly more aloof. "The idea that anyone could be serious about ambition probably amuses you."

She hesitated a moment before replying thoughtfully. "Not at all. It interests me, very much." Her earnestness was almost reassuring. "And you are serious, aren't you?"

"Dead serious!" Peter declared. "Why, I —" he hesitated, then changed the subject abruptly. "But I'm just as serious about something else that I'd rather talk to you about, but don't laugh at me even if you do refuse me. Will you let me entertain you some evening?"

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He misunderstood her quick look of surprise and her hesitation. "Now I am presuming a lot, I know."

"No — why, no — of course not. Please don't think I—"

His chance, perhaps the only chance he would have to talk with her. He interrupted desperately. "I promise to think nothing, if you will let me see you again—" then with more courage, "how about this evening?"

"Why the hurry, all of a sudden?" she bantered.

"I've just discovered how much I've wanted to see you all the time."

She laughed with confusion. "This evening suits me."

"Check," laughed Peter, scarcely believing that it could be true at last that he was making a date with Camilla Hoyt. "Where shall we go?" he held his breath.

"Why — anywhere you wish," vaguely.

"I'd rather you would say. I don't know you very well, and what you like to do. I want to take you wherever you like most to go."

Camilla reflected briefly. She was weary of the round of theatres, night clubs and parties frequented by her crowd, and would like to suggest some very simple or inexpensive pleasure. But she didn't dare. She might frighten him away by being plebian, which she delighted to do with some men of her acquaintance. But she had no wish to frighten Peter Anson away, now that he was so near her and actually seemed to be interested. She would wait, she resolved, until she knew him much better, to tell him about herself. By that time, it might just be possible that he would not be frightened away even by her confession.

She said casually, "well — "Too Many Girls' is playing at the Majestic. You may just be lucky enough to get tickets yet for tonight. And there's the Maddox club for supper, if you prefer famous food and hot music to hot food aid famous music."

Peter stood up to cover his confusion. Both the food and the music were of minor importance to him. But if those expensive items were the price tags for Camilla's company, he would have to meet them, somehow. "Fine! I'll run along now and 'phone for reservations,' 'he attempted elaborate "sangroid." "Shall I call for you at eight?"

"You know where I live?"

"Who doesn't know? Sure, I'll be seein' you then."

He saluted blithely, turned into the parkway and strode away. But his smile changed to an anxious frown as soon as he was out of Camilla's sight. Orchestra seats at the Majestic and supper at the Maddox club, if he preferred famous food and hot music. He did, if he could afford a preference. But he couldn't. Such an evening's expenditure covered Peter's allowance and expenses for a week.

What to do, now? Hadn't he leaped into a devil of a mess, just such as he had been forcing himself to avoid for two months? Didn't he, Peter Anson, making his own way to a career, know better than to get mixed up with snooty girls like Camilla Hoyt, whom it cost a fellow a fortune to entertain? He did. Then, why hadn't he watched his step? Well — what were you going to do about it when you discovered that Camilla Hoyt was the most adorable and desirable creature in the world and you were mad to be near her, at the same time you feared her?

Professor Drake had precipitated the avalanche upon him; his coming upon her in the park in tears had engulfed him. And here he was, scarcely daring to breathe and wondering how to escape from his new dilemma.

He shoved his hand into his trouers pocket, knowing that it would encounter only a few pieces of change. He poked his finger into his vest pocket, knowing that a lone five-spot was folded there. It represented his week's allowance for food. His thoughts leaped fearfully to a small deposit in his name at the bank, put there thriftily and with sacrifice, to meet emergencies. Peter smiled ruefully. Was this an emergency? It was, and it wasn't. If he could bring his conscience to admit the first thought and deny the second—

By eight o'clock, he had soothed his conscience, withdrawn half of his emergency fund — he had pledged himself to return at least half of it to the bank the following day, but he had to flash a roll, didn't he? — rented a tuxedo and a taxi-cab, and was ringing the doorbell at the imposing Hoyt mansion across the park from the art school.

A man in livery opened the door and scrutinized Peter with practiced caution.

(To Be Continued.)

Mrs. Patience Round, who recently celebrated her 102nd birthday in Cradley Heath, England, was a chain maker for 70 years.

Nearly 42,500,000 letters and postal cards are mailed in London every week.

"Miracle Fountain" Still Flows

Lightning Brought Water To Georgia Prisoners 70 Years Ago

The "miracle fountain" of Andersonville, Georgia, is still flowing, 70 years after lightning brought water to the wilderness in time to save a multitude of federal prisoners, dying in a hostile land. There is a monument there now, on the scene of American civil war strife. It's a national shrine.

More than 12,000 Unionists died at Andersonville, where there was a stockade in which 45,000, many of them wounded, were herded.

Sanitation was the prison's greatest problem—that and the prisoners who looted and slew their comrades. The scarce water supply at Andersonville was contaminated.

August and a relentless Georgia sun scorched prisoners and their Confederate guards alike. Some prayed; some sang. A black cloud drooped low and a bolt of lightning crashed over the stockade and tore away the earth almost in the centre of the prison yard. Water gushed from the hole—enough for all. Years after the war somebody remembered the spring and a monument grew around it. The water still flows between the graves and keeps richly green the grass on hero-mounds.

THE RHYMING OPTIMIST

By Aline Michaelis

THE YEAR

I thrilled with joy in May,
When all the land was gay,
When all the multitude
Of birds in field and wood
Lifted their songs in glee
Fom hedgerow and from tree!
When every road up-hill
Lured me to journey still,
To climb each swelling crest,
Better to view east, west,
The sun-sweet world, so fair,
No sorrow could be there!

But springtime could not stay,
Nor the child-heart of May.
Though in life's summer-time
The deeper notes must chime,
They sound a braver tune,
Ringing through golden June!

And mellow in the fall,
The songs of living call,
Richer for memory
Of joys that used to be.
Each season as it goes
To some sweet measure flows;
Winter, though grim and chill,
May move to music still!

Arranging Huge Air Derby

Race From England To Australia Starts In October, 1934

One of the events of the Victorian centenary celebrations is a great air race from England to Melbourne. Conditions have just been issued.

Cash prizes totalling £15,000 and a gold cup valued at £500, are offered for championship and handicap events, and each pilot who completes the course within 16 days will receive a gold medallion. The races will start on October 20, 1934, from several aerodromes in England, and will finish at Flemington.

Any number of machines may be entered by one competitor, and the same machine may be entered for both races, but only one amount of prize money will be payable in respect of each machine.

There is no limit to the number of members of crews, including passengers. Each machine must carry sufficient food and water to maintain life for three days, approved flotation gear for the pilot and every member of the crew, and not fewer than six smoke signals.

Had Good Reason

Two men who had attended the village church were discussing the service.

"The vicar certainly preached a wonderfully strong sermon on vanity and extravagance," said one.

"Yes; and his own wife sitting right in front of him, wearing her new dress and new hat," put in the other.

"Oh," said the first, "that explains it! I wondered why he was so worked up."

Less than one-twentieth of the people in Britain now pay income taxes.

Argentina is considering the creation of a national grain commission.

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Little Helps For This Week

"He that is faithful in that which is least is faithful also in much." — Luke 16:10.

The trivial round, the common task,
Would furnish all we ought to ask;
Room to deny ourselves; a road
To bring us daily nearer God.
—J. Keble.

Exactness in little duties is a wonderful source of cheerfulness. We are too fond of our own will. We want to be doing what we fancy mighty things; but the great point is to do small things when called to them in a right spirit.—R. Cecil.

It is not on great occasions only that we are required to be faithful to the will of God; occasions constantly occur, and we would be surprised to perceive how much our spiritual advancement depends on small obediencces. The unremitting retention of simple and high sentiments in any duty is hardening the character to that temper which will work with honor under all conditions.—R. W. Emerson.

Caring For Cut Flowers

Many Ways Of Keeping Blooms Fresh For Days

Everyone knows the old tip of putting an aspirin tablet in the water as a pick-me-up. But do you realize that the flowers must be given fresh water after an hour or so, or the drug may have the opposite effect? Another remedy for flowers that have been out of water for some time is to split the stems, plunge them into a jar containing two or three inches of hot water, and keep them in the dark for an hour or two. But this will be useless unless you cut off the dead pieces of stem before putting the flowers in the vases. Tulips that bend over with the weight of their heads are usually treated by wrapping in stiff paper. But do you know that you can stiffen the drooping stems with starch? Put a small piece in the water and watch the result.

An Egyptian Pooh-Bah

Professor Finds Grave Of "First Man Under the King"

Professor Selim Hassan, working on behalf of the Egyptian University, has discovered in the course of his excavations of the so-called Fourth Pyramid the grave of a veritable Pooh-Bah of the Fourth Dynasty Stelae in the tomb describe him as Director of Finance, Keeper of the King's Food, Great Priest, Judge and Governor, District Director, and First Man under the King. Jars, vases and other utensils to the number of sixty were found in the tomb, many of them being of beautifully polished copper. Round the neck of the Pooh-Bah was a thin gold thread, while on his left forearm he wore a piece of turquoise and a bracelet of solid gold.

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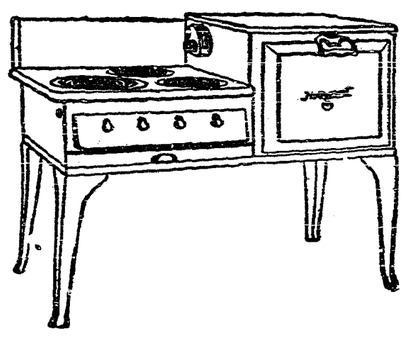

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Local and Personal

FOR SALE—Fout acres second crop alfalfa. J. G. Connell. Phone 42X.

Chas. Moore, jr., is just back from a visit at Seattle and other coast points.

FOR SALE—Standing alfalfa hay, ready to cut immediately. John Bird, Lister.

S. A. Speers has just taken delivery of a new Ford ton truck from Central Motors.

Central Motors this week reports the sale of the new V8 DeLuxe Ford to Matt. York.

Mrs. Quayle of Trail spent a few days here this week, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cherrington.

FOR SALE—Ford truck, in good condition, cheap for cash. Mrs Albert Stewart, Creston.

Mrs. Mallandaine was a visitor with Spokane friends a few days last week, returning on Sunday.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet touring car, 1926 model, $50. Can be seen at A. Andestad's, Wynndel.

Creston Motors report the sale last week of a new 1½ ton Chevrolet truck to Mrs. Albert Stewart.

Hazel Sinclair is spending the week at Kaslo, a guest at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Fink.

WANTED—Two young girls want position assisting with housework. Phone 81M, F. H. Jackson.

Miss Doris Beninger is spending a holiday visit with friends in Vancouver, leaving on Wednesday last.

Mrs. F. H. Jackson left at the first of the week for a month's visit with friends at Victoria and Vancouver.

Reeve McFarland is combining business with pleasure on a visit to Vulcan, Alberta, leaving on Monday.

Clayton Sinclair is holidaying this week at Cranbrook, a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs C. R. Ward.

With the berry season now at an end the summer schedule for express shipping at the C.P.R. depot is now withdrawn.

Mrs. Frank Staples and family and Mrs. A. L. Palmer left on Friday on a holiday visit with friends in Greenwood.

F. V. Staples is a business visitor at Beaverdell this week, and will spend a few days at Greenwood on the return trip

LOST—On July 22nd, on Hillside Road or in vicinity of school, set spring scales. Finder leave at Review Office. Reward.

Mr. and Mrs. Burroughs of Winnipeg, Man., arrived on Wednesday morning on a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Langston.

Canadian Legion members are reminded of the August meeting on Tuesday evening, 8th, at the schoolhouse at Camp Lister.

WANTED—Reliable high school girl wishes to earn room and board by light housework and looking after children. Apply F. Knott, phone 43R.

Arrangements are under way to wind up the league baseball season with a double header at Exhibition Park on Sunday, Eastport vs. Creston Athletics.

Mr. and Mrs Jack Eddy of Cowley, Alberta, were Creston visitors this week, guests of their son, Wesley, who is in charge of the Exchange barber shop.

PIANO LESSONS—Miss Dorothy Olivier pupil of Miss Madeline Chardon of Blairmore, Alberta, will commence piano classes. September 1st. Phone 79.

Mrs. (Rev.) A Walker and daughter, Goldie, arrived home at the end of the week from a three weeks' holiday visit with firiends at Nanaimo and Vancouver.

Posters are up for a dance at Park pavilion on Saturday night, 5th, with music by Crestonian orchestra, with an admission of 25 cents both ladies and gents.

TREE PROPS—You will be requiring tree props to protect your trees from the heavy crop We can supply 2 x 2's at ¾c. per lineal foot. Chas. O. Rodgers, Creston.

Sugar at 10 pounds for 77 cents is one of the specials for the opening of the new Imperial Groceteria, Saturday morning at 8 o'clock. Look up their advt. on page five.

Water is expected to be turned into the new community swimming pool Thursday afternoon or early this morning, and it is possible swimming will be available by Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McKay left on Tuesday on a two weeks' holiday which they will spend at his home in Balfour and at Kokanee and other Kootenay Lake points.

Creston baseball team had no trouble handing Nelson a 6-3 trimming at Nelson on Sunday, holding them scoreless until the eighth inning in which all their runs were scored.

Up to the end of the month there has been but one resignation from the local school staff. Miss Helen Meldrum, who has been in charge of Division 2 for the the past three years, will not be returning.

SUMMER COTTAGES AT TWIN BAY—For rent, summer cottages at Twin Bay, four miles west of Kuskanook. Best bathing beach on Kootenay Lake. An ideal place to spend your holidays. For further information enquire from CARL O. WIGEN, Wynndel, B.C.

Another section of wall is being built around the W. M. Archibald place, and with the present work completed there will be stone wall along both the north and west sides of the property.

AT THE HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. B. Martin is a patient, after a tonsils operation, and is doing nicely.

Mrs. H. E. Cook was admitted to the hospital last Thursday, having sustained a fractured leg while picking cherries at Boswell.

O. Pratt was able to leave on Monday, much improved in health.

Mrs. C. M. Sinclair, nee Alice Embree, of Flagstone, is undergoing treatment for a few days.

The hospital staff wish to thank ll those donating flowers and fruit.

To the Fruit Grower:

In last week's issue we noticed, "Selling Agencies Issue Ultimatum" in part. The agencies are finding it hard to market the growers' produce on account of truck salesmen: and further down the column we read that the agencies are doing their utmost to protect the grower. If that is the case why did one of the selling agencies quote raspberries $1.25 Creston at a town east and the same day raspberries were $1.75 cash per crate to the retailer. Now, if an established selling concern is starting to cut prices below market price how is the fruit grower going to make out. Judge for yourselves. ONE WHO HAS THE PROOF.

The new Imperial groceteria opens for business tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock. Some wonderful values are offered all through the store with extra specials for morning and afternoon only both Saturday and Monday. Look up the advt. on page five.

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