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Creston's School Report, January

Division 1—H. McLellan, Teacher.

Highest standing: Grade 8, Proficiency—Frank Crawford, Jean McCreath, Aileen Spratt. Grade 7—Betty Speers, Fay Pendry, William Bayle.

Perfect Attendance—Harold Speers, Fred Alderson, Earl Christie, Manuel Irvi[illegible] Marshall, Billy Bay[illegible] Ronald Gibbs, Gw[illegible] McCreath, Frank By[illegible] Madeline M[illegible]

Division 2—[illegible] Teacher.

Perfect Attendance—Cora Biccum, Margaret Blinco, Ada Christie, Herbert Coulling, Minnie Downes, Jean Fisher, Jean Henderson, Joan Hilton, Annie Ireland, Sally Johnson, Dorothea MacDonald, Mary Maione, Frank Morrow, Allan Speers, Arthur Speers, Jack Young, Fanny Lewis.

Division 3—Miss Wade, Teacher.

Highest standing: Grade 5b, Proficiency—Sarah Quinn, Gordon Reinwald, Arthur Nichols. Writing improvement—Harold Reinwald. Grade 4b, Proficiency—Bert Morrow, Robert Dickson, George Collis. Writing improvement—Douglas Spiers.

Perfect attendance—Agnes Biccum, Robert Dickson, Jim Downes, Sydney Fisher, Helen Hopwood, George Murrell, Cameron Macdonald, Harold McLaren, Arthur Nichols, Sarah Quinn, Gordon Reinwalb, Jane Ross, Clifford York.

Division 4—Miss Holmes, Teacher.

Highest standing: Grade 2 Senior, Proficiency—Jean McLauchlan. Improvement—Ruth Hare. Writing improvement—Everett Walker. Grade 3 Junior, Proficiency—Eleanor Spratt. Improvement—Dorothy Collis. Writing improvement — Marion Quinn. Grade 3 Senior, Proficiency—Margaret Burnett. Improvement — William Ferguson. Writing improvement—Holger Johnson.

Perfect attendance—Doris Bayle, Raymond Bevan, Margaret Burnett, Dorothy Collis, Ruth Hare, Margaret Henderson, Stuart Hilton, Emmet Johnson, Holger Johnson, Aileen Klingensmith, Hughena McCreath, Lloyd McLaren, Jean McLauchlan, Marion Quinn, Eleanor Spratt, Everett Walker.

Division 5—Miss Hardy, Teacher.

Grade 1 Junior, Proficiency—Doris Beninger, Beryl Palmer, Maisie Ferguson. Writing—William Craig. Improvement—Irwin Nickel. Grade 1 Senior—Edith Walkey, Doris Hendy, Edra Walkey. Writing — Edith Walkey. Improvement—Doris Hendy. Grade 2 Junior, Proficiency—Ellen Jensen, Ruth Spencer, Gladys Davies. Writing — Ellen Jensen. Improvement—Edwin Pendry.

Perfect attendance—Morley Burnett, William Craig, Gladys Davies, Ruth Davis, Joan Greenwood, Frank Herdman, Ernest Ireland, Ellen Jensen, William Kerughaß, Helen McCreath, Douglas McLauchlin, Francis McLauchlin, Maud Ross, Jack Ross, Jessie Spratt, Edra Walkey, Doris Walters.

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Kitchener School Report

Miss Grace Rendall, principal of Kitchener school has issued the following report for Division 1, for January: Highest standing, Grade 4—Nettie Androsoff, Grace Strong. Grade 5—Elsie Nelson, Clarence Anderson. Grade 6—Richard Molander. Grade 7—Claude Simpson, Wesley Blair. Perfect attendance—Ludwig Anderson, Nettie Androsoff, Dennis Bush, Myrtle Strong, Claude Simpson.

Miss Porter's report for Division 2 is as follows: Highest standing, Grade 3—Hazel McGonegal, Celina Langlois, John Nelson. Grade 2—Laura Androsoff, Henry Nelson. Grade 1a—Jack Langlois, Fred Androsoff. Grade 1b—Robert Johnson, Lee Strong. Perfect attendance—Alice Bohn, Fred Androsoff.

Kitchener

Jack Hutchinson was a Creston caller on Friday, coming home the following day.

Rev. J. Herdman of Creston had a good turnout for the United Church service in the schoolhouse on Wednesday night.

G. A. West of Kaslo was here on a business call on Thursday. H. McCreath of Creston was here on a business visit, Monday.

Miss Alice Molander was a visitor to Creston on Wednesday, where she was a guest of Mrs. Charles Fransen. She returned Thursday.

A. D. Pochin, the Nelson Daily News representative, was here on a business call on Friday.

Murdoch McLeod of Vancouver was renewing business acquaintances on Saturday, returning on Sunday.

Misses Esther Nelson, Ellen Andeen and Edith Geroux made the hike to Simpson's ranch on Friday afternoon, and very much enjoyed the time.

Mrs. Joe Langlois and daughters, Vivian and Celina, of the Russell House, were Creston visitors on Friday last. They were at the Bert Johnston Company show, and came home next day.

Joe Levergne, who had his leg broken before Christmas, whilst in the employ of the Sash & Door Company, and has since been in Cranbrook hospital, arrived here on Thursday, and is a guest at the Kitchener Hotel. He is making a very satisfactory recovery.

The Whist and dance in Hunt's Hall on Saturday night under the direction of E. B. McFarlane and H. Redmile was thoroughly enjoyed. The high scorers were Miss Beatrice Molander and Jack Hutchinson, while the consolation honors were awarded Mrs. Carl Anderson and Dick Joyce. The dance music was by the local orchestra.

On Friday night a surprise party was staged on Clarence Devlin at his home here, to which quite a crowd of young folks were invited. Cards and dancing were the feature of the evening. A dainty lunch was served at midnight. The winners at cards were Miss Grace Rendall and Sam Littlejohn, while the low score trophies were carried off by Miss Edith Geroux and Clarence Devlin. Those present were Misses Grace Rendall, Kathleen Porter, Edith Geroux, Alice Molander, Ellen Andeen, Esther Nelson and Mrs. G Hunt; Messrs. E. B. McFarlane, Sam Littlejohn, Harry Redmile, Dean Molander, Lewis Simpson, Fred Molander, Louis Anderson, Clarence Devlin. All report a most enjoyable evening.

Sirdar

Mrs. B. F. Whiteside was a visitor with Cranbrook friends a couple of days last week.

Mesdames North, Brawn and Loasby were calling on Creston friends between trains on Tuesday last.

Bob Watson of Cranbrook arrived here last week to take the place of F. Backus, who has been on the switch crew for the past month. The latter went it to Cranbrook.

Mrs. Proctor was tea hostess on January 29th, assisted by Misses Eileen Heap and Dorothy Cam and W. Goodman in the serving of refreshments. All report the affair a most enjoyable one.

Mrs. Loasby was a visitor with Cranbrook friends several days last week.

Rev. S. Newby was here on Sunday morning for the usual Church of England service and Sunday school.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simister of Alice Siding spent the weekend here, guests of Mrs. Whiteside.

Mrs. Martin spent a few days with Nelson friends this week, leaving on Tuesday.

Erickson

Mrs. Botterill got back at the end of the week from a few weeks' visit with relatives at Dover, Idaho.

Building permits for the month include the erection of a new ice house at the R. M. Telford store.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Klingensmith, and Miss Ruth who have been visiting at Vancouver for the past three months, arrived home at the end of the week.

The Co-Operative Association will have its annual meeting next Saturday afternoon, Feb. 19th, at Speers' Hall, Creston. The balance sheet to be submitted is a most attractive one.

Posters are up for an auction sale of the household effects of Henry Brownrigg, which takes place at the ranch on Tuesday, Feb. 22nd. Terms will be given on articles over $10. Henry is leaving before the end of the month to try out general farming near Red Deer, Alberta.

Word reached here at the end of the week that Eric Craigie, who has been employed at Lumberton, had sustained a broken leg while at work in the woods for the B.C. Spruce Company, and had been taken to Cranbrook hospital, where he is making a satisfactory recovery.

Alice Siding

Miss Annie Parkin is a Michel visitor at present, where she is the guest of her father.

Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. McNeil and Mrs. Moul, who have been visitors with Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall, are returning to Vancouver this week.

Word from Cranbrook hospital is to the effect that Joe Miller is recovering nicely from his recent operation for appendicitis.

The next dance at the Todd ranch house is reported for Friday night, February 18th. A boxing bout will probably be a side attraction on that occasion. Jimmy Lockhead will probable be one of the mitt artists.

Mrs. R. Stewart got back a few days ago from a visit with friends in Spokane. She was accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Albert Stewart.

The invitation dance tendered the people of West Creston at the Todd ranch house on Thursday night last went off in fine style, and included a very sumptuous supper. Many oldtime dances were seen, including the military schottische and highland fling, besides the usual modern numbers. All had a wonderfully fine time the dance ending at 3.30 a.m.

Four sleighloads of Alice Siding folks invaded West Creston on January 28th, when the new schoolhouse at that point was housewarmed in the shape of a dance and with other musical trimmings. The floor was in charge of Jimmy Lockhead, whose effort was so successful that there was no let up in the dancing until the breakfast waltz was called, after which the local guests departed to catch the first trip of the ferry. Songs were contributed by Ron. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, and Mrs. Moul and Mrs. McNeil. There was a splendid lunch at midnight and the affair was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Lister

Miss Jane Huscroft is a Creston visitor this week, a guest of Mrs. Tom Ross.

Mrs. and Miss Yerbury from South Wales, who have been visiting at Coleman, Alberta, for the past few weeks, are here at present on a visit at the Yerbury home, prior to returning to the Old Country.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval VanEtten of Bonners Ferry were weekend visitors with the latter's parent's Mr. and Mrs. Demchuk. Miss Kathleen Demchuk will return with them and make a couple of weeks stay at Bonners.

Birth—on February 4th, at Kootenay Lake General Hospital, Nelson, to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Langston, a daughter.

E. J. Malthouse has had his wood sawing machinery operating at Rykerts this week, where he had a contract to put up 25 cords of fuel at the customs house.

Mr. and Mrs. Mert McCullough had the misfortune to lose all their household effects in a fire that destroyed their residence in the Huscroft area on Tuesday afternoon. The fire had gained such headway before it was noticed that Mrs. McCullough had some difficulty getting out of the house with the youngest child. The house was owned by Charlie Huscroft, and is said to have been insured.

Miss Hobder, principal, has issued the following report for the month of January for Huscroft public school Highest standing—Grade 1—Rupert Bohmer, Vergene Bohmer. Grade 2—Thomas Tedford, Burton Huscroft. Grade 3—Margaret Huscroft, Walter Swizinski. Grade 4—Arthur Hurry, Marjorie Tedford. Grade 5—Minnie Huscroft, Clyde Huscroft. Grade 7—Dolly Tedford, Alice Demchuk. Grade 8—Pearl Huscroft. Perfect attendance—Alex Demchuk, Zonia Demchuk, Clyde Huscroft, Waddy Huscroft, Enga Swizinski, Rosie Swizinski, Marjorie Tedford.

Kitchener

Mrs. Stanley Quaife and children left on Friday for Cranbrook on a business visit.

Alex. Ellis, who is employed at the Sash & Door Company, paid the dentist in Cranbrook a visit on Wednesday, getting back the next day.

C. Cox, R. Maxwell and Ivan Staples of Creston were here for the dance on Saturday night, coming up by car.

Mrs. E. W. Payne of Creston, who has been visiting with Mrs. McGonegal, returned home the latter part of the week.

Andy Wickholm of Canyon was here on a business visit between trains on Sunday.

Clarence Devlin made the hike up Goat River as far as Davis' cabin for a few days visit, getting back on Satur-

Jim Dodds, who is working at Goatfell, spent the weekend with Kitchener friends.

Harry McKowan of the Sash & Door Company, Limited, Cranbrook, was here on business part of last week, leaving on Saturday for home. He was accompanied by H. Spence, who spent the weekend with his family there.

The whist and dance given by Messrs. H. H. Redmile and E. B. McFarlane in Hunt's Hall on Saturday night, was fairly well attended. The prizes at cards went to Miss Clara Hunt, ladies' first; L. Anderson won the gent's high trophy. The consolation honors fell to Mrs. N. K. Devlin and Ed. Castle. After cards a dainty lunch was served, and dancing followed, which ended in the wee hours of the a.m. The dance music was by Mrs. W. Arb, piano; L. Simpson, violin; J. Chorlton, cello; O. Harmer, banjo.

Death Summons Russell Leamy

Another name must be added to the quite long list adorning Creston's granite great war memorial. The name is that of Russell Lewis Leamy, whose death occurred at Montreal, Que., on Friday, January 28th, and word of whose passing reached his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Leamy, at Creston the following day.

No gamer fight for life was ever waged than that put up by deceased who passed away in his thirty-second year. Deceased left Creston in November, 1914, and after a few months' training at Victoria, went to England early in 1915, and by midsummer of that year was in the trenches in France, with the 16th Canadian Scottish, where he was first wounded in October, 1915. He was invalided to England, but in January, 1916, was again back in France, only to be so seriously wounded in October, 1916, that it was fully seven months before he could be moved out of France, and it was not until late in 1917 that he was able to travel back to his home in Creston, to go into the sanitarium at Balfour for treatment, and since which time he has been almost steadily under medical care, with the exception of part of the summer of 1924, when he was here and for some weeks was in charge of the provincial election work as returning officer in the Creston riding. Early in 1925 he went to be with relatives at Montreal, and had already undergone three operations, the last of which had been looked to bring better health.

The funeral took place on Thursday, February 3rd, to Notre Dame cemetery, Hull., where the remains lie in the Leamy plot. The requiem mass was held at Montreal and the remains taken to Hull for interment, the funeral being in charge of the Ottawa Conclave of the Most Noble Order of Crusaders. Full military honors were accorded the deceased, the Last Post being sounded by Bugle Major Day. The pallbearers were Q.M. Sergt. Phillips, Q.M. Sergt. Hutt, Staff Sergt. Tushingham, Sergts. Beer, Clair and Howard.

The late Russell Leamy came to Creston with his parents in 1899, and was very popular with a wide circle of friends, to whom news of his death came as a distinct shock, and a very sincere sympathy is felt for the parents and two sisters and three brothers in their sad bereavement.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Eugene Turpin, noted chemist and inventor of melinite, an explosive, died recently at Pontoise, a short distance from Paris.

John Bull now claims to have the fastest aeroplane in the world—a single seated fighting machine with a 700 horsepower engine.

Seven hundred young men have already applied for passage to Canada from Dundee alone, all anxious for work in the harvest season.

Agnes Maude Macher, 90, well known authoress and poetess, is dead at her home in Kingston after a lengthy illness.

It is reported from Luxor that amongst the latest finds in Tut-Ankh-Amen's tomb is a royal ostrich feather fan of alternating black and white plumes of great length in a wonderful state of preservation, with a semi-circular gold centrepiece and a lengthy gold handle.

The London Daily Mirror understands that Lieut. General Sir Charles Harrington is likely to be appointed commander-in-chief in India. General Harrington, who had a splendid record in the European war, further distinguished himself in the post war negotiations with Turkey.

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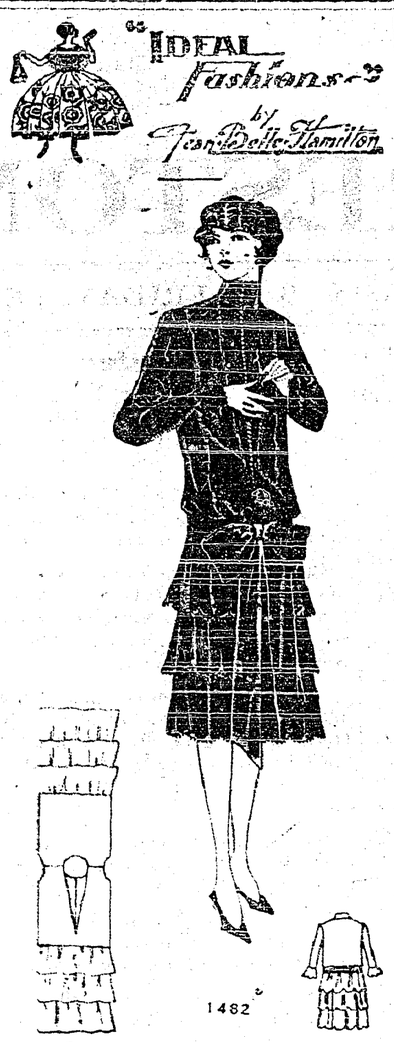

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 6

THE PRACTICE OF CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP

Golden Text: Thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will set thee over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy lord.—Matthew 25.21.

Lesson: Matthew 25.14-30.

Devotional Reading: 2 Corinthians 9.6-11.

Explanations and Comments

1. The Commissions, verses 14, 15. Jesus is speaking to His disciples about the Kingdom of Heaven, and he begins a parable by saying that the situation is comparable to that of a man who, about to go into another country, calls his servants and delivers to them his goods. "The story is true to the oriental life of the period; for, when a wealthy man was leaving his home for awhile, two courses were open to him for the arrangement of his affairs; either he might make his confidential slaves his agents, committing to them the tilling of his land, and giving to them his money to be used by them in trade; or he might take advantage of the money-changing system which had been introduced by the Phoenicians, and which was at the time in full operation throughout the Roman Empire."—(Wm. M. Taylor).

In his interpretation of the parable, the "man" represents Christ; his "goods" stand for all possessions—life, physical and mental powers, etc.—which are represented as God's property, entrusted to men, his servants, as a loan.

The servants were all trustworthy, but they differed in capability, and the master apportioned his goods among them according to his judgment of the ability of each. Unto one he gave five talents, to another two, and to another one. Even the one talent represented a considerable sum, about one thousand dollars, whose value is recognized when we recall that a denarius was a day's wage, and a talent was the equivalent of six thousand denarii. In the interpretation of the parable, the "talents" are the "goods," whatever is given to each one for use and improvement. Our use of the word "talent" to signify mental gift or skill in accomplishing anything is derived from its use in this parable.

Little Helps For This Week

I am with thee, and will keep thee in all places whither thou goest.—Gen. xxiii. 15.

Lord, be Thou near, and cheer my lonely way;
With Thy sweet peace my aching bosom fill;
Scatter my cares and fears, my griefs allay;
And be to mine each day
To love and please Thee still.
—Pierre Corneille.

What a joy to know that of all things and all thoughts, God is nearest to us!—so near that we cannot see Him; but far beyond seeing Him, we can know Him infinitely.
—George Macdonald.

God is where the sun glows; God is where the violet blooms, is where yon bird flaps its wings. Though no friend, no man be with thee, fear nothing! Thy God is here.
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In a recently published article on life insurance in Canada, T. B. Macaulay, president of one of the large Canadian life insurance companies, states that the per capita life insurance in Canada, which stood at $144 in 1925, exceeded $500 in 1926. "Canada," he says, "maintains her position as the best life insuring country in the whole world, with the exception of the United States, where the per capita insurance is about $650.

"This increase in Canada last year," continues Mr. Macaulay, "is due to a variety of causes. A succession of fairly good wheat crops and good prices in Western Canada have undoubtedly had a favorable influence upon general business. The enormous quickening of mining activity, the phenomenal development of the pulp and paper trade, in which Canada is now the first nation of the world, and the enterprise shown in harnessing the water-powers and converting them to large industrial purposes, have all been factors in increasing individual prosperity with its inevitable reaction upon every branch of business."

Record Building Activity

Building permits issued in Canada, in December, 1926, according to the records from 63 municipalities compiled by the Canadian Government Bureau of Statistics, totalled $11,472,132, the highest on record for the month. The statistics for the year 1926, so far compiled, show that in 1926 more money was spent in Canada on building and construction work than in any year since 1920.

COLDS COST MONEY

FORTIFY YOURSELF AGAINST THEM

It is estimated that a sufferer from colds loses three days' time from work in a year.

At work, in the "movie," or at any entertainment, if your neighbor has a cold and sneezes or coughs, the air is full of germs and if you are not in good condition, you may become ill. The only protection you can have is to build resistance against disease forces. Take that splendid herbal tonic,

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Finds Ancient Method Profitable

Retired British General Runs Estate on Feudal System

The man who has brought feudalism back to a little bit of England is Brigadier-General Gage, D.S.O., who is now retired from the army.

For five years he has been running his estate of Farnborough Hall, Farnborough, with the outdoor staff consisting of men working on the feudal system.

There are eight "villeins" at present, and between them they manage the gardens and the 120 acres of grassland. They are paid no wages, but at the beginning of the five years they were provided with the 120 acres, the necessary farming implements, cottages, a small loan each, a horse, a cart, 12 cows, pigs and poultry.

All profits are their own, but it is their duty to keep the grounds in order and every year to give General Gage, free of charge, eleven tons of butter, milk, cream, eggs, poultry and hay. They have to supply him with flowers for use at the hall, but for these he pays them at the rate of a halfway beween the wholesale and retail prices.

This feudal experiment is now an established success. One man who started as a laborer has worked up to the position of secretary-manager and bought himself a car, and the men have bought a van for transporting their produce. They have founded their own grocery stores, and supply the neighborhood with milk, poultry, and flowers.

"It has not been so easy as it looks in theory," General Gage said. "There were troubles among the men, little jealousies and so on but these appear to have died out, and the estate is running smoothly and successfully.

"The wages of the men depend entirely on their own efforts. They have no unions to bother them, and they can work as long and as hard as they like, knowing that they will reap the benefit themselves.

"I wish that more people would carry out the idea. There are dozens of country estates that are falling into neglect owing to the owners' inability to pay the labor that would be required to make the most of them. If all those people would constitute themselves little feudal chiefs and give the care of their estates to competent ex-service men—I have none but ex-service men—they would be doing good work besides helping themselves."

Live At Great Heights

Many Animals and Birds Exist Above Himalayan Snow Live

In the struggle for existence many creatures are driven to live at immense heights. The climbers of Everest saw a herd of wild sheep sitting on a glacier surrounded by pinnacles of ice. They found bees, moths and butterflies at 21,000 feet, and the last traces of permanent animal existence far above the Himalayan snow line and 4,000 feet above the last vegetable growth. These were small spiders. They live in islands of broken rock surrounded by snow and ice. There were no signs of vegetation or living creatures near them, and for food they ate one another. Wingless grasshoppers were found living at a height of 18,000 feet.

Another World Flight Planned

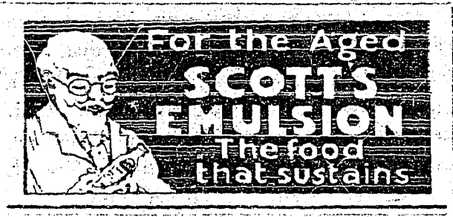
Long Journey to be Undertaken by Italian Aviator

Commander Francesco De Pinedo, who added to his fame as an aviator and brought honor to Italy by his flight from Rome to Tokio and back in 1925, is planning another flight, across the five continents of the world. The venture will carry him first to Rabat, Morocco, and then across the Atlantic to South America, around the American continent to Oceania and Asia, and back to Europe by way of the Red Sea. He expects to start on his journey some time in February, depending on the success of trial flights.

The Man Up Above

Coming: "I hardly got a wink of sleep last night. Some guy was having trouble with his plane; and he had stopped almost directly above our house. He was up there pounding and rhumping and tinkering more than half the night before he got the thing fixed and went on."—Detroit Free Press.

The first public library was founded in Athens, Greece, in 527 B.C.



Western Canada Exhibitions

Dates Are Set for Forthcoming Season at Meeting Held in Brandon

Endorsation of the recommendations brought in by the executive and the definite fixing of the dates for the Western Canada exhibitions took place at the opening sessions of the convention of the Association of Western Canada exhibitions held at Brandon.

The dates for the Western Canada exhibitions are:

Brandon, July 4-9; Calgary, 11-16; Edmonton, July 18-23; Saskatoon, July 25-30; Regina, August 1-6.

C. C. Gamble, of Prince Albert, Sask., was elected president of class "B" fairs; W. Moore, of Yorkton, Sask., is first vice-president; Dr. Munn, of Carman, second vice-president, and H. Huxley, of Lloydminster, Sask., was re-elected secretary.

The "B" circuit representatives decided not to enlarge their present membership. Fifteen towns are linked up in the circuit and the opinion was expressed that any further additions would make the circuit unwieldy. A request for membership from Assiniboia, Sask., was turned down.

The executive of the Class B circuit will take action to secure some permanent arrangement with the federal government regarding the annual grant of $1,500 made to each of the fairs. The executive will meet Hon. W. R. Motherwell, federal Minister of Agriculture, at Saskatoon at an early date.

CHILDREN LIKE THEM

Baby's Own Tablets Are Effective and Easy to Give

You do not have to coax and threaten to get the little ones to take Baby's Own Tablets. The ease with which they are given, as compared with liquid medicines, will appeal to every mother. None is spilled or wasted; you know just how big a dose has reached the little stomach. As a remedy for the ills of childhood arising from derangement of the stomach and bowels they are most satisfactory.

Mrs. Rose Veyer, Willimantic, Conn., says:—"I used Baby's Own Tablets in the Canadian Northwest and found them a wonderful medicine for children's troubles, especially indigestion and constipation. I have also given them to my children for simple fever and the restlessness accompanying teething and they always gave relief. I can recommend Baby's Own Tablets to all mothers."

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

More Big Things Coming

Finality in producing new varieties in cereals and farm crops will not soon be reached. The expansion of agriculture and the receding frontier demand new characteristics and increased hardiness in varieties that plant breeders will continually strive to produce. Big things in Canadian agriculture have only just begun.—Farmers Advocate.

Two of the most beautiful stained glass windows in the famous "Little Church around the Corner" are dedicated to Joseph Jefferson and Richard Mansfield.

Travelers Should Carry Cuticura

Daily use of the Soap and Ointment removes the dust and grime of travel, allays irritation, redness and roughness of the face and hands and keeps the skin soft and clear under all conditions of exposure. Cuticura Talcum is fragrant, cooling and refreshing, an ideal toilet powder.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address 'Canadian Depot: "Stanbouse, Ltd., Montreal" Price, Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c.

Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

Refuse Import of Camels From Russia

Danger of Spreading Foot and Mouth Disease Says Minister of Agriculture

"Is it true that camels are to be imported from northern Russia for farm work in he west," was a question asked of the minister of agriculture, Hon. W. R. Motherwell, with regard to a despatch to this effect from Saskatchewan.

"Are the camels a-coming," said Mr. Motherwell, "from Russia, did you say? No, I think not. Much as we sympathize with the point of view of the group of farmers who are making the request for assistance in this matter, it would be detrimental to their interests as well as the interests of the whole country owing to the danger of bringing in foot and mouth disease.

"We wouldn't import four-footed live stock of any kind from northern Russia, cattle, horses or hogs for that matter, because of the prevalence there of foot and mouth disease."

Helping the Blind

Canadian National Institute for the Blind at Winnipeg Doing Good Work

A good work is being carried on by the Canadian National Institute for the Blind at 52 Gertie Street, Winnipeg. Employment is furnished many who are stricken with blindness in the making of useful articles that find ready sale. The blind-made goods are known as "Toucheraft Products," and are reliable as to quality of materials and workmanship. By buying from the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, you will help the afflicted in their fight against the greatest of all handicaps, despair because of blindness. Toucheraft letter baskets, picnic baskets, work baskets, jardinieres and numerous other articles are sold at moderate prices.

Must Be Standard Height

Men Forming Grenadier Guards Must Be Six Feet

The British army is attempting to build up the world's greatest physically fit army. Only sixteen out of every 100 recruits are accepted. The standard height for the Grenadier Guards has now been raised to 6 feet, and numerous other regiments are out to obtain taller soldiers. The physique of the army at the present time is claimed to be 30 per cent above that reached before the war.

She Has The Greatest Faith In Them

Says Mrs. Elliott of Dodd's Kidney Pills

Alberta Lady Strongly Recommends the Use of Dodd's Kidney Pills to all Sufferers.

South Edmonton, Alta., (Special).—"I have used your Dodd's Kidney Pills for a few years and for kidney and backache trouble they have worked wonders. I have great faith in them. I have great praise about them from a number of people in our district."

This statement comes from Mrs. Elliott, who resides at 9324 70th Ave. The relief that Mrs. Elliott found has come to thousands of other Canadian women through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

There are only a few people who appreciate the great importance of keeping the kidneys in good order at all times. The kidneys are the purifiers of your blood. If the kidneys become clogged with impurities they cannot perform their functions properly. The blood, instead of being purified, is poisoned, and in turn poisons the whole system, with the result that a condition may develop very serious.

Here is a law that never varies: No one is bigger than those he hates. When you outgrow them you stop hating them.

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

Snakes travel quickly on land and can swim even more readily in any depth of fresh water by a remarkable adaptation of the bones of the spinal column.

Relieve Asthma with Minard's Liniment.

"From the other end of the earth—

we would send for Zam-Buk," writes Mrs. J. C. Lemon of 1102. East Broadway, Glendale, Calif., U.S.A. "In Ontario 20 years back we used it and we took supplies on with us into Michigan. Now we have Zam-Buk sent on to California.

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"Zam-Buk has done good in so many instances in our family that I don't know how we would get along without it."

—We would send for Zam-Buk"

Whenever skin is cut, burnt, sore, inflamed or 'broken-out' in any way, Zam-Buk is always the safest and most soothing healer. Purely herbal 50c box 3 for $1-25 all dealers.

Jewish Farmers in West

Eight out of the fourteen Jewish farm colonies established in Canada are located in Saskatchewan, which has a bigger proportion of farmers among its Jewish population than any province or state in the World, with nearly 1,500 permanently settled on farms out of a total Jewish population of 5,400. In 1925 they marketed approximately 500,000 bushels of wheat.

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Don't let the children suffer Minard's with sweet oil will quickly relieve the pain.

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THERAPION No. 3

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CRESTON. B.C., FRIDAY, FEB. 11

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY.

Picayune Politics

Col. Fred Lister, member of the legislature for Creston riding, gets considerable publicity from the Nelson Daily News, and any time that the genial colonel has anything to say it is duly spread over the columns of the West Arm paper, with elaborate headings and all the trimmings. It matters not that the sayings attributed to Mr. Lister are trivial trash, the Nelson paper does delight in picayune politics. The endeavor is evidently to make Col. Lister a big and popular man, one that will be able to carry the Conservative standard to victory at the next election.

Just an instance or two: Last fall after months of heavy rains, the genial Fred is quoted in the Nelson News as saying that the roads were in deplorable condition, and a disgrace to the district. The inference was that the government was to blame. Any person with any sense or reason at all would have known that most roads, with the exception of those of a pavement type, would be in very bad shape after a month of heavy rainfall But, of course, instead of attaching the blame for the poor roads on the weather man, The Nelson Daily News and Col. Lister would like the people of the district to be persuaded that the Oliver government is responsible for the rainy weather that spoiled the roads.

And then look at the front page of the Daily News on Friday last! Two triple deck black headings—right on the front page, mind you too. The Colonel admits in the despatch that he likes his beer, but that the beer made in British Columbia is not worth drinking—not enough kick in it, we presume. Expert analysis, however, states that the beer is good beer.

Just another example of picayune politics.

Glance over a couple of columns still on the front page—and you will find out that the genial Colonel objects to the way the road work is done, and by whom it is done. He had no kick coming as to the amount that the government had allotted for road work in the riding, but he evidently felt that this money should be given into the hands of his good Conservative friends for the spending and that no one but Conservatives should be employed by the Liberal government. He objects strongly to the employment of political "heelers" as he terms them, and says that the money they spend is largely wasted. As a matter of fact, as most everyone knows, political patronage is pretty much a thing of the past, as far as road work is concerned, in the interior ridings close to Kaslo, at any rate. Look up almost any road gang and you will find that its members are equally divided as between Liberals and Conservatives—a great difference as compared with conditions prior to the election of the Liberal Government in 1916, when if you were not a member of the Conservative association it was next to impossible to get a job on government road work.

Col. Lister knows that it is impossible for any government to keep track of every little road gang in the province and see that a dollar's worth of work is given in return for a dollar bill. But he also knows, or at least should know, that things are much better the last few years in this connection than they were prior to 1916, when party heelers ran rampant. If two equally good men, one a Conservative, and one a Liberal, are open for a position that is to be filled by the Liberal government, Col. Lister should not raise any objection if the position was given to the Liberal. We had an idea that the genial Colonel was a better sport than that.

Why not take up the valuable time of the house, Fred, in something of a real constructive nature instead of your usual picayune criticisms?—Kaslo Kootenaian.

WANTED—Dressmaking at home. charges moderate. Mrs. J. Sherwood, Creston.

FOR RENT—At Erickson, three room bungalow, water on place. $7 month. Apply Holder, Erickson.

GRAIN FOR SALE—Wheat, $2.25 per 100 lbs. Oats, $2.10. These are in bulk, bring sacks. John Garfield, Lamont building, Creston.

GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

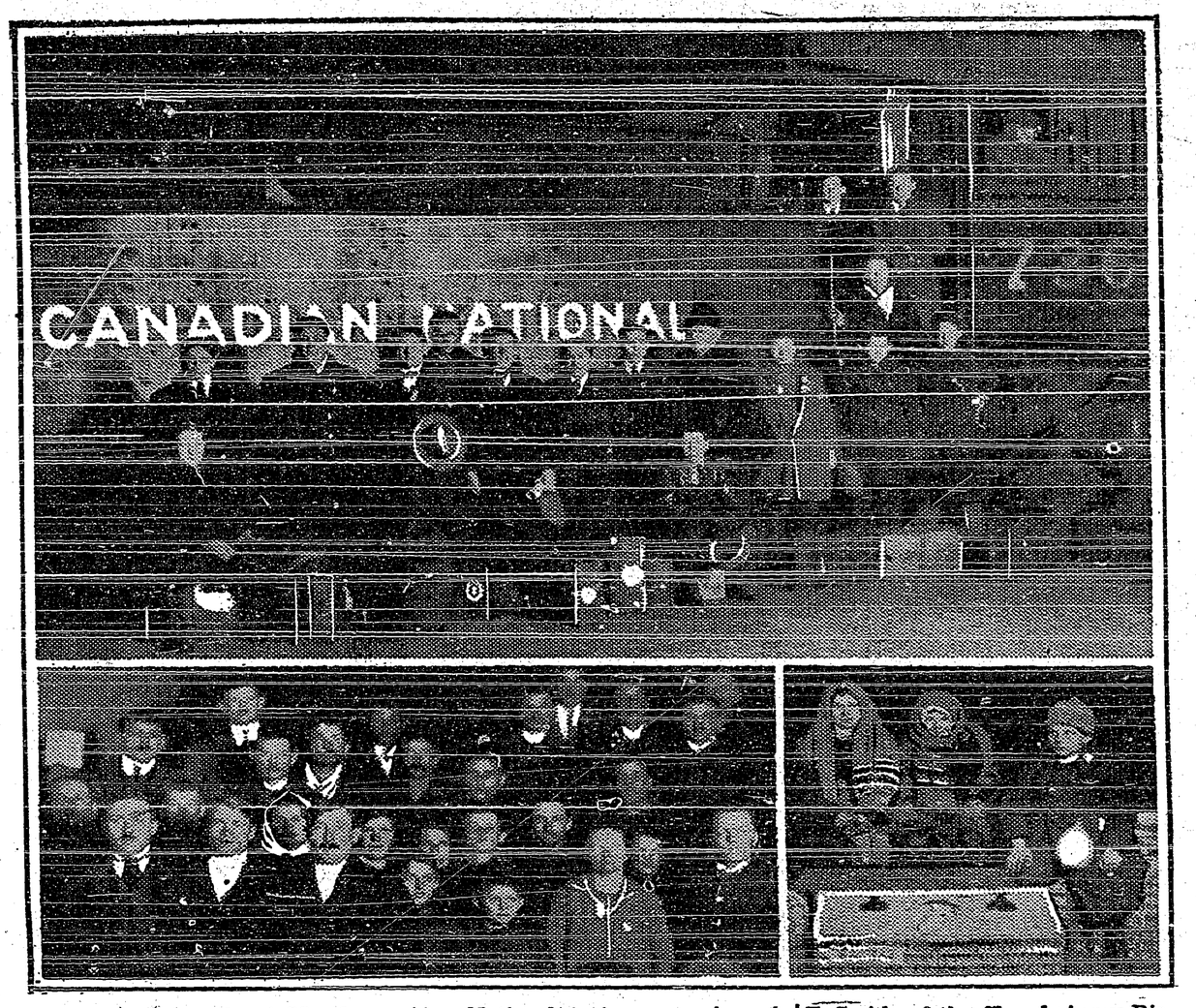
Notice of Application for Beer License

Notice is hereby given that on or after the 16th day of February next the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of the building known as the the Russel Hotel, situated at Kitchener, B.C., upon the lands described as Lot Ten in Block Eight, Townsite of Kitchener, Group One, Kootenay District, Nelson Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the open bottle for consumption on the premises.

Dated this 12th day of January, 1927.

JOE LANGLOIS, Applicant.

SETTLERS FOR WEST ARRIVE BY C.N.R. SPECIAL



THE first week of March saw the arrival of the advance guard of the heavy movement of immigrants to Canada anticipated for this spring, when six hundred Britishers and Europeans arrived at Winnipeg en route to their destinations in British Columbia and the prairie provinces. This number, arriving in the evening by special and regular Canadian National trains, were immediately re-ticketed and the majority left the same night for their new homes.

A party of fifteen English boys ranging from 13 to 17 years of age, is shown grouped around the engine that brought the immigration special into the Canadian National depot. Good homes on farms for each of these sturdy young lads had already been arranged by Capt. T. Smith, of the Church Army Distributing Home, Winnipeg, who is shown near the centre of the group.

Below, at the left, is a typical group of rugged Central Europeans, several hundred of whom were included in this contingent of settlers. At the right, three little new Canadians were delighted to have their pictures taken on top of the family baggage.—C.N.R. Photos.

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MINERAL ACT
FORM F

Certificate of Improvements

NOTICE

May Day and Pink Diamond Mineral Claims, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of Kootenay District.

Where located: About three miles from Ymir, B.C.

TAKE NOTICE that I, A. H. Green, acting as agent for Lewis Davies, Free Miner's Certificate No. 85624C, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Mining Recorder for a Certificate of Improvements, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant to the above claims.

And further take notice that action under Section 85, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 4th day of Janvary, 1927.

A. H. GREEN.

SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

Vacant, unreserved, surveyed Crown lands may be pre-empted by British subjects over 18 years of age, and by aliens on declaring intention to become British subjects, conditional upon residence, occupation, and improvement for agricultural purposes.

Full information concerning regulations regarding pre-emptions is given in Bulletin No. 1, Land Series, "How to Pre-empt Land," copies of which can be obtained free of charge by addressing the Department of Lands, Victoria, B.C., or to any Government Agent.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 3,000 feet per acre east of that Range.

Applications for pre-emptions are to be addressed to the Land Commissioner of the Land Recording Division, in which the land applied for is situated, and are made on printed forms, copies of which can be obtained from the Land Commissioner.

Pre-emptions must be occupied for five years and improvements made to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivating at least five acres, before a Crown Grant can be received.

For more detailed information see the Bulletin "How to Pre-empt Land."

PURCHASE

Applications are received for purchase of vacant and unreserved Crown lands, not being timberland, for agricultural purposes; minimum price of first-class (arable) land is $5 per acre, and second-class (grazing) land $2.50 per acre. Further information regarding purchase or lease of Crown lands is given in Bulletin No. 10, Land Series, "Purchase and Lease of Crown Lands."

Mill, factory, or industrial sites on timber land, not exceeding 40 acres, may be purchased or leased, the conditions including payment of stumpage.

HOMESITE LEASES

Unsurveyed areas, not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites, conditional upon a dwelling being erected in the first year, title being obtainable after residence and improvement conditions are fulfilled and land has been surveyed.

LEASES

For grazing and industrial purposes areas not exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or a company.

GRAZING

Under the Grazing Act the Provinces is divided into grazing districts and the range administered under a Grazing Commissioner. Annual grazing permits are issued based on numbers ranged, priority being given to established owners. Stock-owners may form associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits are available for settlers, campers and travellers, up to ten head.

PART V.

EDUCATION IN B.C.

By W. KELLY, B.A., Principal of Creston High School

Educational Finance

The survey commissioners admit that one of the most serious problems confronting them in their study of B.C. problems was that of educational finance. They met the problem at every turn in their survey for everyone who appeared before them had a common grievance and some had suggestions as to relief. The commission finally arrives at the conclusion that two radical reforms are necessary; 1. With regard to the distrubition of government aid, and 2. With finding new sources of income for school purposes.

Provincial Aid

Government aid for school purposes in B.C. is given solely on the basis of organization of municipality. Cities having a school population of two or three thousand do not receive the same aid as rural schools. The rate is determined by the number of pupils enrolled and the government aid is applied on the salaries of the teaching staff. Besides this goverment aid, each school district—except in the case of some assisted rural districts—a local assessment is made to augment the salaries and to provide maintenance of school property.

This sounds very reasonable at first glance but on an examination of the rates throughout the province we find a vast difference. A few comparisions will illustrate the point. In 1924 Ladysmith paid a school tax rate of 27 mills while Vancouver paid 8.28 mills, yet these two received government aid on the same basis. South Vancouver levied a 21.74 mill rate while the Delta District of the Fraser—separated only by the river—levied a rate of only 3.75 mills. The tax rate takes no account whatever of the ability of the community to pay, but only of the necessary levy. Comparing South Vancouver and the Delta we find the former a residential district populated by working men with small holdings while in the latter we have one of the most fertile and prosperous farming districts in Canadá. Yet South Vancouver was making six times the effort that Delta was making.

As a relief for ihis unequal distribution the Survey submits a suggestion that a district having property of an assessed value of $250,000 should undertake entire support of one class room including teacher's salary. On that basis government aid would be given only to those districts whose total assessable property value fell below the amount required to support the necessary school staff and for the portion of that amout in any district. For such districts and those whose total value was less than $250,000 the government should undertake support by means of an "Equalization Fund," to be discussed later. According to this means the government aid would be distributed on the basis of ability to pay as well as need. The inequalities of effort would not be eradicated but the responsibility would be thrown on the school district.

New Sources of Income

School taxes are levied in some cases on land alone and in others on all taxable property, including improvements. In some unorganized districts we find millions of dollars worth of private property contributing a mere trifle towards the support fo schools and other millions worth not paying anything to the treasury for this purpose. In all there are about $90,000,000 worth of private property in this last class. A government levy on this property at 4 per cent. would provide over $3,000,000. If education is to be undertaken by the state then why should this large part of the state escape taxation for that purpose. The proposed support from this source is to go for government support of schools through the equalization fund.

The Income Tax

It has been said here that education is recognized as a social rather than individual enterprise and also that at present most of the support for education is drawn from tax on real property or land. Hospitals insurance, public health, parks, water supply and numerous other undertakings are being socialized and as before, the burden of support is thrown on land. To distribute this burden more evenly and in hope that some small part may be diverted to education, the survey strongly urges "a tax of not less than 1 per cent. on incomes not now taxed of every male and female over 18 years." It is interesting to note that less than three weeks ago a bill was proposed in the provincial legislature for this very tax.

Educational finance then, has two aspects: (1) a fairer distribution of government aid, and 2. New sources of income.

FOR SALE—Strong democrat, reasonable. McKay blacksmith shop, Creston.

Anglican Church Services

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13

WYNNDEL—11 a.m.
LISTER—3 p.m.
CRESTON—7.30 p.m.

STEERS AND CALF ESTRAY

Estray since feeding time: One red steer 18 months old, and one red and white steer 18 months old—both branded 7D on left hip. Also red and white heifer calf, 7 or 8 months old, not branded. Reward to party giving information leading to recovery. J. W. DOW, Creston.

RED STEER ESTRAY

Came to the premises of the undersigned one red steer, coming two years old, no brands visible. Owner can have same on proving property and paying expenses. J.W.DOW, Creston.

Nelson Assessment District

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the Statutes, that all assessed taxes assessed and levied under the Taxation Act and Public Schools Act are due and payable on February 15th, 1927.

All taxes collectable for the Nelson Assessment District are due and payable at my office, Government Buildings, Nelson, B.C.

This notice, in terms of law, is equivalent to a personal demand by me upon all persons liable for taxes.

Dated at Nelson, B.C., this 2nd day of February, 1927.

W. J. STURGEON, Collector.
Nelson Assessment District.

Nelson Assessment District

Notice is hereby given that a Court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the Taxation Act and amendments thereof, and under the Public Schools' Act, for the Nelson Assessment District, respecting the assessment roll for 1927, will be held at the Provincial Assessor's Office, in the Courthouse, Nelson, on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1927, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JAMES O'SHEA,
Judge Court of Revision and Appeal, Nelson Assessment District.

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Survivors Of a Bygone Age

Newspapers throughout Canada recently printed accounts of a decision reached by the ratepayers and trustees of a school district in Ontario which is almost unbelievable in this day and generation. The little school house in this particular district is lighted by oil lamps, and, according to the teacher, for at least twenty-five days in the year the light is so poor the children can hardly see the blackboard. Under the circumstances a community club offered to pay the cost of the installation and maintenance of electric light, an offer which presumably the school district officials would be only too glad to accept.

On the contrary the offer was refused and the reason for refusal was that oil lamps were good enough years ago and consequently were good enough now; that, in a word, what was good enough for their fathers and grandfathers was good enough for their children and grandchildren.

If the ratepayers of this Ontario school district are consistent, one is forced to the conclusion that they still carry on their farming operations with hoes and rakes, hand sickles and scythes, scorning to use modern farm machinery; that they plod to town with a yoke of oxen, and utterly despise such new fangled notions as railway trains or automobiles; telephones, telegraphs and radio must be anathema to them.

Fortunately for Canada there are few people of the same mind as these Westminster township school ratepayers. It was not men of this type which built up this Dominion. Rather, the pioneers who came first into Eastern Canada and later pushed out over the almost limitless expanses of the prairies were men and women determined that, whatever hardships they had to undergo and put up with, their children and their children's children should be better off. They were most decidedly of the opinion that what was good enough for their grandfathers was not good enough for them, and the best was not a bit too good for their children. Consequently they conquered the virgin forests and the virgin prairie, made homes, constructed roads and railways, built cities, schools and universities, and made Canada what it is today.

This constant urge and striving for something better, this insatiable demand for development and improvement, is the glory of mankind, the distinguishing mark between man and the beasts. In it is to be found the secret of all progress. Without it the world would stagnate, deteriorate, and become irretrievably lost.

It may be that some of the younger generation of today are demanding too much; that they insist upon beginning life where their fathers left it; and expect ease and comfort and the rewards which labor alone can bring without expending the effort which all must make if they would really enjoy life and prosper in this world. But placing a proper restraint upon such ill-advised desires, and curbing such youthful folly, is an entirely different thing to depriving the children of today of the advantages with which science, invention, and years of enlightenment has blessed the world.

Apparently this little group of ratepayers and school trustees are not only willing to endanger the eyesight of their children but would condemn them to lead the same benighted, ignorant and unprogressive lives they apparently are content to live. We venture to predict the children will rebel and at the earliest possible moment break away from their home environment and launch out into the world of light, progress and advancement.

The surest guarantee of keeping the boys and girls in the old home district, and preventing them from flying off to the cities and other faraway fields presenting green lustre, is to make the old home surroundings as up-to date and attractive as possible, thereby providing a powerful rival to that other world which beckons. If parents and communities realize this and act accordingly, they will also find they have a great ally in the appeal which home always makes to every boy and girl.

The ratepayers and school trustees of Westminster township, Ontario, provide a horrible example of how not to do things.

Children Cry for

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Circle Sacred Places by Series of Prostrations

When Hindu pilgrims visit a sacred place they go around the spot by a continuous series of prostrations.

They carry a stone in their hands and when they drop on the ground they stretch their arms out as far as possible and leave the stone on the ground so as to measure their length.

Then they arise, walk the six or seven feet to the stone, and pick it up. Again they prostrate themselves, leave the stone, arise, and so on until they have returned to the starting point.

Many of the circuits are more than three miles in length, and it requires an entire day to make the whole trip.

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Wonderful is the process by which the chemistry of the body changes the food we eat into blood. And the whole of our well-being depends upon this being maintained day after day, year in and year out. Sometimes the process becomes faulty, and then food begins to poison the blood instead of feeding it. This is followed by all the pangs of indigeston, such as gas on the stomach, pains around the heart, often nausea after eating, and a dislike for all kinds of food.

The only way to overcome these troubles is to tone up the digestion so that you can assimilate all your food. To do this you have only to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. A short course of these pills will quickly tone up the stomach and banish indigestion. Here is a bit of convincing proof given by Mrs. Chas. Ladner, Ellerslie, P.E.I., who says:—"For some years I was a sufferer from stomach trouble. Everything I ate caused distress, sour stomach and belching. I could not eat meat or potatoes, and I grew weak and nervous. No medicine seemed to help me until I was persuaded to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and these simply worked wonders. I took the pills faithfully for a couple of months by which time every symptom of the trouble disappeared, and there has not since been the slightest symptom of stomach trouble. No wonder I praise Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

The Liquor Habit

Victims of this habit will be interested to learn that the celebrated treatment of the Normyl Association, of London, England, can now be obtained in Canada. This treatment which removes all craving for alcohol in a few days has, among other prominent people, been endorsed by Lord Northcliff, Lord Armstrong, Sir Charles Morrison-Bell, Sir Edward O'Malley, Sir Arthur Wilson, Sir Owen Seaman, The Primate of Ireland, The Bishop of Winchester, the Bishop of Chichester, Physicians, Magistrates, Church Institutions, and Press of Great Britain. Particulars regarding the treatment can be obtained from Mr. J. W. Dixon, 528 Strathmore Boulevard, Toronto 6, Ontario.

Paring a corn is both risky and ineffective. It is much better to use Holloway's Corn Remover and eradicate them entirely.

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Airdrome at Edmonton

The first municipal airdrome in Canada has been completed at Edmonton and the initial machines to use it came up from the Federal Government's big station at High River.

Overseas Bookings

For the convenience of overseas travellers, through tourist sleeping cars are being operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway each week from Winnipeg, to connect with steamers sailing from West St. John, N.B. These tourist cars assure connection and facilitate transfer from train to steamer, as they go direct to the ship's side. Any ticket agent of the Canadian Pacific will arrange overseas bookings and reservations on these cars.

Dance shoes are called pumps because of their association with the celebrated Beau Nash at the Pump Room in Bath, England.

It Testifies for Itself.—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil needs no testimonial of its powers other than itself. Whoever tries it for coughs or colds, for cuts or contusions, for sprains or burns, for pains in the limbs or body, well know that the medicine proves itself and needs no guarantee. This shows why this Oil is in general use.

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JAMES E. NAGLE, *Manager.*
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BRITISH AND CHINESE IN RACE FOR SHANGHAI

London.—The race for Shanghai, prize city of the Orient, is on between the British army and navy, and the Chinese Nationalists. The Cantonese conquest of the great international settlement at the mouth of the Yangtze, where 40,000 foreigners reside and many foreign refugees from all parts of China are now gathered and where the immense foreign trade interests of China are centred, must be accomplished within six weeks if the Cantonese are to avoid dealing with the British defence force of 20,000 men, who are hurriedly leaving or will soon leave English ports, Malta and India.

It is repeatedly emphasized by the British foreign office, however, that there will be no clash between the British and Cantonese unless British lives and property in Shanghai are endangered. The British defence force will make no effort to prevent the Cantonese from entering and occupying the city of Shanghai if they are strong enough to do so.

The British maintain that the question of the control of Chekiang province, right up to the limits of Shanghai's international settlement, is a problem to be settled by the attacking forces of General Chiang Kai Shek, commander of the Cantonese troops, and the defending army of Marshal Sun Chuan-Feng, ruler of Cheklang.

Should Shanghai itself be threatened either by actual fighting or by the rabble of a Chinese army, the British defence force, together with the Shanghai volunteer organization, and whatever forces Japan, United States nd France have available, would probably be employed along the 21-mile line, which would completely cut off Shanghai from the interior and render the city unassailable from Chinese attacks or occupation. This 21-mile line has been defended on previous occasions by volunteers and foreign detachments when Chinese civil war threatened the city.

Would Abolish Sales Tax

Ottawa.—Abolition of the government sales tax of 5 per cent. on all men's and women's wearing apparel was requested by a delegation representing Canadian wholesale and retail garment industries which waited upon Hon. J. A. Robb, minister of finance. Mr. Robb intimated that the request would be given consideration.

Population of Saskatchewan

Ottawa.—The population of Saskatchewan was 821,042 at the census taken on June 1 last. This is announced in a preliminary statement issued by the Bureau of Statistics. The result shows an increase of 63,532 over the census of 1921.

Ten Chinese Executed

Peking.—A telegram from Foochow says General Ho Ying-Ching, Cantonese commander there, arrested 200 Chinese connected with the recent anti-foreign rioting and executed ten of them.

Thinks India Should Help Protect Shanghai

"Times" of India Believes it Duty of Government

Bombay, India.—The view expressed by Nationalist newspapers that troops from India should not be sent to China, is not shared by the "Times" of India, which considers it the "plain, irresistible duty of the government" to secure the protection of the international settlement in Shanghai so long as that security depends upon existing treaties. "There is a large Indian community in Shanghai and very important Indian commercial interests there; it is just and proper that troops from India should share in this essential duty," the Times points out.

Talk of war with China is nonsense, in the opinion of the Indian Daily Mail, which says that protests against sending a contingent to China are not well advised, "since the prompt despatch of a contingent may prevent further aggravation of the conditions in China and promote a peaceful settlement."

Cannot Accept Contract

Boy Swimmer Would Not be Used in Picture Until May

Hollywood, Cal.—George Young, Canadian youth who won the $25,000 prize in the recent Santa Catalina channel swim, failed in his first attempt to break into the films and further capitalize his new fame.

Negotiations between Young and Famous Players-Lasky, in whose studio he recently underwent film test, were dropped when it was found it would be impossible for the producers to use the swimmer in a picture until May. Young's managers insisted the filming must start at once in order to release him for vaudeville tours.

The producers said Young's film tests showed the youth to have a "pleasing screen appearance."

Pool Wheat Via Western Ports

Huge Quantities of Grain Exported Via Vancouver and Prince Rupert

Vancouver.—The Alberta wheat pool has shipped nearly 8,000,000 bushels of grain from Vancouver this year to date and expects to move a total of approximately 20,000,000 bushels by the close of the season, George McIvor, sales manager of the pool, announced here.

From Prince Rupert the pool has shipped 3,500,000 bushels of grain, mostly to the United Kingdom, and expects to reach the 6,000,000 bushel mark before the season ends.

Butter From New Zealand

Montreal. — Twenty-five thousand boxes of New Zealand butter, each box weighing 56 pounds, will be landed at Halifax, N.S., by the steamship Arawa, some time around February 18. Montreal produce men here declared that due to the demands of the U.S. for Canadian cream and milk, the domestic butter supply was insufficient for the needs of Eastern Canada.

ONTARIO AGREES WITH QUEBEC ON THIS QUESTION

Toronto.—Complete agreement with the position taken by Premier Taschereau of Quebec to the effect that no changes should be made in the constitution of Canada without reference to the individual provinces was expressed by Premier Ferguson here.

"Mr. Taschereau is entirely correct in his view," said the premier. "The constitution is an agreement arrived at among the provinces as the result of a conference beween them. It would be essential that any amendments to it should similarly be submitted to all the provinces and receive their consent.

"Not only do we agree with what Premier Taschereau has said, Ontario herself would protest, and protest vigorously, if it were proposed to make any change in the constitution without consulting her."

'Flu Takes Toll in Britain

667 Deaths From Epidemic Are Reported in One Week

London.—A wintry spell last week has caused the recent epidemic of influenza, which has been prevalent in many parts of Europe, to tighten its grip on Great Britain, 667 deaths being reported in Britain for the week ending Jan. 26.

The official death roll in the county of London has shown a steady increase during the past three weeks, the figures being 72, 137 and 197. The reports from 105 large towns apart from London for the same period of time shows 172, 326 and 470 deaths.

In some of the poorer districts of London people have had to stand in line to obtain death certificates.

Hundreds of school teachers are ill while some small shops in the East End have put up their shutters and placed a notice on the door: "The whole family is ill of influenza. Will re-open when better."

Settle Wage Dispute

Thirty Thousand Rail Shopmen Affected by Scale Revision

Montreal.—Settlement of the wage dispute involving 30,000 rail shopmen on nine Canadian railroads was announced here by the Railway Association of Canada. The men asked for 10 cent an hour increase. Settlement was effected on a basis of increases between two and four cents an hour. The agreement is the result of negotiations which have been proceeding for some months between the Railway Association of Canada and Division No. 4, Railway Employees Department, American Federation of Labor, representing employees in railway shop trades. The revision of certain working conditions was also effected.

Ask for Exemption

Would Free Charitable and Educational Institutions From Income Tax

Ottawa.—Exemption of all contributions to charitable and educational institutions from taxation under the Federal Income Tax Act was requested by a deputation of prominent Canadian citizens which waited upon the government.

Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, who, with Hon. J. L. Ralston, Minister of National Defence, and Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of Customs, received the delegation, stated he would take the matter up with officials of his department and then lay the whole situation before his colleagues.

Included in the deputation were such prominent men as Sir Arthur Currie, Sir Lomer Gouin, Sir George Foster.

Sir Arthur Currie stated the deputation represented more than 400 Canadian institutions from coast to coast.

Big Colonization Plan

15,000 Settlers to be Located in Three Western Provinces This Year

Calgary.—Three thousand families, or roughly speaking, 15,000 people, are assured for settlement on the three prairie provinces during 1927, T. O. F. Herzer, manager of the Canadian Colonization Association, told the representatives of the various colonization boards when they met in conference here. Mr. Herzer explained that this meeting differed from other colonization conventions in that its object was not the attracting of settlers but to finding out how many of the 3,000 families, known to be coming to the West this year, could be taken care of in Alberta.

"Our purpose of meeting here," he said, "is to take an inventory now to find how many can be placed on land in this province on Canadian Pacific Railway land, on private land, rented land, and on Government-owned land."

Mr. Herzer emphasized the fact that there was no attempt to replace Canadians by "half-baked Europeans."

Election Was Unanimous

Captain D'Oisy Named World's Outstanding Aviator of 1926

Paris.—Captain D'Oisy, French aviator, who has distinguished himself with flights to French Indo-China, Russia and other parts of the world, has been named by the International League of Aviators as the world's outstanding aviator of 1926.

Sir Alan Cobham, of England, who made a round trip to Australia, was also named on the first ballot, but, D'Oisy's election later was made unanimous.

In England there is one telephone to 27 inhabitants, compared with one telephone to every seven in the United States.

SERVICE LEAGUE FOR SOLIDARITY OF THE EMPIRE

Winnipeg. — Momentous questions on Empire relations, immigration, soldier settlement and organization were cleared from the agenda before the national convention of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League.

The report on Empire relations, which was unanimously approved by the convention, calls for the adoption of a Dominion policy directed towards harmonious relationships within the British commonwealth of nations and that the solidarity of the Empire be assured by the exercise of practical measures of immigration, industry and education.

The report was described by one speaker as one of the most "notable documents" ever drawn up in the country. The committee responsible for its construction was composed of Dr. G. H. Wade, mayor of Hanna, Alta.; Brig.-General Sir Richard Turner, Quebec City; Brig.-General F. S. Meighen, Montreal; E. E. Spencer, Morden, Man.; and Col. J. McAra, mayor of Regina.

The outstanding recommendations of the report provide for:

Migration and land settlement within the Empire; development of Empire markets for all products; suppression of foreign literature and films whose influence is antagonistic to British ideals; development of the spirit of Empire among the people of the Dominion as an offset to dangerous foreign activities; introduction of text books in schools of British composition and manufacture; safeguarding of Empire contracts.

Another provision of the report stipulates that the Canadian Government be urged to enter negotiations with the British Government for an agreement under the Empire Settlement Act for as large a volume of suitable British settlers and as great an amount of British capital for development purposes as possible.

May Establish New Town

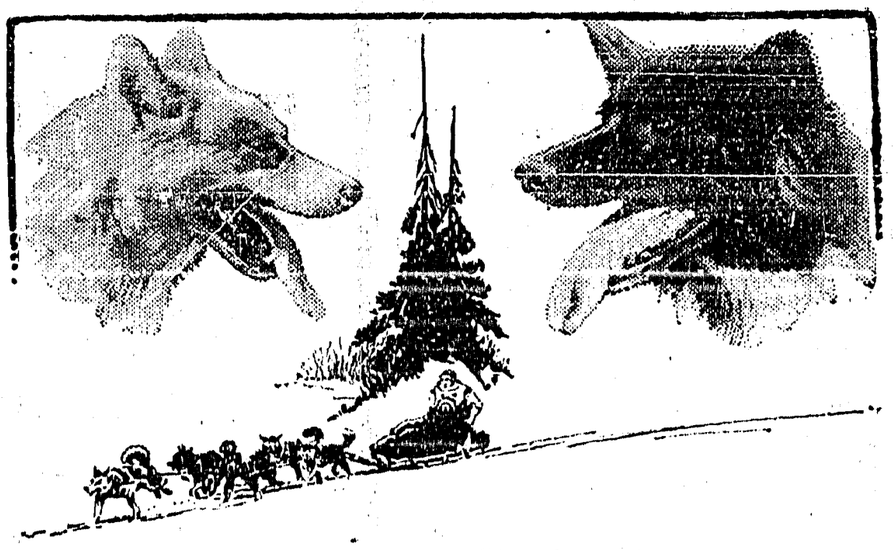
Paper Mill to be Erected on East Coast of Vancouver Island

Victoria, B.C.—Negotiations have been completed between Hon. T. D. Patullo, Minister of Lands, and James H. Lawson, attorney for the Crown Williamette Paper interests of San Francisco, as a result of which the development at a cost of $15,000,000 within five years of Campbell River Falls on the east coast of Vancouver Island will be immediately undertaken. The first unit will be a 200-ton paper mill, but power sufficient for eventually supplying a mill capable of manufacturing 1,000 tons of newsprint a day is said to be available.

Contemplated development will lead to establishment of a new town of 4,000 to 10,000 persons in the central region of the island it is stated.

The Canadian Crown Williamette Company, Limited, was incorporated here at $5,000,000 as a subsidiary to the Crown Williamette Paper Company, which already is operating four other paper mills on the Pacific Coast.

Dog Stars of the Chateau Team



Whether or not the cameraman chased these huskie dogs over the countless miles of snow he claims in order to catch them with their tongues hanging out and out of breath is hard to tell. There is no denying however that he has obtained an admirable set of pictures. The victims of the chase are: at the left, "Jeff," and "Fang" at the right, two of the seven huskies of he Chateau Frontenac Dog Team. This team is led by "Mountie," a veteran with a romantic record of service in the far north, with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

The above classic canine study in black and white is representative in real life of a heavy strain of wolf blood, "Hootch" the mother of these prized dogs is half wolf. Visitors to the Chateau Frontenac for the winter sports season take never-ending joy out of their thrilling rides behind the Chateau team, being driven by Arthur Beauvais, an experienced musher. February 21, 22 and 23, Quebec will be the scene of the Eastern International Dog Derby, a gruelling 120-mile event in which some of the outstanding dog-teams in America numbering over 20, will be entered.

Fifty-Eighth Annual Meeting of The Royal Bank of Canada

The fifty-eighth annual general meeting of The Royal Bank of Canada, held at the head office, marked the close of a very successful year and was attended by a large gathering of shareholders.

Several announcements of special interest were made both by Sir Herbert Holt, president, and C. E. Neill, general manager. In his address, Sir Herbert Holt gave a complete review of the outstanding features of the growth in Canada's trade and industry and took the view that during the past year there had been steady and substantial improvement in almost every department of Canada's business life.

Discussing the necessity of the reducing of all taxes, Sir Herbert said: "What Canada needs is to follow the example set by the United States in the reduction of all taxes and in the cost of government, so that by economies due to the efficiency of administration we may secure a substantial reduction in the total burden of taxation rather than a change of incidence. Canada has frequently shown that she is not without courage in facing her economic problems, and there are indications that a bold co-operative policy of administrative economy on the part of all governments would meet with strong public approval and support."

C. E. Neill, general manager, gave a number of interesting particulars of the Bank's growth and expansion during the year. Of special import was the increase of $6,904,587 in commercial loans in Canada. This reflected business activity arising from the country's growing prosperity.

Referring to the constructive co-operation the Bank had been in a position to give towards the development of Canada's foreign trade, Mr. Neill said in part:

"Since this bank first commenced to establish branches abroad over twenty-five years ago, we have acquired an intimate knowledge of many foreign markets. We have done our utmost to use this knowledge for the benefit of Canadian trade by placing foreign buyers in touch with our exporters and locating advantageous sources of supply for Canadian importers. The Managers of our foreign branches are familiar with Canadian products, and it goes without saying that our opportunities to be of service have been numerous, more particularly since the majority of our foreign branches are located in countries which are not competitors of Canada, but rather buyers of our products and suppliers of our necessities. I know that during this past quarter of a century we have been able to facilitate the movement of Canadian goods to the extent of many millions of dollars.

Discourages Return of Missionaries to China

Cable Advises Any Now in America Not to Sail

Toronto.—A cable received by the Toronto headquarters of the China Inland Mission from the Shanghai mission house, makes reference to the troubles in China and discourages the return of missionaries now in America. The cable was received in reply to a message sent to Shanghai asking advice regarding the sailing of Mr. and Mrs. Seaman from Vancouver on February 26. Mr. and Mrs. Seaman, who are Australians, have been spending a furlough in Canada and the United States.

To Visit B.C.

Victoria, B.C.—Word was received at Government House that their Excellencies the Governor-General of Canada and Lady Willingdon will leave Ottawa on March 19, direct for Victoria, arriving here on March 21. They will spend a few days in this city as the guests of Lieut. Gov. Bruce.

Doing any Decorating?

If you are intending to do any interior or exterior decorating this season we would like to remind that this store can supply your needs in Paints or interior finishes.

In Paints for the House, Barn, or Implements our stock is complete

in all the wanted colors and can sizes. These are all brand new goods and we have no hesitation in recommending the quality. Our prices are always right.

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FERTILIZERS—We are now booking orders for Fertilizer and would be glad to know what quantity you will be requiring. Get in on the car lot shipment and save considerable on freight.

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Local and Personal

PIGS FOR SALE—Six weeks old, $7 each. J. B. Rudd, Wynndel.

FOR SALE—Two lots with 4-room house. Apply W. Eisher, Creston.

BIRTH—On February 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Joyce, a daughter.

Jas. Cook was a visitor with Nelson friends a few days this week, leaving on Sunday.

WANTED—500 used feed sacks, must be no holes John Garfield, Lamont Bldg., Creston.

Mr. and Mrs M. J. Boyd were Spokane visitors at the first of the week, leaving on Monday.

The subject of the address at Christ Church on Sunday evening will be "The Clash of Color."

W. P. Stark is spending a few weeks with his family at Victoria, leaving for the capital last week.

LOST—Yale lock key, in Creston, on February 5th. Finder please return to Review Office. Reward.

R. B. Staples returned on Friday last from a business visit at Kelowna and other Okanagan points.

C. O. Rodgers was a business visitor at Calgary, Alberta, the fore part of the week, returning on Wednesday.

POTATOES—The best potatoes for the table, Grade A, Netted Gem, $2 per 100 lbs. R. Sinclair-Smith, Creston.

Christ Church Ladies' Guild announce an afternoon whist at the Parish Hall Wednesday, Feb. 16th, 3 to 5 p.m.

LAND FOR SALE—Ten acres of real good land. Half-acre set out in different kinds of fruit. J. G. Wearmouth, Canyon, B.C.

GRAND THEATRE SATURDAY, Feb. 12

REGULAR PRICES

Miss Edith and Verne Cook left last week on a holiday visit with relatives in Spokane and Washington state points.

Presbyterian Ladies' Aid are having a Valentine Cafetria Tea at the home of Mrs. Henderson, Saturday, Feb. 12th, 3 to 5 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and family have just arrived from Alberta and have taken the Adlard town property on a one year lease.

Have you heard the new Brunswick "Panatrope" needle, it is a wonder, plays six records each, 35c per hundred at V. Mawson's.

The meeting of the Presbyterian W.M.S. will be held next Tuesday, February 15th, at the home of Mrs. Brown. All ladies welcome.

POTATOES—4 tons of good eating potatoes for sale, $1.50 per 100 lbs., with rebate on ton lots. A. G. Cox, Vaness Ranch (Alice Siding), Creston.

Miss Ross of Vancouver is the new vice principal of Creston public school, arriving from Vancouver at the first of the month to take charge of Division 2.

Collections at the provincial office for January were in the neighborhood of $1300, of which amount $1006 was for motor licenses. $34 of dog tax has been collected to date.

Lutheran service will be held at Creston on Sunday, Feb. 13th, at 7.30 p.m., at the residence of G. Nickel. There will be service at the church at Wynndel on Feb. 11th, at 7.30 p.m.

FOR SALE—Lots 6 and 7, Block 29, Fourth Street, Creston. On the property is a vacant building formerly used as the Mormon Church. Going cheap. Apply W. O. Taylor, Creston.

Miss Blanche Hendren, who has been on the telephone central staff at Cranbrook for the past nine months, has resigned that position, and is at present at Creston on a visit with her parents.

FOR SALE—Pair young and sound horses, weigh about 2300 lbs., good workers. Horses, harness, sleighs, whiffletrees, neckyokes, all for $135. Will make a good farm team. C. O. Rodgers, Creston.

Shareholders of Creston Valley Co-Operative Association have just received the 1926 balance sheet and notice of the annual meeting, which is called for Saturday afternoon next, February 19th, at Speers' Hall.

The district looks to be in for another five weeks of winter. The bear made his appearance in ancient form on February 2nd, but having seen his shadow has gone back for another six weeks' snooze.

The village commissioners sat as an assessment roll court of revision on Tuesday morning at the courthouse. There were only three minor appeals and the consideration shown will result in about a $4 decrease in taxes.

The children of town are reminded of the "Motto Party" in the Parish Hall, Friday, February 18th, at 7.30 p.m. Admission 25 cents. Prizes will be given for the best printed or painted motto or proverb, on a card 9 x 6 inches.

The village council meets in February session on Monday night, and a definite announcement should be forthcoming at this meeting as to what the commissioners are considering doing in connection with electric light.

A. L. Palmer of the Premier Garage was a Cranbrook visitor last weekend where he was attending a conference of the Chevrolet dealers in East Kootenay. Some of the higher ups of the general sales staff were in attendance.

Word from the hospital at Nelson indicates that Mrs. Hopwood is making a satisfactory recovery from the operation for appendicitis, which she underwent on February 3rd. It will be another week, however, before she will be able to return.

Creston Board of Trade was one short of having a quorum for the February meeting on Tuesday night and the organization is still without a president as it was impossible to elect a successor to S. A. Speers, who resigned that position.

Miss Ida Gamache is a Cranbrook hospital patient at present, where she is being treated for a badly crushed right ankle, sustained in a sledding mishap on Fourth Street hill Thursday night last. Latest reports are that the injured leg is mending very satisfactorily.

Musical monologues, humorous and dramatic stories, and classical and modern character sketches feature the varied programme Miss Elsie McLuhan, the well known Canadian entertainer, will present at Trinity United Church on the evening of Thursday, February 24th, at which the admission is 50 and 25 cents.

To-night's attraction is a masquerade carnival at the skating rink, commencing at 8 o'clock, and for which five prizes will be given: Best dressed lady and gent; best lady and gent comic, and best skating couple in costume. The admission is 25 cents to spectators, and 50 and 25 cents to adult and juvenile skaters.

The non-appearance of the Review last week is due the fact that unexpected developments in connection with Reclamation Company affairs necessitated a trip to Victoria, and as it was impossible to get back in time to issue a paper we took occasion to make our annual call on Dr. Anthony, the well known Spokane eye specialist.

The annual election of Group Leaders in Trinity United Y.P.D. was held on Thursday last. Those retiring were Misses Edith Cook and Violet Morrow, and Herb Lewis and Verne Cook. Those who will have charge for the remainder of the year are: Misses Annie Smith and Lily Lewis, and Lloyd Cartwright and Fred Burnett.

Christ Church A.Y.P.A. were at home to the other town churches at a masquerade in the Parish Hall on Monday night last. There was quite a large turnout and a fine time was had at amusements of various sorts, with a midnight supper. The winners of the best costume prizes were Gladys Webster as a "French Peasant," and Isobel Burhett as a "Mexican Cow puncher."

In his annual report to the department at Victoria public school inspector Manning makes the following interesting observation: "Entrance examinations were held at ten centres and the results show a marked improvement in the passing of rural school pupils those from Erickson, Wycliffe, Creston, Waldo, Superior, Lister and Canyon City schools doing particularly well."

The C.G.I.T. girls of Trinity United Church were in charge of the service on Sunday evening, with Miss Clematine Marshall presiding. The lesson was read by Laura Holmes. Mary Goodwin gave a talk on what the C.G.I.T. means to British Columbia. Margaret Fraser and Madeline Putnam gave talks on "What the C.G.I.T. means to me." Recitations were given by Marion Burnett and Stella Herdman.

About a dozen tables of players participated in the whist given by the Women's Institute in the Parish Hall on Wednesday night for members and their escorts, with the high score prizes going to Miss Beth Putnam and Geo. Cartwpight, and the consolation honors to Mrs. F. Knott and Harry Miller. A sumptuous lunch was served and during the evening vocal numbers were contributed by Misses Winnie Palfreyman and Muriel Knott, and W. J. Truscott.

Anglican Church Services

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13

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