

# THE CRESTON REVIEW

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## Sirdar

Gardening is well under way at Sirdar, which would indicate that this district is at least a week earlier than other points in the Valley.

Alice Siding's claim to have had the first Easter billies—picked on April 1st—is about two week old. At Sirdar these flowers have been gathered for almost the past four weeks. Daffodils were in full bloom in the section house garden on the 7th.

Mrs. Mawson, who is at Kuskanook, and Mrs. Loasby were Creston callers on Friday last.

Jeffrey Foster, night operator at Sirdar, was at Creston last Saturday, attending the wedding his sister to Mr. Millar of Kitchener, which took place at Christ Church.

Rev. S. Newby was a motor visitor here on Saturday last and announces that he will have Easter service at Sirdar on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Geo. Sawyer of Creston has jented the Geo. Jansen place at Kuskanook, and has already taken possession of the ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Rodgers of Creston were motor visitors at Kuskanook on Sunday where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mawson.

The first tourist autoist eastbound passed through here yesterday, en route from Vancouver to Edmonton, Alberta.

Mrs. Goodman and Miss Lily Wilson of Cranbrook arrived on Sunday. The former is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Proctor, while Miss Wilson is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wilson, at the Grey Royal granite quarry.

Sirdar is a hive of industry this month with no less than five extra gangs with boarding cars at this point. The latest crew to come in is a paint crew that will make Sirdar look like a brand new terminal by the time they have completed their labors.

## Alice Siding

Mrs. Webster and her father, Mr. Bailey, who have been holidaying at Vancouver for the past month, arrived home on Monday.

Fred Taylor, who has been working in the Cranbrook section all winter, is home for a visit with his family at present.

Alice Siding was invaded by many Creston young people in quest of Easter billies on Sunday.

The community Sunday school is now meeting every Sunday afternoon in the Alice Siding schoolhouse, and Mrs. Martin, supervisor, wishes to

## CHRIST CHURCH CRESTON

### Good Friday and Easter Services

#### Good Friday—April 15

10 a.m.—Children's Service.  
11 a.m.—Matins, Ante-Communion, Sermon.  
3 p.m.—Evening Prayer.  
8 p.m.—United Service in Parish Hall.

#### Saturday, April 16

7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Ad dress, "My Bursum Corda."

#### Easter Day—April 17

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
10:15 a.m.—Children's Service (gifts of eggs).  
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer, Sermon, Holy Communion.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Prayer, Sermon, Te Deum.

express her appreciation to the trustees for allowing the use of the schoolhouse. The school is well attended, some Sunday's seeing a turnout of 35.

Cultivation and other spring work are in full swing this week, and at the Parkin ranch Bill Vaness has the contract to stump and break an acre to be set out to berries.

The roads in this section are getting a very thorough overhauling with tractor and grader this week, with the veteran W. A. Pease handling the motive power. Travelling is very much improved.

Mrs. John Miller was hostess to the afternoon Bible Study Class on Thursday afternoon, with Miss Morgan in charge, and Miss George leading the musical features, and the usual social hour that was very fully appreciated.

The Rose ranch made a notable addition to its dairy herd on Friday last when delivery was taken of three head of milch cows—two of them purebred Ayrshires, which came in from the West.

The Social Club had times masquerade on Friday night was a great success in every way, attracting an attendance of at least twenty-five couples. The judging was done by Mrs. Kelly, Victor Carr and Jack Smith, who placed the awards as follows: Hardest dressed gent, Heu. Stewart; lady, Miss Vera Rhodes. Hardest comics Jennie and Bob Marshall. There was a fine supper and the fun was kept up till 3 a.m.

## Canyon City

Guy Browell was renewing acquaintances here for a few days last week en route to Lethbridge, Alberta, where he will be located for the present.

W. Cook, who is working on the power development project at Bonington, is home for a few days this week.

Miss Ester Staples left at the middle of the week for Red Deer, Alberta, where she will make a few weeks' visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Barnhardt of Glenlily and Mrs. Anderson of Goatfell are visitors here this week, with Mr. and Mrs. Knott.

W. Ridd arrived home at the end of the week from the Lacombe, Alberta, district, where he has been in charge of a sawmill for the past few months.

Stanley Watson of Creston was here a couple of days this week making delivery of nursery stock purchased last fall. The quantity left here was larger than would be expected under present conditions.

The movie show and dance at the community hall on Saturday night attracted a large turnout, the children being there in full force. Two comics and a feature film, "The Beggar Maid" were shown, and the Miss Muriel Knott-Mawson-Davie-Kolthammer quartette furnished music for the film, as well as the dance, which ended before midnight.

Canyon baseball club has been organized for the 1927 season with Clifford Vance as manager; J. Nayguard, captain, and Jock McRobb, jr., secretary of the club. The Fleming field will be used again this year, and as busy a season as 1926 is looked for.

There was a large turnout here on Friday night for the meeting called by Alf Nelson, at which he submitted a marketing plan to take care of selling the fruit as well as other farm products through a chain of retail stores that he assures is amply financed. Col. Fred Lister, M.P.P. had been invited to attend, and spoke briefly on the new marketing legislation.

Authoritative announcement has just been made from Victoria that a bounty of 15 cents a bird will be paid up till June first on crows and magpies. Proof of destruction must be made with the provincial police by depositing a leg and a right wing. In 1926 almost \$150 were paid out here mostly on crow bounty—and to the Indians largely.

## CORPORATION OF THE Village of Creston

### Clean-Up Day

All owners, agents of owners, and tenants of property within the boundaries of the Village of Creston are hereby notified that

### Wednesday, APRIL 20th

has been proclaimed Clean Up Day on which date all yards and premises must be put in clean and sanitary condition.

All refuse (except ashes) placed in cans, boxes, or other receptacle, and set out handy to street or lane will be taken away free of charge by Village teams the following day—21st.

By order.

W. O. TAYLOR, Clerk  
Creston, April 12, 1927.

## April Session Village Council

Receiving a Women's Institute-Board of Trade delegation and discussing with them the Confederation Jubilee celebration on July 1st, and the reading of a voluminous correspondence on electric light matters, which were from sundry firms and gentlemen wishing to install, in whole or in part, the town's plant, as well as operate same, took up most of the time of the April meeting of the village commissioners Monday night, with Chairman McCreath in charge.

The July 1st celebration committee was made up of Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Murrell and Mrs. Staples from the Institute, and Messrs. Mallandaine, C. F. Hayes and A. L. Palmer from the board of trade. Mrs. Stevens and Major Mallandaine spoke in some detail of the proposed observance of the diamond jubilee of confederation and asked that a substantial grant be made to help finance the undertaking which would bring in a large influx of visitors from Sirdar to Kitchener. Very serious consideration was promised the request.

C. O. Rodgers wrote the council asking that the agreement between the village and himself for the electric light supply be signed at the earliest possible date, so that he could go ahead with ordering the needed equipment. The agreement is now being prepared and will be ready for execution very shortly.

Wednesday, April 20th, was proclaimed clean up day and this year

## Cafeteria Tea

and  
Sale of Home Cooking  
and Candy

St. Stephen's Tennis Club are having a Tea, with Sale of Cooking and Candy at MRS. HENDERSON'S, on

## Sat'y, April 23

9.00 to 5.30 p.m.

Everybody Welcome!

the commissioners decided to put teams on the rounds the following day to haul off, free of charge, all refuse (except ashes) that property owners wish removed—provided the refuse is placed in boxes or cans and set out handy to the street or lane.

Spring repair work on the roads, particularly, was undertaken last month and in consequence the March payroll and other bills totaled \$523, all of which were scrutinized and ordered paid.

## Kitchener

B. Johnson was a business visitor at Cranbrook at the end of the week, getting back on Friday.

Martin Byrne of Creston was here on business on Friday, coming in from Cranbrook, and leaving for home Saturday.

Mrs. E. Driffl was a visitor with her sister, Mrs. Young, at Creston on Friday and Saturday.

The Tourist restaurant opened for business on Sunday.

C. Neligh and E. West of the Leadville mine motored to Lewiston, Idaho, Sunday.

Andy Wickholm and daughter, Myrtle, of Canyon, were motor visitors here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamptree, who had rooms at the Russell House, have just moved to the Paulson mill.

Miss Mary Haptonstall of Creston was another weekend visitor here.

Jim Sonia made a business trip to Fernie on Friday.

Continental Lumber & Pole Company are busy pulling down their shacks near the river at the mill, and putting them on their lots in town. This is giving temporary employment to a small crew of men.

E. B. McFarlane and O. Foley made a business trip to Creston on Monday. Robt. Burns of Canyon was a between trains business caller on Saturday.

A. G. Strudwicke, president of Leadville Mining Company, was down from the works on Friday.

Misses Clara Hunt and Mildren Andeen, who are attending high school in Creston, spent the weekend at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Haptonstall of Fort-hill motored to Kitchener on Sunday on a business call. Miss Rophina Androssoff was another weekend visitor from Creston, a guest of Miss Polly Androssoff.

George Wickholm of Canyon was a weekend guest of Master Richard Molander.

Elwood Merritt left for Vancouver on Monday.

Rev. Mr. Janzow of Nelson was here on Monday.

Omer Geroux spent the weekend on a business visit at Creston, getting back on Monday. Angus Cameron and Ray McKelvey of Creston motored in on Monday on a business call.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Millar of Yaha have taken up residence at the Sash & Door mill, arriving on Saturday.

Harry Spence, manager of the Sash & Door Company, Limited, spent the weekend with his family at Cranbrook.

## Huscroft School Report

Miss Hobden, principal of the Huscroft school, has issued the following report of the pupils' standing for March. Proficiency: Grade 1—Rupert Bohmer, Vergene Bohmer. Grade 2—Thomas Tedford, Alex. Demchuk. Grade 3—Margaret Huscroft, Waddy Huscroft. Grade 4—Marjorie Tedford, Arthur Hurry. Grade 5—Minnie Huscroft, Olyde Huscroft. Grade 7—Dolly Tedford, Arthur Demchuk. Grade 8—Pearl Huscroft. Perfect attendance—Rupert Bohmer, Vergene Bohmer, Alexander Demchuk, Zenta Demchuk, Dora Huscroft, Margaret Huscroft, Minnie Huscroft, Pearl Huscroft, Waddy Huscroft, Dolly Tedford, Marjorie Tedford.

## Wyndel

Wyndel Co-Operative Fruit Growers Association has just taken delivery of a car load of fertilizer, which is being distributed to the ranchers here.

R. Uri and family are just home from Arrow Park, where they have been visiting for some weeks, and he has made a start on spring work on the ranch.

The final meeting of the K.K. Klub for this season was held on Wednesday last. The order of the evening was whist melee and dancing. The whist winners were Miss Leah Wittman and E. Ringheim.

Andrew Backman was a business visitor at Wyndel on Thursday and Friday last.

Mrs. Victor Johnson returned from Nelson on Friday.

Alex. Cameron, who has spent the winter at Coleman, Alberta, got back on Friday to take charge of the ranch for the next few months.

Miss A. Hooke of Spokane is spending her Easter vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Grady.

Miss M. Crawford of Creston was a visitor here last week, the guest of Mrs. Foxall.

Rev. Mr. Janzow of Nelson was here on Friday, taking Lutheran service here on Friday. Rev. S. Newby of Creston was another clerical caller the same day. Rev. J. Herdman will be here for United Church services at 3 p.m., 17th.

Mr. Hulme has just about completed his poultry house, and is expecting his start on 200 baby chicks to arrive any day now.

Repair work is being done at the Winlaw sawmill, which would indicate an early start at sawing, and with the big cut of logs this winter the plant will have a longer run than usual.

Wyndel strawberries are showing good growth, and in some of the fields the mulching is already removed.

A. Anestad and O. Ofner returned home on Sunday from Harrop, where they have been trapping all winter. They report a successful season.

A general meeting of the tennis club was held on Monday. Everyone is looking forward to an active season at this sport.

The youths who broke into Mr. Hindley's house two weeks ago were up for trial at Creston on Monday, when they were each fined \$1 and costs and given a very timely talk on law observance by Magistrate Mallandaine.

The well known Rondel Jazz Boys' orchestra will play for the dance in the old schoolhouse on Saturday night, 16th. The baseball club is staging the affair. Gents 75c., ladies 50c., which includes supper.

## Bridge Whist and Dance

An evening of Bridge Whist and Dancing under the auspices of the Women's Conservative Club will be held in the

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## Friday, April 22

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**WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD**

Hitchhills have been quite numerous in Ontario. During the past three years a single customs and excise preventive officer has searched 86 stiffs.

The bill restricting polygamy which is shortly to come before the Egyptian chamber is encountering strong opposition among Moslems, says a Cairo despatch to the Daily Mail.

A government bill is to be introduced in the House of Commons to reduce the postage rate on Canadian daily and weekly newspapers from one and one-half cents to one cent.

A British proposal to extend army limitation to trained reserves was rejected as impracticable by the delegates of France, Japan and Belgium at the preparatory commission for a disarmament conference.

Archbishop Emard for the past five years head of the Roman Catholic diocese of Ottawa is dead. The aged prelate succumbed to a severe intestinal disorder which he had suffered for a great time.

**A Household Medicine.**—They that are acquainted with the sterling properties of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the treatment of many ailments would not be without it in the house. It is truly a household medicine and as it is effective in dealing with many ordinary complaints it is an inexpensive medicine. So, keep it at hand, as the call for it may come most unexpectedly.

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Minard's Liniment soothes tired feet.

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All druggists. Tablets or liquid. Send 10 cents to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory, Bridgeport, Ont., if you wish a trial package of either.

**Will Attempt Flight Over Mount Everest**

Airman Holding French Height Record Will Use Special Plane

Jean Callizo, the French airman who holds the French height record of 41,811 feet, made in France last August, has sailed for India with a special aeroplane to attempt to fly over Mount Everest.

M. Callizo has obtained the permission of the British-Indian authorities to start from land in British territory and the assistance of one of the British air stations has been promised. He will take the plane out with him by sea and fly from Bombay to Simla, from where he will attempt the flight over the world's biggest mountain, which towers 29,002 feet over the Indian plain.

M. Callizo is taking with him a photographer and will make a special effort to obtain photographs of the unexplored top of the mountain which will serve as a guide for any future attempt like the Bruce expedition to reach the summit on foot. He expects to make the flight about the end of May or the beginning of June.

**BABY'S HEALTH IN THE SPRING**

Can Best be Guarded With Baby's Own Tablets

The Spring is a time of anxiety to mothers who have little ones in the home. Conditions make it necessary to keep the baby indoors. He is often confined to overheated, badly ventilated rooms and catches colds which rack his whole system. To guard against this a box of Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in the house, and an occasional dose given the baby to keep his stomach and bowels working regularly. This will prevent colds, constipation or colic and keep baby well. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**Winnipeg Newspaper Union**



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Popcorn popped over glowing wood-coals drenched with melted butter and served hot to astonished Czecho-Slovakians was the central feature of the Spring Sample Fair.

Popcorn has never before been seen in this country. The popping is superintended by Albert Baldwin, American commercial attaché, who also introduced at the fair exhibits of numerous other novel products among which are listed a folding bed, automatic extinguishers, novel automobile parts, road novelties and a tiny two and one-half horse-power motor which a child can carry.

Goods from all European countries are shown at this exposition.

Holloway's Corn Remover takes the corn out by the roots. Try it and prove it.

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Among immigrants landing at Halifax recently were 114 single men who had been trained on a model farm in the British Isles to prepare them for agricultural life in Canada.

Each of the men had been given two pounds to see them through the first few days in the Dominion. It was discovered, however, that the newcomers had spent the money before embarking and they were held by emigration authorities. The difficulty was solved when the British Government cabled the necessary funds to make up the shortage. In future the money will be given to the immigrants when they land.

**Could Not Sleep Heart and Nerves Were So Bad**

Mr. Geo. Meek, Windsor, Ont., writes:—"I suffered with my heart and nerves and could not sleep at night for noises in my head. I managed to keep at my work somehow, until I began to have dizzy spells which got so bad I could not go to my work. I was afraid to go out any place, for very often I would stagger on my feet, and everything in front of me would turn black and fade away. While I was home sick a friend told me to take I got four boxes and by the time I had used them the pains and noises in my head ceased and I was able to get a good night's rest. Although that was six years ago I have never been troubled with that complaint again."

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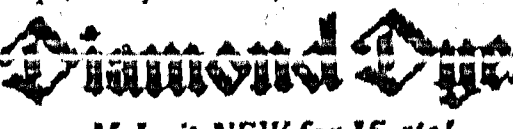


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**SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON**

APRIL 10

**PETER'S LESSON IN TRUST**

Golden Text: Be of good cheer; it is I; be not afraid.—Matthew 14:27.  
Lesson: Matthew 14:22-33.  
Devotional Reading: Psalm 91:1-10.

**Explanations and Comments**

1. Peter Sees the Power of Jesus, verses 22-27.—After the feeding of the Five Thousand the disciples sympathized with the desire of the multitude to make Jesus King, and were loth to leave the spot until he constrained them. He bade them enter the boat and cross to the other side of the Sea of Galilee while he remained behind to disperse the crowd. When the crowd had departed, Jesus went up the mountain to pray. John tells us that Jesus, perceiving that they were about to come and take him by force to make him king, withdrew again into the mountain himself alone (John 6:12).

"Jesus was not always going about doing good. He could not; no man can. There comes a time when the doing is worthless and fruitless. No, Jesus was often away getting power, getting virtue and the valor which enabled Him and inspired Him to do good. Sometimes he went away from the multitudes. He went, of course, in order to return. But he went, that is the point. He left the plain that in the mountain the drained powers might be renewed and recharged for use in refreshing the plain again."—Alexander McGillin.

"I watch the Master take His way Far up the mount, at break of day, 'Mid nature's quietude to pray; And as I seem to see Him there I hear, with all my load of care, 'He calls thee to the mount of prayer.'"  
—John R. Clements.

And when even was come, He was alone.

"When God speaks he likes no other voice to break the stillness but His own, hence the place that has always been given to solitude in all true religious life. It can be overdone, but it can be grossly underdone. And there is no lesson more worth insisting on in days like ours than this: when God wants to speak to a man He wants that man to be alone."—Henry Drummond.

For distemper — Minard's Liniment.

**The Increasing U.S. Population**

Population Increases About 13,000,000 in Seven Year Period

On July 1 next it is the estimate of the census bureau that the population of the United States will be 118,628,000. This will represent an increase over the 1920 census returns of a trifle short of 13,000,000. Next July 1 will be just three-quarters of the current decade, and if the same ratio of increase be assumed for the last quarter, the census of 1930 should register a population of 123,500,000 with an increase since 1920 of 17,250,000. It will be greater by 3,500,000 than the gain in population between 1910 and 1920 in face of a declining birthrate and the sharp curtailment of immigration. As an offset to these two factors is the decline in mortality statistics.

**Best Seller in China**

The Bible is still the best seller in China notwithstanding the spread of the power of the Nationalists, who are on friendly terms with Russian bolshevism. The British and Foreign Bible Society sold more than four million Bibles in China last year.

The Maoris of New Zealand during the last 60 years have emerged from cannibalism to a civilization equalling that of the white man.

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THE GREAT HERBAL SKIN BALM

**Skywriter Has  
Been Perfected**

Long Range Searchlight Gun Will Project Pictures Many Miles

A long-range searchlight gun, which can shoot pictures or images on clouds or buildings at varying distances, depending on atmospheric and cloud conditions, has been perfected by the General Electric Illuminating Engineering Laboratory, Schenectady, N.Y.

This projector, which in external appearance closely resembles a large naval cannon, with its tapering barrel painted a battleship gray, is only a small model of a larger skywriter which can be made, according to W. D'Arcy Ryan, director of the laboratory.

"There is absolutely no reason why we cannot make projectors using a sixty-inch searchlight which will be capable of casting an image on a cloud or other object at a distance of five miles," Mr. Ryan explained. "The present gun employs an eighteen-inch searchlight, which can be used with either an incandescent lamp or carbon arcs. It is our laboratory model on which we have been experimenting for some time. We know its characteristics and can now make projectors just as big and powerful as may be wanted."

Unusual sky projectors used by Mr. Ryan in his illumination of the Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915 resulted in the first model being built in 1917. He did it at that time for possible use in spreading propaganda over the German lines during the war. But before any such experiments could be tried the armistice was signed.

A searchlight is located at the rear end of the gun and in the barrel are lenses and a slot for inserting the slide to be projected. These lenses are so arranged that the image from the slide is in constant focus at any distance greater than twenty feet from the end of the barrel, which makes it possible to cast the image about on various objects at different distances without refocusing.

The image can be reflected in ever-changing colors by use of an electrically operated screen attached to the nozzle of the projector. The speed of the screen can be regulated so the colors will vary quickly or slowly, as may be desired.

"Just as skywriting by aeroplanes has proved popular, we believe this new projector will find a place in advertising," Mr. Ryan said. "I plan building a large projector, one that can be used almost any night when there are clouds in the sky, regard-

less of their height. If there should be no clouds we can create artificial clouds by smoke bombs, chemical vapor screens or steam."

**First Telephone Conversation**

Inventor's Statement Says Honor Shared by Three Ontario Cities Where did the first conversation by telephone take place?

All loyal Canadians who are conversant with the subject will at once say "Brantford," having in mind the fact that though living in Boston, Dr. Bell at the time used to spend his holidays at the Ontario city, experimenting the while.

The American claim is set forward in the 1926 report of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in the words:

"In 1876 the first sentence was heard over the telephone in Boston; the first outside conversation took place between Cambridge and Boston; and the first long-distance message was sent between Salem and Boston."

Dr. Bell's own statement, which ought to be final evidence gives Brantford the honor, however. His words at that city in 1917, when the Bell memorial was unveiled, included these statements:

"The telephone was conceived in Brantford in 1874 and born in Boston in 1875. The first time that the instruments were placed miles apart and speech successfully transmitted was here in Brantford, August 10th, 1876. The transmitter was placed in Brantford, the receiving instrument was placed in Paris, and the battery was in Toronto."

Thus three Ontario cities share the honor of giving to the world the first telephone speech.

**Famous Twins Meet Prince**

Residents of Brighton Are Ninety Four Years Old

Brighton, the holiday resort on the south coast of England, which owed its earlier fame mainly to the patronage of the Prince Regent something over 100 years ago, received a visit from the regent's successor, the Prince of Wales.

At tea with the Mayor and Mayoress the famous Brighton twins, Matthew and Mark Gunn, aged 94 years, were presented. Matthew told the Prince that when he was ten years old he had delivered goods to Buckingham Palace.

Since the invention of the printing press, 660,000,000 copies of the Bible have been printed.

**Plan Interesting Trip**

Machine Gunners Will Travel From Toronto to Prince Rupert on Horseback

From Toronto to Prince Rupert, B.C., on horseback is the trip now being planned by six young members of the Canadian Machine Gun Corps as a fitting way to employ the summer months.

Through untracked regions, where the only guide is the compass, across rivers and finally through the Rocky Mountains, the party intend to follow at 6,000-mile route far north of any previously made paths across the continent.

The originator of the plan is Lance Corporal Ewart Warren, and his companions are Privates E. Hancock, S. Miller, M. Halton, D. Halliday, and S. Flannivan. All are Toronto men, and they expect to receive the backing of several prominent business men.

Starting at the beginning of May, they hope to complete their journey within five months.

Lance-Corporal Warren, who will act as leader and guide, is no stranger to the northern country. For several years a resident of the West, he has made a number of hiking trips up into the woods, and has ridden the ranches in British Columbia and Alberta. Hiking through the wilds has always been his hobby, and he thinks his plan provides the ideal way of crossing the continent.

Speaking of his desire to emulate the early explorers, he remarked that he wished he had been one of them. "I don't know why I wasn't born a few hundred years earlier," he remarked. "I hate going anywhere by train. In fact, travelling to and from the West, I've often got off the train at a station and walked the next few miles. I felt I just had to."

**Braved Africa At Eighty**

American Women Completes 4,000 Mile Motor Trip

Two American women, one of them 80 years old, have arrived at Johannesburg after a 4,000 mile motor trip, without white escorts and unarmed, through Africa.

The women were Mrs. W. D. Cornish, of New York, widow of the former vice-president of the Union Pacific railway, and her cousin, Miss Hooper. Mrs. Cornish was eighty years old, March 18. They left Naples November 12, alone, although an escort had been arranged for. When the arrangements failed, the women decided to proceed anyway.

At Rijat, December 14, said the report which reached here, the travellers camped beside a native road gang, and during the night one of the men killed a lion of the sort that is known in those parts as a man-eater.

Going into Central Africa, the report said, the travellers lost their way after passing through Nairobi, and were compelled to drive their automobile during the night. The reserve car broke down and the party halted in the wilds. A spot light was turned on to frighten wild beasts, but zebras and hyenas and several others of the jungle gathered around the car until the arrival of a rescue party at midnight.

**Will Raise Historic Ship**

Schooner Nancy Was Sunk During War of 1812

The Ontario department of public works will soon call for tenders to raise the hull of H.M. Schooner Nancy, lying near the mouth of Nottawasaga river. The Nancy, British transport in the war of 1812, while taking supplies to the British garrison at Mackinac, was forced into Nottawasaga Bay and the commander and crew left her and built a blockhouse on shore. A powder train was laid to the Nancy to destroy her if capture was threatened. After a heroic fight with the Americans the blockhouse caught fire, and the powder train was accidentally fired, sinking the vessel.

**Read Before You Sign**

To counteract the activities of high pressure salesmanship a noted trade expert advocates "buymanship." An educational campaign is proposed to impress on the public the importance of making a searching investigation before investing. "Read before you sign."

Worthily relatives sometimes enable a man to deal in futures.

**"I want to help" says Allen Boudria**

Tells facts from own experience to help others. Almost wild with pain, weak and rundown, he won new health and strength through Tanlac

Allen Boudria, engineer, of 432 St. Patrick St., is one of Ottawa's best known citizens. "My purpose in telling the facts of my experience," he said, "is to help others who suffer as I did."

"For five years I was in misery. My whole system seemed out of gear, but my stomach troubled most. Even a drink of cold water would cause my stomach to bloat and swell abnormally. Gas would prevent me from sleeping at night so that I had to get up and walk the floor for hours. Violent stomach pains nearly drove me wild. I've seen times when I was doubled over, unable to straighten up."

"My friend M. Laporte told me how Tanlac had helped him out of similar trouble, so I got some and used 9 bottles in all. It just made me over. I feel 30 years younger than I am, and weigh 214 lbs. My appetite and sleep are both fine. I eat what I like and sleep like a top. Tanlac and nothing



else, made this great change. I'm for Tanlac.

If overwork or neglect have worn you down get Tanlac, the great natural tonic made from roots, herbs and barks. Your druggist has it. Over 52 million bottles sold.

**A GOOD MEDICINE FOR SPRING TIME**

Do Not Use Harsh Purgatives—A Tonic is All You Need

Not sick—but not feeling quite well. That is the way most people feel in the spring. Easily tired, appetite fickle, sometimes headaches and a feeling of depression. Pimples or eruptions may appear on the skin, or there may be twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order—that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble.

Do not dose yourself with purgatives, as many people do, in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in the spring is a tonic that will enrich the blood and build up the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do this speedily and surely. Every dose of this medicine helps to enrich the blood which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite and makes tired, depressed men, women and children active and strong. Mr. James Dickson, West-nest, Ont., says: "I was quite badly run down, easily tired, and appetite poor. My blood seemed thin and watery. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after taking a few boxes I felt myself thoroughly built up and as strong as ever. I can recommend the pills to run-down people."

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.

**Mystery of the Towers**

Built in England During the War But Were Never Used

The mystery of two huge towers, built on the south coast of England during the war and never used, has been cleared up.

The towers, 80 feet high and built at a cost of approximately \$5,000,000 each, were to be the forerunners of many similar ones for the defence of the English Channel.

They were to be towed out to sea and strung together across the Straits of Dover, linked together at distances of a few hundred yards with nets and heavily fortified with guns. In the top of each a powerful searchlight was to be placed.

The armistice, however, made it unnecessary to continue the scheme and the towers were anchored off Shoreham for some years. One has been broken up and the other is used as a lightship off Spithead.

According to Sir W. Arbuthnot Lane noted British surgeon, fair-haired persons are more able to fight against disease than dark-haired ones.

In the Scandinavian countries all big athletic events are scheduled on Sundays in preference to Saturdays.

**Not Always a Good Rule**

The idea that a man is as old as his birthdays is one that is fast disappearing. There are too many eminent men beyond the psalmist's span to hold to such a principle. Birthdays, alone, are poor way to judge a man or a woman. Many men of ripe years are also of ripe intellect and judgment, while many men and women never reach that stage.

It is suggested that judges be compulsorily retired when they have reached the age of seventy-five years. That does not seem to be a good rule. A judge, particularly may have gained a wide outlook in his service which would be missed on the bench.

The worms that infest children from their birth are of two kinds, those that find lodgement in the stomach and those that are found in the intestines. The latter are the most destructive, as they cling to the walls of the intestines and if not interfered with work havoc there. Miller's Worm Powders dislodge both kinds, and while expelling them from the system serve to repair the damage they have caused.

**Little Helps For This Week**

If ye love Me, keep My commandments.—John xiv. 15.

Do as thou wouldst be done unto: Love God, and love thy neighbor; watch and pray.

These are the words and works of life; this do, And live; who doth not this hath lost heav'n's way.

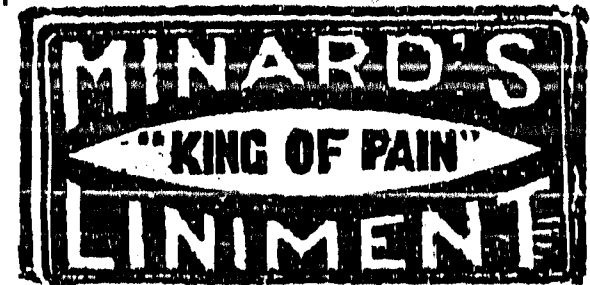
—Henry Vaughan.

When a man is told that the whole of religion and morality is summed up in the two commandments,—to love God and to love our neighbor, he is ready to cry, like Charaba in Geblir, at the first sight of the sea, "Is this the mighty ocean? Is this all?" Yes, all; but how small a part of it do your eyes survey! Only trust yourself to it, launch out upon it sail abroad over it, you will find it has no end; it will carry you round the world.

—Julius Hare.

**HAVE GLOSSY HAIR**

Minard's will make your hair soft—and lustrous. Stimulates growth. Use as a tonic.



There is an automobile for every five persons in the United States. At this ratio there is one for almost every family.

**Free Treatments For DEAFNESS**

Head Noises from Nasal Catarrh

**Hearing Restored**

I have an original home treatment for deafness and head noises from nasal catarrh which I want every sufferer to try free—without obligation. For many years I suffered from catarrhal deafness and head noises. I perfected a treatment which completely restored my hearing. I gave it to others and they were able to hear again. Since that time, hundreds have used it successfully.



Dr. W. D. Coffee

**This Is FREE**

I feel so sure that this treatment will restore hearing and end head noises from nasal catarrh that I want every sufferer to try it free. I want to prove at my expense that the results are quick and convincing.

It is the best treatment that I have found in 42 years' practice as eye, ear, nose and throat specialist.

**25,000 Treatments To Be GIVEN AWAY This Month FREE**

These treatments cost you nothing. The results are quick and convincing. You will feel the difference the first day. I have found that 90 per cent of the cases of deafness and head noises are caused primarily by nasal catarrh. Often affecting the stomach, causing rheumatism and many other troubles. Usually one ear is affected first, the deafness grows worse with every severe cold until the throat is affected. My original home treatment will stop all this. I have restored hearing in many extreme cases; one woman had been growing deaf for 40 years; a man on years old who had been deaf for many years can now hear again. Hundreds DR. W. D. COFFEE, Suite 2112, St. James Hotel Bldg., Davenport, Ia.

**TRY IT FREE**

In addition, I will send you absolutely free my new book on Deafness, Head Noises and Catarrh. It discusses fully the curable and incurable kinds of deafness.

Write today for this free test treatment. State if you are deaf, have head noises or nasal catarrh or head catarrh. Write or print your name plainly. Do not delay. This notice may not appear again. For 50 days I am going to give away 25,000 free treatments.

**Cuticura Comforts Tender Aching Irritated Feet**

Bathe the feet for several minutes with Cuticura Soap and warm water, then follow with a light application of Cuticura Ointment, gently rubbed in. This treatment is most successful in relieving and comforting tired, hot, aching, burning feet.



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Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.



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**The Gross Income Tax**

Under the provisions of the Provincial Tax on Gross Income, enacted at the recent session of the Legislature, every person engaged in any Trade, Business, or Profession within the province is required to obtain a Certificate of Registration from the Commissioner of Income Tax before April 30th, 1927. This applies to everyone who maintains a place of business (no matter how large or how small) or who carries on trade of any description, or who is engaged in any business enterprise, or who practices any profession; but does not include persons connected therewith who are working for wages, or who are employed on a salary basis. The fact that taxation returns are already being made does not effect the liability to register. The penalty for failing to obtain a Certificate within the stipulated time is \$10 for each day during which the default continues.

Applications should be mailed to the Provincial Assessor for the District, Mr. E. Ferguson, Nelson, or can be obtained from Mr. Taylor, village clerk, or H. McLaren at the provincial police office.

Full details respecting subsequent returns required under this Tax and other information will be supplied to each person with his Certificate of Registration.

**EASTER MESSAGES**

From CRESTON PASTORS

**The Resurrection Hope**

The story is told of a German princess who, on her deathbed, ordered that her grave be covered with a great granite slab, and that around it should be placed solid blocks of stone; and the whole be clamped together with clamps of iron, and that on the stone should be carved these words: "This burial place purchased to all eternity, must never be opened." Thus she meant publicly to proclaim that her grave never would be opened.

It happened that a little acorn was buried with the princess. It sprouted under the covering. Its tiny shoot, soft and pliable at first, found its way between two slabs, and there it grew slowly and surely, each day gathering strength until it burst the firm clamps and turned the whole structure into an irregular mass of upheaved rocks. Up and up grew the oak which had thus broken the bars of the sepulchre.

In every grave on earth is a tiny seed of the resurrection life of Jesus Christ and that seed cannot perish. It will germinate when the warm wind of Christ's return brings back the springtime to this cold sin-crushed earth of ours; and they that are in their graves, and we who lie down will feel in our mortal bodies the power of his resurrection and will come forth to life immortal.

J. HERDMAN.

**The Great Memorial Day**

The churches are laying more and more emphasis on the great fact of Easter. Its memories are fraught with supreme importance.

The resurrection of Jesus Christ removes the hope of immortality from the domain of the speculative and the probable into the domain of

the scientifically demonstrated and certain. We know there is life beyond the grave.

What does the resurrection teach and imply? Think of the meaning of that first Easter message of the angel, "Why seek ye the living among the dead. He is not here, but is risen."

The dead are living; living more fully if they have died in the faith.

They are separated from the body of weakness, corruption, dishonor. They are delivered from the suffering, trouble, toil and care of this earthly life.

And beyond the abundant life which the Christian departed now enjoy, is the enhanced life when they receive a glorified body "fashioned like unto His glorified body." Body, soul and spirit is the trinity of man's human life on earth, and that trinity purified and glorified will be the life of the Christian hereafter.

"Rejoice, brother, He is risen." used to be the salutation of the great believers. Let us feel it to be a festival of joy, the Easter memorial, "The Passover of gladness; the Passover of God." W.E.DALY.

**"The Third Day He Rose Again from the Dead!"**

Here we acknowledge a fact of history. A keen critic has written "Nothing stands more historically certain than that Jesus rose from the dead." The effect of the resurrection on the apostles, who never expected it, was a renewed and deeper affection for Jesus. Could a myth produce this? Could a myth stand the test of witness? Is the Christian Church built on a myth? Witnesses of the risen Lord were many and varied; four evangelists refer to it, writing at different times; individuals on different occasions, two companions, groups of varying size, a company of five hundred, these met and conversed with Christ. He appeared by night and by day, indoors and outdoors. Worshippers today are not so deluded as to rejoice in a phantasm or mistaken notion.

Easter is a season for great and holy rejoicing. "Easter's music is not a monotonous chorale, but an impassioned fugue." The grave is empty. Death is conquered. Physical death need no longer hold men in fear. Man's sin sent Jesus to the death of the cross, but His resurrection revealed how sin and death may be overcome. Easter points to immortality; Easter provides justification—our hope is in the living Christ.

Acceptance of Easter's message may produce Easter's faith; rejection may mean, sooner or later, losing the grasp upon the spiritual reality. S. NEWBY.

**Address and Presentation**

Prior to his leaving last week for his new home in Penticton, E. C. Gibbs was accorded fitting recognition of his worth as a citizen by the presentation of a letter of appreciation from Creston Board of Trade, of which he had been a member from almost its inception, along with went a travelling bag. The board of trade address, signed by President Mallandaine and Secretary Springeour read as follows:

On the eve of your departure from the community may we, on behalf of the Creston Board of Trade express to you our sincere regret that you are leaving us.

We can assure you that your usefulness as a member of this board will be missed, and also wish to add a line of appreciation of the zeal you have displayed in the public welfare, particularly as one of the first Commissioners when the village was incorporated.

You will be missed from the postoffice, where you were favor-

ably known to all—every man, woman and child in the community.

You will, therefore, permit us to wish Mrs. Gibbs and your family and yourself the best of health and every success in your new field of activities.

The club bag was a present from board members as well as a number of other oldtime friends who wished to be included in the testimonial. On committee work, particularly, Mr. Gibbs was an outstanding member of the board, and it is very largely due to his persistence in following up all likely clues that the electric light question was kept so prominently before the village, and has finally resulted in action that assures the white light very early this fall.

**Starting Ice Cream Plant**

With the taking over of the complete ownership of Creston Dairy by R. A. Comfort, comes the announcement of a start at fully modernizing the business, the first move being made last week when work commenced on the erection of a barn 32 x 70 feet, and capable of housing twenty-five head of stock, and providing hay storing space for almost 50 tons.

The stable will be of cement construction and cement floors. The stalls will be of steel, steel stanchions, with double dripping bowls of steel, to which the water will be piped, thus assuring the maximum of comfort for the herd as well as sanitary arrangements rarely equalled in small dairy plants.

In addition to the milk, cream and butter business carried on at present, Mr. Comfort has decided to branch out in to ice cream manufacturing for the local trade, and in the new building space is being provided for the necessary cold storage features as well as space for the operation of the plant, which can be run from power generated by the engine used in operating the milking machine, which was put in about a year ago. For the present a plant of five-gallon freezer capacity will be utilized, and having secured a receipt used by one of the biggest ice cream manufacturing plants in Toronto, Mr. Comfort feels sure he can turn out a frozen product that will be in great demand.

To supply his present trade Mr. Comfort requires a herd of sixteen milking cows, and in view of steady expansion he feels justified in building with a view to at least a

50 per cent. increase in trade. His summer scale of milk prices will go into effect at May 1st.

FOR SALE—Touring car, good as new, snap. Enquire Review.



**Its Smoothness and Beauty Will Thrill You**

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The New and Finer Pontiac Six is a car of dashing appearance, built to perform outstandingly. It merits your close inspection, as its new, lower prices warrant your serious consideration.

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Ladies' Vests, V neck and open styles, all sizes..... 30, 40, 50, 60, 75c.  
Extra out sizes in Vests and Combinations.

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**Local and Personal**

The regular monthly meeting of the Presbyterian Women's Missionary Society will be held at the home of Mrs. Boyd at 8 p.m., Tuesday, April 18th.

Starting with Tuesday the weather is beginning to have a summery flavor. The mercury hit 60 in the shade on Tuesday, and negotiated 63 on Wednesday.

Due to a shortage of space we are compelled to hold over till next issue reports of the annual meeting of Trinity United Church, and the March meetings of the Board of Trade and Women's Institute.

The members of Creston and District Women's Institute were out in large numbers on Wednesday afternoon for a send-off reception to Miss Scrimgeour at the residence of the president, Mrs. E. Stevens. Court whilst was the feature of proceedings with the high scores made by Mrs. Murrell and Mrs. Maxwell, and the consolation honors falling to Mrs. McLaren. Just before refreshments the president, on behalf of the institute, presented the guest of honor with a silver flower vase as a little token of appreciation of friendship

and services rendered the organization, of which Miss Scrimgeour has been an executive member the past two years.

Presbyterian Church Easter services: Morning service, 11.30, for the young people with Easter music and children's numbers. 7.50 p.m., Easter hymns. The pastor, Dr. W. E. Daly, will preach.

Provincial police, H. McLaren in company with Chief Constable Gammion of Nelson, are the first autoists to make the trip to Spokane this season, getting back on Thursday from that point, where they had been on official business. After you get off the surfaced roads the travelling on the U.S. side is just as bad as it is in B.C.

Reports coming in are to the effect that due the very dry July and August of last year the Valley raspberries have not made anywhere near the usual growth of new canes and that the 1927 crop will be lighter than usual. The effects of the 1924 blizzard are still showing, particularly with the Northern Spy apples, although pears have made a much better recovery from the effects of the gale than was anticipated.

There was a large turnout of mem-

bers and visiting brethren at Creston Masonic Lodge on Wednesday night, the occasion being the official visit of R. W. Bro. A. E. Hines, of Kimberley, D.D.G.M. for East Kootenay. Work was conducted in the first degree, and the officers were warmly complimented on the proficiency shown in putting on the degree. At the close there was a banquet spread, and the usual round of toasts responded to.

Initial steps have been taken to assure a fitting observance of the sixtieth anniversary of Canadian Confederation at Creston on July 1st. A Women's Institute committee consisting of Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Murrell and Mrs. H. B. Staples, along with a delegation from the board of trade, made up of President Maj. Mallandaine, C.F. Hayes and A. L. Palmer, waited on the village council on Monday night with a request for financial assistance, and were assured help in this direction, as well as full support of the undertaking, would be forthcoming.

Official announcement was made at the end of the week of the transfer to head office of D. T. Scrimgeour, who has been manager of the local branch of the Bank of Commerce for the past 2 years. Mr. Scrimgeour expects to be leaving for Vancouver at the end of the week. His successor is J. R. Forbes of Central Butte, Sask., who arrived on Saturday, and who is getting acquainted with the work and the bank's customers this week. Mr. Scrimgeour has been particularly active in all lines of community effort as well as in church work, and in his departure the town certainly loses a useful citizen.

Miss Scrimgeour, who is leaving at the end of the week for Vancouver to reside, was guest of honor at an enjoyable at home at Mrs. Henderson's on Thursday last, with the Ladies' Aid of St. Stephen's Church as hostesses. A series of contests featured the afternoon at which the winners were Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. Dow and Mrs. J. P. Johnston, and proceedings were brightened up with piano selections by Miss Ross and vocal numbers by Mrs. Geo. H. Kelly. Refreshments were served with Mrs. Dow presiding at the tea table. Since coming here about two years ago Miss Scrimgeour has been a very active worker in the aid, and her departure is sincerely regretted.

**Kitchener School Report**

The March report for Division 1 of Kitchener school has been given out by the principal, Miss Rendall, as follows: Proficiency: Grade 4—Nettie Androsoff, Elmer Lindbloom. Grade 5—Selmer Anderson, Vivian Langlois. Grade 6—Richard Molander. Grade 8—Claude Simpson, Beatrice Molander.

Perfect Attendance—Clarence Anderson, Selmer Anderson, Nettie Androsoff, Dennis Bush, Elmer Lindbloom, Richard Molander, Edith Nelson, Elsie Nelson, Claude Simpson.

Miss Porter's report for Division 2 is as follows: Proficiency: Grade 3a—Celina Langlois, John Nelson, Hazel McGonegal. Grade 3b—Curt Anderson. Grade 2—Laura Androsoff, Eva Arb, Laurence Strong. Grade 1a—Jack Langlois. Grade 1b—Alta Blair.

Perfect attendance—Laura Androsoff, Mary Androsoff, Fred Androsoff, Marie Arb, Eva Arb, Hazel McGonegal, Henry Nelson.

**Creston's School Report, March**

Division 1—H. McLellan, Principal. Proficiency: Grade 8—Aileen Spratt, Jean McCreath, Frank Crawford. Grade 7—Fay Pendry, Clematine Marshall, Billy Bayle.

Perfect attendance—Stella Herdman, Betty Speers, Beryl Nichols, Fred Alderson, Earl Christie, Mannual Irving, Raymond Martin, William Bayle, Euphemia Fisher, Fay Pendry, Lettie Couling, Gwen Webster, Frank Byrne, Aileen Spratt, Arthur Webster, Frank Byrne, Doro Spratt.

Division 2—Miss Ross, Teacher. Proficiency: Grade 6—Tom Crawford, Frank Morrow, Joan Hilton. Grade 5—Iris Taylor, Herbert Dodd, Cora Biecum. Most Improvement: Grade 6—Leroy Johnson, Marjorie Learmonth, Sally Johnson. Grade 5—Allan Speers, Katie Payne. Best writers: Grade 6—Marguerite Ferguson, Pearl Spencer, Marjorie Learmonth. Grade 5—Elsie Speers, Annie Ireland.

Perfect attendance—Cora Biecum, Margaret Blinco, Lyda Christie, Herbert Couling, Minnie Downes, Joan Hilton, Dorothea Macdonald, Mary Malone, Frank Morrow, Allan Speers, Leroy Johnson, Roland Miller, Pearl

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Spencer, Jack Young, Iris Taylor, Andrew Miller, Dorothy Marshall, Annie Ireland, Jean Henderson, Jean Fisher.

Division 3—Miss Wade, Teacher. Grade 5a: Proficiency—Hesper Lewis, Arthur Nichols and Jim Downes equal, Jay Bliss. General Improvement—Jim Downes, Jay Bliss. Writing improvement—Helen Hopwood. Grade 4a: Proficiency—George Collis, Molly Moore, Norma Marshall. General Improvement—Robert Dickson. Writing Improvement—Molly Moore. Perfect attendance—Hubert Beninger, Robert Dickson, Jim Downes, Hesper Lewis, Norma Marshall, Harold McLaren, Arthur Nichols, Douglas Spiers, Clifford York, Jay Bliss, John Gamache.

Division 4—Miss Holmes, Teacher. Grade 3 Senior: Proficiency—Margaret Burnett. Writing Improvement—Douglas Alderson. Improvement—Marion Quinn. Grade 3 Junior: Proficiency—Jean McLaughlin. Writing Improvement—Stuart Hilton. Improvement—Camilla Romano. Perfect attendance—Douglas Alderson, Doris Bayle, Clarence Embree, Ruth Hare, Margaret Henderson, Stuart Hilton, Emmet Johnson, Holger Johnson, Aileen Klingensmith, Hughena McCreath, Lloyd McLaren, Jean McLaughlin, Eleanor Spratt, Charles Taylor.

Division 5—Miss Hardy, Teacher. Grade 1 Senior: Proficiency—Elena Androsoff, Maisie Ferguson, Beryl Palmer. Improvement—Jean Ryckman. Writing—Gordon Martin. Grade 1 Junior: Proficiency—Doris Walters, Mary Ross, Frank Herdman. Improvement—Maud Ross. Writing—Doris Walters. Grade 2 Senior: Proficiency—Ruth Spencer, Rachel Morrow, Irving Ferguson. Improve-

ment—Gladys Davies. Writing—Edward Pendry. Grade 2 Junior: Improvement—Tom Lewis. Writing—Edra Walkey. Proficiency—Doris Ferguson, Richard Trevelyan, Edith Walkey. Perfect attendance—George Crawford, Irwin Nickel, Joan Greenwood, Frank Herdman, Ernest Ireland, Charles Klingensmith, Thomas Lewis, Douglas McLaughlin, Francis McLaughlin, Maud Ross, Jean Ryckman, Jessie Spratt, Richard Trevelyan, William Weir, Ruth Spencer.

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And further take notice that action under Section 84, must be commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.  
Dated this 6th day of August, 1927.  
A. H. GREEN.

**MINERAL ACT FORM F**  
Certificate of Improvements

**NOTICE**  
Midnight Fractional Mineral Claim, situate in the Nelson Mining Division of Kootenay District.

Where located: On Sheep Creek, adjoining the Queen Mine Group.  
TAKE NOTICE that I, A. H. Green, acting as agent for Michael Murphy, of Kaslo, B.C., Free Miner's Certificate No. 84701, 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 of the above claim.  
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## Too Late!

With the memory of the theatre holocaust, in which some scores of little children were the victims, still fresh in their minds, the citizens of Montreal are passing through another tragedy, an epidemic of typhoid fever which, at the time of writing, has afflicted over 1,300 people and resulted in over forty deaths.

The taking of proper precautions and the provision of necessary safeguards would have saved the people of Montreal from the sorrows of the theatre fire, and, in like manner, the present typhoid epidemic could easily have been prevented.

It is the same old story over and over again of locking the stable door after the horse has been stolen, and one is sometimes inclined to question whether human beings are, after all, so much superior in intelligence to animals. In the case of animals it is noticeable that once bitten they are twice shy, but humans go on repeating the same blunder time after time and pay large penalties in sorrow, suffering and loss.

Following the Montreal theatre fire an investigation was made into every theatre and hall of public assembly in the city to ascertain whether they were in a condition safeguarding the lives of those attending them. Practically all of them were found deficient in some respects; some were condemned and closed up. It should not have required a great catastrophe and the loss of many lives to lead civic officials to discharge a duty which should be receiving their attention all the time.

And now, when it is too late, investigation has established that the typhoid outbreak is the result of impure milk supplied to citizens. One man kills another and he has to face a trial for murder or manslaughter. In Montreal one thousand and more are lying on sick beds in homes and hospitals fighting for life, and more than two score are dead, all the result of criminal negligence.

In the case of this typhoid outbreak there is double neglect on the part of the health authorities. In the first place it was their sworn duty to safeguard the health of all citizens through the assurance of a supply of pure milk. That is one of the duties of a civic health department, and for the discharge of which they are paid salaries out of the taxes of the ratepayers. In the second place, medical science has placed in their hands the means of preventing typhoid, of rendering people immune from its ravages. Now that the epidemic is raging energetic steps are being taken to inoculate tens of thousands of citizens, when, in the case of many, it is everlastingly too late.

Not only so, but these emergency measures cost many times as much in effort and money as the day to day carrying on of this all important work would cost in the regular work of health administration. Why is it that municipal councils insist they cannot afford to expend money to protect the health and lives of their people, and then expend many times the required amount in a frantic endeavor to overcome the evil which through their shortsightedness has resulted?

And let not other places adopt a "holier than thou" attitude toward Montreal; rather let them examine their own municipal households. It is a well established fact that smallpox, diphtheria and typhoid fever can be absolutely prevented and banished from our midst. These frightful diseases can be rendered as extinct as the dodo, leprosy or yellow fever. Yet they continue to stalk through the land claiming their thousands of victims every year. Why? Because of what amounts to criminal negligence on the part of health officials and people generally.

Our Western prairie provinces pride themselves in their work for the promotion of health, but they still have a long way to travel in the direction of the eradication of preventable disease. There is much educational work yet to be done, and it is sincerely to be hoped that provincial health departments, municipal councils and health officers, all doctors, and every organization interested in the health, happiness and well-being of the people will throw themselves unreservedly into the campaigns now in progress at many points under the "Seymour Plan" for the wiping out of preventable disease. The community which does not engage in this warfare stamps itself as hopelessly backward, and indifferent to the best interests and highest welfare of its people.

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## Canada's Certain Destiny

Viscount Willingdon Says Dominion to be One of the Great Nationalities of the World

Canada's certain destiny is to be one of the great nationalities of the world, a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations, but free and independent in its administrative life, Viscount Willingdon declared in an address before the Canadian Club at Victoria.

The Governor-General outlined his vision of the Empire, "an empire the like of which the world has never seen, an empire which, whatever pessimists may say, it is my firm belief that the more independent and free the various parts become in matters of administration the closer will be the ties of loyalty that bind them to the throne."

Britain, he said, is still full of life and vigor despite the troubles of post-war years.

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## Found Millions But Received No Reward

British Officer Left Sick Bed to Locate Wreck of Larentic

No Admiralty recognition has come to Commander Geoffrey Unsworth, D.S.O., D.S.C., R.N.R., who located the "Laurentic," from which \$25,000,000 in bullion has been salvaged. Commander Unsworth, who is now in charge of a steamer trading between Grimsby and the Continent, was a pilot in Irish waters and mine clearance officer of the Lough Swilly flotilla when the "Laurentic" struck.

He saved the ship's complement, but suffered so much from exposure that he was admitted to Londonderry Hospital. Admiralty expeditions failing to locate the treasure-laden vessel, Commander Unsworth insisted on leaving his sick bed to take part in the search. His knowledge of Irish waters enabled him to discover the wreck and buoy the spot, making possible the recent salvage operations, for which honors and reward have been generously bestowed.

The Admiralty apparently regard the commander's part as all in the day's work, for so far it has gone without recognition.

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## Documents Are Guarded In Westminster Abbey

Some Historical Papers Date Back to Eighth Century

The Muniment Room at Westminster Abbey contains a collection of historical documents that probably has no counterpart the world over. Closely guarded in locked, iron-bound chests, the papers kept there number over 100,000, and some of them date back to the eighth century. These documents are now being prepared and edited for publication, and Dr. Scott, the librarian of the British Museum, is making a careful preel of 57,000 of the more important.

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## Many Vessels Wrecked

Ships Lost During Year 1926 Totaled Three Hundred

A total of 291 vessels were lost in the world during 1926 by disaster at sea or on waterways.

The Bureau of Navigation has just made public its annual compilation on the subject, showing that 2,014 passengers were voyaging on the wrecked boats, of whom 175 lost their lives.

Among the vessels were 24 private yachts, the balance, 267, being merchant vessels or passenger ships.

## British Doctors Urge

International Code

Would Remove Language Difficulties in Wireless Consultations at Sea

An international medical code whereby remedies for diseases would be transmitted by standardized cone signals in the case of wireless medical consultations at sea between doctorless ships and those carrying doctors, is being urged by British physicians. By this means the difficulties of language differences are to be removed.



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# FOREIGNERS ARE FLEEING FROM INTERIOR CHINA

Shanghai.—With another general strike in the offing and with Shanghai the centre of a continued flight of foreigners from the interior, the defence authorities here made further preparations to protect the international settlement.

A barbed wire barrier now is being constructed along the entire length of the Avenue Edward VII. between the French concession and the international settlement. The Suffolk Regiment also was assigned to guard the offices of the cable companies situated in the Avenue.

The date of the new general strike, which has been decided upon by the general labor union, will be fixed later. There are about 20,000 miscellaneous workers still out from the last strike.

Meanwhile the Japanese naval authorities warned the Cantonese that the Japanese navy will hereafter take drastic steps in the event of unlawful actions by Nationalist soldiers or in the event of firing on Japanese steamers without good cause.

Reports continue of firing on foreign vessels in the Yangtze by Nationalist soldiers on either side of the river. Two British steamers leaving Hankow, which has again become the centre of anti-foreign activities, were fired on. The American destroyer, John D. Ford, which recently came here from Manila, was fired on between Shanghai and Nanking. The destroyer brought its four-inch guns and machine guns into action in reply.

Disquieting reports have been coming from Hankow, scene of anti-foreign disorders some time ago. Advice from a Japanese source in that city said that soldiers in civilian clothes, ruffians and labor pickets were overrunning the city and that the Japanese women and children there will embark on the first available steamer.

Although the great majority of missionaries in the interior of China are now en route for Shanghai, or planning to start soon, about 100 are refusing to leave their posts in the Yangtze Valley, despite the advice of authorities.

# Lower Duty on Livestock

Western Stock Growers Are Asking For Relief

Calgary.—Urging the Dominion to take all available measures to obtain relief from United States duty on livestock entering that country, the Western Stock Growers' Association addressed a resolution to the Federal Government. Another resolution pointed out the necessity for keeping grain and screenings in Canada and prohibiting export of this commodity to the United States. A petition will be submitted to railways asking reduction of rates on horses to an equality with cattle. The Alberta Government was asked for an appropriation for experiments with grazing rotation and rehabilitation of native grasses. Dr. S. F. Tolmie told the convention that farmers are "losing ten million dollars a year marketing beef of poor quality," and urged establishment of beef grading to better this condition.

# Attained Terrific Speed

Major Segrave Drives Car 203 Miles Per Hour

New York.—Major Segrave's record of 203.7298 miles an hour at Dayton Beach marked the nearest approach to the highest speed man has attained, 278 miles an hour, in an airplane.

This air record was set by Florentin Bonnet, of France, in December, 1921. The fastest mark by rail was that set by an engine in a five mile run from Fleming to Jacksonville, Fla., in 1901, by attaining an average of 120 miles an hour.

On the water, Miss Detroit, in 1920, at Lake George, set a record of 77.89 miles an hour for speed boats, while on the Solent, England, the Maple Leaf II. made 80 miles an hour in 1921.

The record of the Cunard line, Mauretania is 27.04 knots, while that of the Leviathan is 28.04.

# Pensions Act

No Further Amendments to be Made to the Present Act

Ottawa.—"The Government does not intend to extend the present provisions of the pension act by further amendments this year," stated Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, in the House.

The present pension legislation, said Dr. King, provides pensions for all disabilities "attributed to or incurred during military service," and for "disabilities resulting from injury or disease or the aggravation thereof incurred during military service." No ex-soldier who was so disabled was denied a pension, but responsibility could not be accepted for those whose disabilities were not related to war service.

# British Will Protect Colony of Hong Kong

Have No Intention of Diminishing Rights or Authority

Hong Kong.—The British government will give full protection to the colony of Hong Kong and the leased territories on the mainland during the civil warfare in China, according to assurances given by the local secretary of state.

The secretary's communication said the government has no intention of surrendering Hong Kong or abandoning or diminishing in any way British rights or authority in any part of the territories under its administration.

# Leaving For Australia

Ottawa.—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, leaves Thursday night for Vancouver where he will embark for Australia on April 6. Mr. Lapointe will represent Canada at the opening of the Australian Parliament buildings at Canberra on May the 9th.

# Is Made An Indian Chief

Victoria, B.C.—His Excellency Lord Willingdon, Governor-General of Canada, is now Chief Gattushun, or Chief Rainbow, of the Vancouver Island Indian tribes, having been initiated here in one of the most picturesque and colorful ceremonies ever witnessed in this city.

Tiffin, Esplanade, has just opened his broadcasting station, and the radio club there already has 500 members.

# AMENDMENTS TO GRAIN ACT ARE BEFORE HOUSE

Ottawa.—Amendments to the Canada Grain Act, proposed by the board of grain commissioners, were tabled in the House of Commons, along with correspondence between the Minister of Trade and Commerce and the commission.

On February 5, the minister wrote to the commission asking for suggested amendments. On February 7, Leslie H. Boyd, chief commissioner, replied, setting forth the proposals. He stated that the board believed the provisions of the drafted amendments would give the farmer the same privileges as "the Campbell bill," which was before the Commons last session. The commissioner's proposals, however, defined the conditions under which grain might be delivered to a country point if the farmer desired to take delivery of the same and ship it to any specific elevator or point.

The drafted amendments covered the duties of country elevators. While the present grain act limits liabilities as to weights and grades, the commission's proposal covers these two important points and gives the board power to make regulations covering the method of drawing samples. The board, too, could investigate disputes regarding grades and weights. In his letter, Mr. Boyd states that he believes the proposals to be fair and reasonable to all parties.

# Spanish-South American Air Service Planned

Will be Started if German Government Finances Completion of Airship

Berlin.—Airship service between Spain and South America, starting within 18 months, is predicted by Hugo Eckener, Zeppelin expert, provided the German Government furnishes the remaining 2,000,000 marks necessary for the completion of the airship to be used which is being built in Germany.

Similar agreements are expected to be negotiated with the Argentine and other South American governments. It is planned at first to make a round trip to South America every three weeks, carrying a 15-ton cargo consisting mostly of mails but including some passengers. It is estimated that the flight to South America will require from 75 to 80 hours.

# Gain in Employment

Ottawa.—There was a moderate gain in employment at the beginning of March, the upward movement being rather more extensive than in earlier years recorded. The largest increases took place in manufacturing and construction, while logging, mining and trade were seasonally slacker.

# Matter of Defence Left With Government

Canada Not Bound in Any Way Says Premier King

Ottawa.—"In no way has this Parliament or country been bound by decisions made by the Imperial Conference, last fall," declared Premier W. L. Mackenzie King, in the House of Commons, when he reviewed the reports adopted at the Conference, in London. Referring to the question of defence, Premier King declared that no commitments had been made on behalf of Canada with respect to defence, and no request had been made on behalf of the British Government in the matter. It was for each Dominion, through its own government and parliament, to decide.

"It is for this Parliament to say to what extent Canada will take in all matters pertaining to defence," said the Premier.

# Manitoba Liberal Leader

Judge Hugh A. Robson Elected to Succeed Hon. T. C. Norris

Winnipeg.—Judge Hugh A. Robson, K.C., prominent in the public life of the West for many years, is the new leader of the provincial Liberal party. He was elected to succeed Hon. T. C. Norris, who tendered his resignation a year ago, at a party convention held here.

Judge Robson was elected from a slate of several nominees, including Fred C. Hamilton, former president of the provincial Liberal Association. Mr. Norris who is the leader of the Liberal group in the Legislature, was nominated, but withdrew his name.

Judge Robson, who was born in Barrow-in-Furness, England, in 1871, came to Canada in 1882, and is a pioneer resident of Winnipeg.

# Death of Sir Charles Tupper

Was One of Canada's Most Distinguished Elder Statesmen

Vancouver.—Hon. Sir Charles Tupper, K.C.M.G., K.C.L.D., died at his home here following an attack of pneumonia which had confined him to his home for nearly two weeks.

Sir Charles was one of Canada's most distinguished statesmen. He was born in Amherst, N.S., in 1855 the son of the late Right Hon. Sir Charles Tupper at one time prime minister of the Dominion.

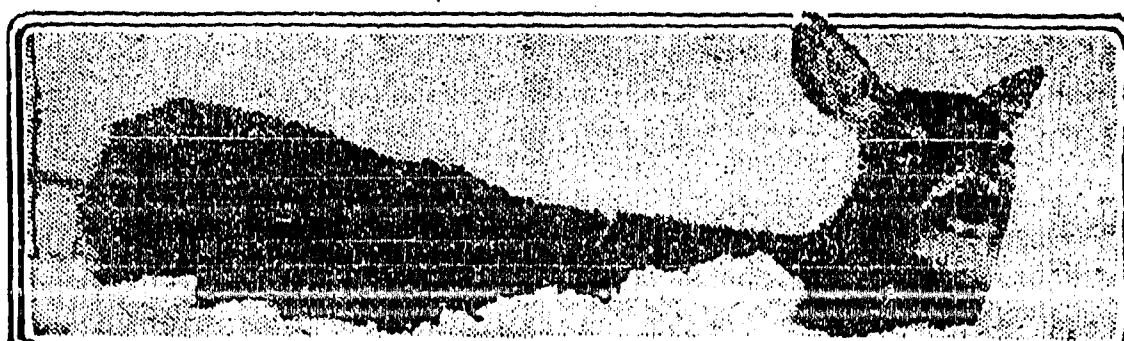
# Salt For Dyspepsia

Washington.—Common salt is as effective as any other remedy for dyspepsia, according to reports of research of the University of Melbourne, Australia, recently received here. Dr. F. A. Apperly has found that common salt helps certain types of plain dyspepsia.

# Betting Bill Defeated

London.—An attempt to introduce a bill in the House of Commons to legalize betting in England was defeated by a vote of 146 to 41.

# Trappers Overtake Swift Deer



Many tales have drifted down from the north of how men have overtaken and captured wolves, deer and other swift-footed inhabitants of the woods of Ontario and Quebec. Readers of such have often been skeptical but the above photograph, taken only a short distance from the Canadian Pacific lines in the Laurentian Mountains, proves that such a thing is possible. In the case of deer at least. Heavy snow, as can be seen, accounts for this and in the pictures above several trappers on snowshoes have succeeded in capturing two animals in question. The deer looking placidly into the camera was no doubt caught only after an exhausting chase through the deep drifts. The little doe that seems to be just an animal for the trapper, will doubtless be admired in a short time by thousands of people in some city park. Trappers in the northern sections of Ontario and Quebec have saved many of these young animals from death by freeing them from heavy drifts of snow, and thus keeping them from packs of hungry wolves.

# THE EQUALITY OF STATUS BINDING BRITISH EMPIRE

Ottawa.—Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice and chairman of the Imperial Conference committee on treaty-making powers, continued the House debate on the Imperial Conference. Mr. Lapointe was emphatic that the Imperial conference of 1926 had no authority to change one iota of the British North America Act or any constitution of the Empire. What the conference did, Mr. Lapointe exclaimed, was to crystallize "the principle of equality of status, which was already recognized and which was the logical outcome of the development of the various nations. It published a definite, clear and official adherence to that principle. It did that in such a way as to make it the greatest contribution to the permanency of the free association of the nations of the Empire. It is the final and unequivocal acceptance of the principle of unity and liberty, unity preserved and enshrined in the British throne and liberty in all domestic and external activities of the various nations of the commonwealth. It is no longer the case of

"A daughter am I in my mother's house,

But a mistress in my own—"

"The family is a family of sisters, equal in their rights and activities."

And, concluding his speech, Mr. Lapointe declared, to rounds of Liberal applause, that the principles underlying the pact would illumine the way to peace, progress and nationhood.

# Many Claimants to Millions

Dutch Merchant's Fortune Has Drawn Interest for 200 Years

Adelaide, Australia.—A fortune of \$500,000,000 which has been accruing at interest for 200 years, is to be subject of issue in the courts, according to claims that are now being filed here.

Edward Webber, merchant prince of Holland in the days when the Dutch flag was supreme in the world of commerce, died in New York leaving an enormous sum to his seventh generation, claimants assert.

The fortune, which has now grown to \$500,000,000, may create at least 150 Australian millionaires for more than that number in the city of Adelaide alone claim a share.

The claimants are calling a meeting to discuss the matter.

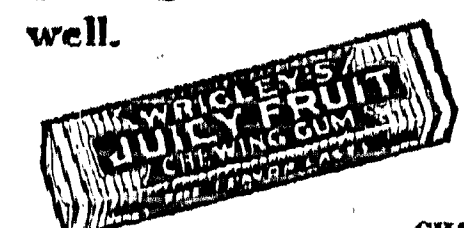
# Harvesters From Oxford

University Students Plan to Help Canadian Farmers This Year

Oxford.—Oxford University students are planning to help harvest the Canadian wheat crop next summer. Parties of students are being recruited under the joint auspices of the Canadian government and a Canadian railway. They will sail in July for Montreal and will work on Ontario farms until the middle of August, moving on later to Manitoba and returning to England for the re-opening of college in October.



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