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Bell Re-Elected Board President

F. V. Staples Second in Command—G. R. John is Secretary—1933 Improvement on '32—Board is 26 Years Old.

With a birthday cake carrying the requisite number of candles and the room very tastefully decorated, Creston Board of Trade observed the 26th anniversary of its coming into being at the annual meeting at Creston Cafe on Tuesday night. The affair was well attended and was in charge of the retiring president, W. L. Bell.

In his presidential message Mr. Bell submitted a quite complete statement of the 1933 fruit and vegetable shipments, and the estimated value of the different products. In apples the increased production over 1932 is about 20 per cent., and the returns to the growers show an increase of about the same amount as compared with 1932.

The lumber cut was much the same as in 1932 but due a lighter berry crop the output at the Rodgers box factory was much on a par with a year ago, the bigger apple crop and less bulk shipping equalizing for the lessened strawberry output.

Secretary Dr. McKenzie submitted the financial statement which indicated the year's membership was below that of 1932 and for the first time in many years there was a deficit of about $6 on the year's operations. With the exception of the executive, for which all members present were nominated, the officers were chosen by acclamation, as follows:

President—W. L. Bell.
Vice-President—F. V. Staples.
Secretary—G. R. John.
Executive—R. J. Forbes F. H. Jackson, G. Sinclair, C. F. Hayes, C. O. Rodgers, F. Putnam.

The president was very happy in his announcement that seeing the board had passed the quarter century mark of a useful existence and that Col. Mallandaine had been its first president, it was the wish of the board that the colonel accept the position of honorary president for 1934.

After the election of officers there was the usual toast list in which the following articipated: The King. Province—Col. Mallandaine and Frank Putnam, M.P.P. Village and District—George Johnson and F. H. Jackson. Industry—Jas. Cherrington and C. F. Hayes. Agriculture—C. Murrell and W. McL. Cooper Reclamation—R. J. Forbes and F. V. Staples.

During the dinner Crestonian orchestra, under the leadership of A. B. Ness, furnished music, and intermingled with the oratorical effort were a couple of pinno and violin duetts by G. R. John and Fred Chapman that added appreciated variety to proceedings.

The only regular business transacted was the adoption of a resolution urging the federal authorities to appropriate the fnnds at this session of parliament to pay the cost of dyking the indian lands situated within the area proposed to be reclaimed by Creston Reclamation Company on Kootenay flats A resolution from the Silver Dollar Association of B.C. was ndorsed. It is one that urges the federal minister of finance to use silver much more liberally for curredcy purposes.

The reclamation resolution will be sent to Hon. H. H. Stevens and W. K. Esling. M.P., as well as boards of trade at Fernie, Cranbrook, Nelson and Trail asking them to immediately endorse and notify the minister of the interior.

The president was heartily applauded in his c omplimentary references to the excellence of the dinner, the efficient service and the attractive decorative scheme of tables and dining room gederally by tho evening's hosts, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Beninger of the Creston Cafe.

Erickson

Mrs. Sam Scott is a Creston visitor, a guest of Mrs. F. Tompkins.

Miss Annie Botterill returned on Sunday from a six weeks visit at Potlach, Idaho.

Lorne Botterill of Kellogg, Idaho, is on a visit with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. E. Botterill.

Frank Celli left for New York on Friday last where he is combining business with pleasure.

Walter Dodds, who has been trapping at Cultus Creek, was home for a few days, returning on Friday.

Mrs. Tom Wilson and baby daughter of Cranbrook, are here on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Healey.

R. J. Long got back at the end of the week from a short hiliday visit at Wenatchee, Wash., with his son, Walter.

Erickson Christ Church Ladies' Guild han their annual meeti g on Tuesday last at the home of Mrs. Cowling. Mrs. Haskins is the new president; Mrs. Kemp, vice-president; Mrs. J. Murphy, secretary.

Mrs. Hart, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. Murphy, for some time, has returned to her home at Red Deer, Alberta,

Mr. and Mrs. L. Leveque of Medicine Hat, Alberta, who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Len.Leveque, left for home on Wednesday.

Erickson Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary January meeting was at the home of Mrs. Frank Celli on Fridny last. After paying all expenses the December dance will show a profit of almost $60.

Alice Siding

Frank Simister is the latest to install an electric radio.

Birth—January 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin, a daughter.

W. Keirn was a business visitor at Nelson at the first of the week.

Harry Webster is at Calgary, Alberta, on a visit with his sister, Mrs. H. MacDonald.

Miss Gladys Webster returned on Sunday to resume her work as teacher at the Michel-Natal consol idated school.

Principal Freney returned from the holidays at Rossland on Sunday and the school resumed operations on Monday.

Mr. Sorens n, who is a patient at the Cranbrook hospital, suffering from eye, trouble, is making satisfactory progress.

Cecil Hamilton has resumed logging operations on his limit along Goat mountain, with Harris brothers taking the skidding contract.

R, Stewart & Son are taking advantage of the mild weather to put in the cement foundation for a new barn they will erect immediately.

Robert Moore, who visited his mother. Mrs. H. H. Taylor, for the holidays, returned to Coal Creek at the end of the week, where he is school principal.

Misses Helen Moore and Iris Taylor, who were here for the holidays, left on Sunday for Lumberton and Cranbrook respectively to resume school work.

Chas. Sutcliffe was a business visitor at Trail and Nelson at the end of the week, making the trip by airplane with W. M. Archibald as far as Trail.

Due to it being impossible to haul hay home from the flats some of the local stockmen have moved their cattle to the channel at Duck Creek to expedite feeding operations.

Miss Iris Taylor was hostess to a party of girl friends Wednesday afternoon last, a feature of which was a group of contests at which Misses Opal LaBelle and Minnie Downes were winners. A delightful lunch was served.

The Original Whist Club had a good turnout at the weekly session at cards at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simister on Friday night at which the prize winners wese Mrs. Cecil Hamilton and Howard Butler. Mr. and Mrs. R. Stewart will entertain the club tonight.

The community social club meeting last week was at the home of Mr and Mrs. H. E Ostendorf with dancing the big feature, and excellent music by E P. Hovermann and Ron. Smith, violins, assisted by Lillian Trevelyan, Bob Miller, E. Ostrensky and R. Walde. A fine lunch was served at midnight.

Wynndel Women's Institute

A large and enthusiastic meeting of Wynndel Women's Institute was held in the United Church on January 9th. After the directors' and auditor's reports were read and adopted—the latter showing a balance on hand of $147 after all expenses had been paid. This report will be published shortly, the secretary's illness having delayed same. 1934 officers were elected by acclamation, as follows:

President—Mrs. Vic. Johnson.
Vice-President—Mrs. T. Dunseath.
Secy.-Treas.—Miss Olga Hagen.
Directors—Mrs. R. C. Eakin, Mrs. Hulme.
Auditors—Mrs. T. E. Slingsby, Mrs.E. Hackett.
Publicity convenor—Mrs. Slingsby.

The meeting then adjourned and the regular monthly meeting followed. It was decided to change the day of meeting from Thursday to the third Tuesday of each month. A military whist and dance under hospital committee auspices will be held Januar 26th.

Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Eakin were appointed to look after the purchase of a large, used cook stove for the community hall kitchen. An engraved plate will be placed on the door of the private room in the new hospital which is being furnished by this institute.

A vote of thanks was tendered the retiring officers. The tea hostesses of the afternoon were Mrs. M. Hagen, Mrs. Hackett, Mrs. Glasier Miss B. Hulme.

Auxiliary Elects Former Officers

Ladies' Hospital Organization Makes Splendid Showing in all Directions—Buying Committee Renders Outstanding Service.

There was a large and representative turnout of members of Creston Hospital Women's Auxiliary for the annual meeting on Monday afternoon, at which the retiring presiden, Mrs. R. Stevens presided.

Although the auxiliary is less than a year old the very complete report on the activities for the past nine months, submitted by the retiring secretary, Mrs. Jas Cherrington, showed that the mem bers had been very active in various directions. The financial statement was particularly gratifying.

Mrs. C. Murrell, convenor of the buying committee, reported nine sewing meetings at which mending and other needs were taken care of.

The linen at the hospital had been checked and stamped. About 300 articles have been made, including 21 pairs curtains, 24 sheets and 35 pilllow cases. 226 articles have been given the hospital, and there is a good supply on hand. The committee's expenditure for the year was $104. For the most part the old officers were re-elected as follyws:

President—Mrs. R. Stevens
Vice-President—Mrs. C. F. Hayes.
Secy.-Treasurer—Mrs. C. Murrell.
Executive—Mrs. Jas. Cook, Mrs. Jas. Cherrington, Mrs. C. H. Hare, Mrs. F. V. Staples.

Mrs. Jas Cook, whose term as buyer had expired, was re-elected, and the retiring officers were accorded a very enthusiastic vote of thanks for services rendered.

There was the usual half-hour of sociability at the close of proceedings, with the retiring executive as hostesses. The freewill o ering amounted to $2.45

Mrs. McLaren Heads Institute

Reports Submitted Indicate Useful Year—School Fair an Outstanding Success — Membership and Bank Balance Less

Notwithstanding a diminished membership a year of useful community activity was reflected in the reports submitted at the annual meeting of Creston a d District Women's Institute on Saturday afternoon, which was in charge of the retiring president. Mrs. C. F. Hayes.

Until the organization of Creston Hospital Women's Auxiliary quite early in the year, the Institute hospital committee rendered useful service to the hospital in various ways, including a cash grant to that institution. The flower show, which was held in September, and included a school fair, was an outstanding success, the display of school work being the best ever seen in the Kootenays.

In a number of cases very practical and much appreciated help was extended, including a benefit bridge to help Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil, who lost their home and a l its contents by fire ate last fall. A leg brace was secured for Julius D'Zvigola and with its assistance his capacity for walking has been greatly improved. The treasurer's statement showed all obligations met and a cash surplus of $5. The election of officers resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. H. W. McLaren.
Vice-President—Mrs. C. F. Hayes.
Secy.-Treasurer—Mrs. W. Fraser.
Executive—Mrs. W. H. Crawford, Mrs. R. Stevens

It was decided to continue the regular meeting on the second Friday in each month, and following the 1933 custom these will be held at the homes of different members.

The only setback recorded during 1933 was the failure to gain sufficient points in the Institutes' display of needlecraft at the Vancouver exhibition to permanently win the silver cup, which the institute had carried off for two years previous.

Votes of thanks were tendered the retiring off ers and retiring executive were tea hostesses for the afternoon, with the freewill offering going to the Crippled Children's Fund.

CORPORATION OF THE

Village of Creston

Nomination and Election of Village Commissioners

To the Electors of the Village of Creston:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Nomination of Three Commissioners will be held at the Village Hall on MONDAY JANUARY 22nd, 1934, from the hour of 12 o'clock noon Coast time (1 o'clock local time) and 2 o'clock p.m. Coast time (3 o'clock local time), and the polling (if any) will take place on THURSDAY, JANUARY 25th. 1934, at the Village Hall from Nine o'clock Coast time (10 a.m. local time) to Seven o'clock p.m. Coast time (8 o'clock p.m. local time.

E. F. ARROWSMITH, Clerk.
Crestod, Jan. 8, 1934.

Lister

Miss Olsen, who teaches at Huscroft, got back on Monday morning, and school resumed for the winter session that day.

Mrs. Bamford of Erickson has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bird, returning on Wednesday.

Miss Jean Fisher, who has been at her home at Nelson for the holiday season, returned at the end of the week, and is again stopping with Col. and Mrs. Lister.

B. B Stallwood of Nelson was here for a few days at the end of the week, returning on Sunday accompanied by Mrs. Stallwood, who has been with her parents, Col. and Mrs. Fred Lister.

John Finlay is at present in charge of a couple of helpers who are opening up a silver lead prospect at Canyon, at the Skimmerhorn.

Miss Curtis is back from Slocan City and Miss Webster from Coal Creek and school resumed after the holidays on Monday. The former has 23 pupils on the roll and the 'atter 30.

Rev H. Harding, Anglican field secretary for religious education work, will preach here at the service on Sunday morning at 11.

The Community Society are having a bridge at the schoolhouse on Saturday evening, with the usual 15 and 10 cents admission. It will be in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker.

There is a considerable valley demand for Lister baled alfalfa this montn and truckloads are moving from the John Huscroft, Col. Lister, Mrs. Beard, Jas. Duncan and R. T. Millener places. H. Helme delivered a load to the Kitchener airport at the first of the week.

Canyon City

C. Tedford and son are busy with their truck on a haul of logs to the Chas. O. Rodgers sawmill at Creston, which is again in operation.

School re-opened on Monday after the Christmas vacation with a full attendance in both rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Knott and their two grandchildren, Nada and Alice Barnhardt, arrived home at the end of the week from their two weeks' holiday visit with Mr. and Mr. Jeff Knott at Snoqualme, Wash.

Friends will be glad to hear that Mrs. Grose continues to improve in health after her rather serious illness. She is in her 86th year.

The regular Farmers' Institute meeting for January has been deferred uutil Saturday, February 3rd.

John Finlay of Li ter, with the assistance of Godfrey Samuelson and Cecil Burns, are working on a mining claim on the mountain back of New Sweden, and are reported to have taken out s me likely looking ore.

The alfalfa growers at Lister are disposing of some of some of their baled product in this district at present. Truckloads are also to be seen going through to Erickson and Creston.

The financial statement in connection with Canyon's 1933 Christmas tree is submitted by Mesdames Hickey, Niblow, Messinger, Blair, Searle and Kolthammar, as follows: Receipts—C.C.F., $5; F. Rosen, $2; J. Anderson, $1; Dance, $25. 25; Bridge drive, $17.45; Various, $4; total, $54.65. Expense—Eaton's, $34.92; Canyon Trading Co., $18.20; Lunch, $4.03; Balance, $2.50; Total, $54.65. Canyon Hall Association kindly donated the hall free of cost to the committee in charge. It was unanimously voted that the balance of $2 50 be donated to the Canyon Hall Association to be used as they see fit.

Scouts Taking First Aid Work

Dr.Olivier Giving Instruction to Class of 15 in Squads of Five—Badges Issued—Tenderfoot Tests Passed—27 on Roll.

Business as usual was resumed by Creston Troop of Boy Scouts, following the holiday period, at the weekly meeting on Wednesday night, with Scoutmaster Ed. Gardiner in charge

The troop now has a membership of 27 and hese have been divided into three patrols: Wolves, in charge of Clifford York; Lynx, in command of Gus. Morabito, and the Cougars headed by David Armitage. The patrols meet separately from 7 to 8 p.m., when the meeting becomes a general one.

18 badges were presented to those who had passed the tenderfoot tests, and each was given a book on tenderfoot second class tests. Five who had passed first-class were each given a book on second class scouts.

The troop has been fortunate in inducing Dr. Olivier to give them instruction in first aid work. At present fifteen scouts are taking the course and these have been divided into three classes of five each.

Now that the troop is using the Parish Hall for its weekly meeting it has room for its recreation features, which include games, boxing and other athletic activities.

The Scouts' group committee reports prcgress in its endeavor to secure still better quarters in a new hall. The building committee of the Legion have conferred with group members, and it is hoped that building operations may soon commence on a suitable hall to serve both the Legion and Scouts, as well as being available for gymnasium and athletic purposes, and for meetings and sociables of every sort.

Wynndel

The Ladies' Aid had their January meeting at the home of Mrs. Ogilvie on Thursday last.

A. Glasier and daughter, Mabel, who were Christmas-New Year visitors at Metalline Falls, Wash., arrived home last week.

F. C. Robinson of Nelson was renewing acquaintance here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Broley, who spent Christmas and New Years at Fernie, returned last week. They made the trip by auto.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Greig was the scene of a very pleasant surprise party Friday evening, and took the form of a musicale.

Rev. Mr. Harding is to take the Anglican Church service at Wynnael on Sunday at 8 p.m.

The wet weather came to an end on Thursday night, when frost set in and has continued ever since. With the continued wet weather roads are in bad shape and travel anything but easy.

School opened on Monday after the Christmas vacation with Miss Harrop and Mrs. McGregor again in charge of senior and junior room r spectively.

The annual meeting of Wynndel Women's Institute was held at the United Church on January 9th, with the president, Mrs. Vic. Johnson, in the chair, and Mrs. Dunseath acting as the secretary in the absence of Miss Olga Hagen, through illness. Officers elected for 1934 are: President, Mrs. Vic Johnson; vice-president, Mrs. T. Dunseath; secretary-treasurer, Miss O. Hagen; directors, Mrs. Eakin and Mrs. Hulme. The auditors are Mrs. Hackett and Mrs. T. E. Slingsby, with the latter also named convenor of publicity. The day for the regular meeting has been changed to the third Tuesday of each month. A military whist will be held on January 26th.

The hall annex was the scene of an enjoyable party on Friday afternoon when the Anglican Sunday school children were entertained Games were enjoyed and prizes for tailing the donkey were won by Roy Davis and Margaret Bathie. Musical chairs by Denis Huscroft. Prizes for attendance were distributed with firsts going to Nesta Huscroft and Margaret Bathie. Seconds to E. and A. Davis, R. Dupus, H. Davis, D. Huscroft, Doris Huscroft, M. Huscroft, Tommy and Louise Butterfield, Eileen Dalbom, Marion Butterfi ld, Olive Uri, Rosaleen and Winnie Moon. Thirds to R. Wolfrum, H. and K. Patalia, Mary and N. Markin, Lois Martell, Sid and Terry Davidge, Nellie and Patsy Rhodes. Seven of the mothers along with Mrs. Howell served lunch, which included oranges donated by the Woman's Auxiliary and was enjoyed by the W.A. mothers. The latter are planing a St. Valentine Day party.

Thrifty Housewives Buy Quality

"SALADA" TEA

"Fresh from the Gardens"

Responsibility

It has become an almost universal habit to enter a new calendar year light-heartedly, in a spirit of gaiety, with nothing but words of happiness and good cheer upon our lips. And it is well that our greetings to one another on this annual occasion should take the form of good wishes for health, happiness and prosperity. But after the jollity attendant upon the passing of the old year and entry into the new be ended, there should come to most of us as intelligent men and women more serious thoughts and a deeper realization of the significance of a new year.

The tearing off from the calendar of the last monthly sheet of the old year; the opening of the diary of the new year at page one; the changing of the figures of the year from 1933 to 1934,—these should bring home to us a new and greater sense of our individual responsibility in relation to the year upon which we have entered.

Because many of the big problems of tthe year are beyond our control; because many of the happenings of the year and its trends in this direction or that will develop irrespective of our views or actions, the fact should not be overlooked that the responsibility is ours for the determination and direction of numerous small matters which actually exert a far greater influence in the making or marring of our lives than these other so-called greater things which are beyond our control.

In the event of a great plague or epidemic of disease most of us would at once become alive to our responsibility to safeguard ourselves, our families, and our community from it. But how many of us give the same thought and accept the same responsibility for the day-to-day state of our health? Yet the state of our health, our vigor of mind and body, is a matter that most of us can determine to a large extent for ourselves. Health is the result of our habits and ways of living. It influences our lives possibly more than any other one thing. The responsibility is mainly our own to promote good health or bring on poor health; it is a responsibility that others cannot accept for us.

Again responsibility for our words and actions rests with ourselves. It is our duty to control our tongues, to weigh our words, to direct our actions. What misunderstandings, heart-burnings, pain and sorrow have been caused by a few thoughtless words; how many friendships have been broken and communities thrown into bitter strife because someone failed to recognize their responsibility before they spoke. It is such a simple thing to light a match, but the results of that simple act depend upon the use to which the lighted match is put; whether it is in the hands of a responsible or irresponsible person. It may provide a guide to a lonely wanderer and warmth and comfort and suitably prepared food for him, or it may start a conflagration resulting in the loss of many lives and destruction of much property. Our words, and our individual actions throughout the year, may have like beneficial or disastrous results. The responsibility rests with us

In these unusual times possibly to a greater extent than in more normal times and under less trying conditions, the responibility of individuals is increased even in face of the fact that the State is likewise compelled to assume new and heavier responsibilities. At a time of world-wide unemployment, when thousands of individuals find it impossible to procure a livelihood for themselves as they were formerly quite capable of doing, Government perforce must make provision for them. But one of the present developments in our individual, community and economic life as a result of this enforced but temporary shifting of responsibility for the provision of the necessities of life for many, is the dissemination of the idea that such a condition should be made more or less permanent; that in the future the individual should assume and exert far less responsibility for his own well-being, and that the State should asume far more reponsibility.

Whatever merit, or demerit, there may be in this view which, however, is finding acceptance in various countries under varying names, and under which the individual is losing much of his individuality and being more and more kept by, but at the same time moved about at the will of, the State, one thing does remain true so far as the people of Canada are concerned. The responsibility still rests with them as individuals to study this thing thoroughly and to reach their own conclusions as to whether it is in their own best interests and in the interests of their country; that is, whether such a shifting of responsibility will make for a better, nobler, stronger manhood and womanhood, which, in the final analysis, is the object and end of life.

The measure of a man is how he faces and accepts responsibility. All our education has bnt one main object,—the preparation of youth for the acceptance and discharge of such responsibilities as life may impose upon them. Placing responsibility upon them has been the salvation of many a person. It has led many away from folly, awakening them to the realities of life, widening their vision, and developing powers they little realized they possessed.

Let us throughout 1934 measure up to our responsibilities, whatever they may be, facing them fearlessly and discharging them courageously and efficiently to the best of our ability.

Keeps Old Mail Bag

Charles Swindler, rural mail carrier of Paulding, Ohio, loves the mail bag he has "toted for 30 years" and because he does Postmaster-General James A. Farley permitted him to keep it when he retired in December. In requesting the bag, Swindler said he had kept it in repair at his own expense since entering the service.

Creamery Butter Estimate

The latest estimates of what Alberta's production of creamery butter will be is 23,500,000 lbs. according to Dr. Marker, dairy commissioner for the province. This, if fulfilled, will be more than half a million lbs. greater than the record year of 1931, when the total production was 22,000,000 lbs.

MILBURN'S HEALTH AND NERVE PILLS

A Tired, Worn Out Woman Can't Make a Happy Home

There is no happiness in the home when the mother is sick and worried by the never ending household duties. She gets run down and becomes nervous and irritable, has shortness of breath, faint and dizzy, can't sleep, and gets up in the morning feeling as tired as she went to bed, and is downhearted and discouraged.

Milburn's H. & N. Pills will soon convince women it is not necessary to suffer, as they build up the nervous system and bring back the former health and vigor.

Export Of Farm Products

Ham, Bacon, Poultry And Eggs Show Increases

Canada doubled its exports of bacon and hams this year as compared with 1932. The exports of live cattle were over twice as great. The exports of eggs in the shell increased seven-fold. Cheese exports were down.

When the final figures are in, the exports of ham and bacon will total about 75,000,000 pounds of which approximately 70,000,000 went to the United Kingdom. Last year 30,693,400 pounds went to the United Kingdom out of a total of 35,820,400 pounds.

Approximately 52,850 live cattle went from Canada to the United Kingdom this year. About 8,500 head went to other countries or a total of over 61,000 head. Last year 16,925 head went to United Kingdom and 11,896 to other countries, or 28,831 altogether.

The egg exports this year totalled about 2,000,000 dozen. Last year the total was only 272,000 dozen. On the other hand practically no eggs were imported. Some years back Canada used to export over 6,000,000 dozen but at that time about as many eggs were imported as exported.

Canada shipped about 1,000,000 pounds of dressed poultry, mostly turkeys, to the British market for the holiday trade. This was about 100,000 pounds more than last year when the movement was started.

The exports of butter this year exceeded last year's, but there was a marked falling off in cheese.

HOW ONE MAN LOST 19 lbs. FAT

Now Feels Absolutely Fit

A fat man is commonly supposed to be good-humoured, easy-going. But there is many a fat man who finds the going far from easy. The following letter describes one typical instance:—

"I began to put on weight this year, and developed stoutness in the stomach which was very ugly. I took Kruschen Salts each morning for a month, and reduced my weight 13 lbs. So I kept on, and have now reduced 19 lbs. altogether. Apart from that, it has also relieved me of headaches, and I feel absolutely fit each morning, ready for a hard day's work."—H. M.

Taken every morning, Kruschen effects a perfectly natural clearance of undigested food substances and all excessive watery waste matter. Unless this wastage is regularly expelled Nature will eventually store it up out of the way in the form of ugly fat. Once Kruschen gets into the blood you will soon see that double chin begin to go, and that too prominent abdomen begin to disappear.

Eskimo Goes Modern

Have Had First Labor Strike And Won "Hands Down"

The Eskimo has gone modern. They have had the first labor strike in their history. And they won it.

Out of the vastness of Canada's northland, 300 odd miles within the Arctic circle, comes the unique story of the victory of the diminutive dark-skinned wards of the country. It is the story of the Eskimo organizing labor for the first time and against none other than the famed Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the historic Hudson's Bay Company. By the "moccasin" trail and other means of Arctic travel it reached Ottawa.

Bady needed for coastal Arctic posts, a congestion of police and company supplies was on hand at Aklavik. The usual seasonal pay of $20 per ton for unloading was offered to the Eskimo. Sensing the exigencies of the situation, the wily "stevedores" sprung a surprise and held an impromptu meeting. They demanded $25 per ton and refused to compromise. The police and the company capitulated.

Some 20 Eskimo were involved in the strike. The pay went into a "pool" divided equally between them at the end of the navigation season. Credit accounts for the men were established accordingly for supplies at stores of the Hudson's Bay Company.

A profitable bit of homework for the electors is to decide on the slate of candidates who merit an "X" behind their names.

W. N. U. 2028

Here's Quickest, Simplest Way to Stop a Cold

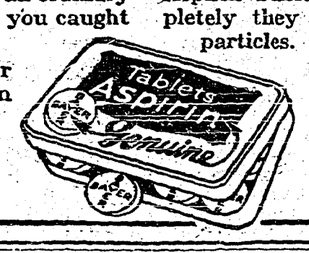
1. Take 2 Aspirin Tablets.
2. Drink full glass of water. Repeat treatment in 2 hours.
3. If throat is sore, crush and dissolve 3 Aspirin Tablets in a half glass of water and gargle according to directions in box.

Almost Instant Relief in this Way

The simple method pictured above is the way doctors throughout the world now treat colds.

It is recognized as the QUICKEST, safest, surest way to treat a cold. For it will check an ordinary cold almost as fast as you caught it.

Ask your doctor about this. And when you buy, see that you get Aspirin Tablets. Aspirin is the trademark of The Bayer Company, Limited, and the name Bayer in the form of a cross is on each tablet. They dissolve almost instantly. And thus work almost instantly when you take them. And for a gargle, Aspirin Tablets dissolve so completely they leave no irritating particles. Get a box of 12 tablets or a bottle of 24 or 100 at any drug store.



ASPIRIN TABLETS ARE MADE IN CANADA

DOES NOT HARM THE HEART

Employment In Logging Operations

Encouraging Signs Of Industrial Recovery In Canada

Among the encouraging signs of industrial recovery, the increase in employment in logging operations is of special significance from the standpoint of winter work. The monthly reports received by the Department of Labor indicate that on November 1 there were approximately 100,000 men employed in logging operations as compared with 35,000 at the same time last year. This is practically back to the average of the five-year period, 1926-30, when 105,000 were on the pay rolls in November.

During those five years, which may be taken as normal, the average number engaged in logging thoughout the year is estimated to be 91,000, but the monthly averages varied from 54,500 in August to 139,000 in February. If this trend is followed in 1934, there should be 120,000 men at work during the next four months.

The advantage of having an industry which is capable of absorbing from 60,000 to 70,000 additional men during the winter months when work in many other occupations is curtailed is apparent.

The Forest Service of the Department of the Interior attributes this increase in the activity of the logging camps to the increased exportation of lumber, especially to the United Kingdom and other parts of the Empire, and to improved conditions in the pulp and paper industry, together with the depletion of stocks of logs and pulpwood during the past two years.

Canada's Non-Metallic Minerals

Dominion Is The Leading Producer Of Asbestos

Canada is the leading producer of asbestos, has the largest talc output in the British Empire, and is one of the three mica-producing nations according to the Department of Mines, Ottawa. The Dominion is an exporter of feldspar, gypsum, salt, arsenic, diatomite, and grindstones, and a producer of sodium sulphate, natural and artificial abrasives, magnesite, silica, moulding sands, soapstone, phosphate and many others. Minerals known to occur rather extensively include barite, chromite, sulphur (pyrites), volcanic dust, and garnet. Development of these minerals is largely in the initial stages. To the foregoing should be added structural materials which are generally classed as non-metallics and which include clay, sand and gravel, limestone, granite, and marble. Occurrences of these are abundant in Canada and in the main are of excellent quality.

Lesson For The Future

Germany's Blow At International Confidence Something To Think About

Herr Hitler still speaks of his nation as down-trodden slaves. All that has been done to mitigate the consequences of defeat and humiliation for Germany has counted, it seems, as nothing. The evacuation of the Rhineland was hastened. Foreign military control was abandoned when it might have been continued. Reparations have been wiped out. Germany has been welcomed to the league and raised to the rank of highest honor and influence in its councils. But because all-round disarmament and equality for herself have been promised for a few years hence, not at this moment, this damaging blow at international confidence has been delivered. It is a situation to be dealt with calmly now; but its lesson for the future is written on the face of it. —London Daily Telegraph.

Elk Thrive In Ontario

Herd Sent From West Doing Well At Pembroke And Sudbury

That the herds of elk sent by the Dominion Department of the Interior from Buffalo National Park in Alberta to Ontario and placed in the Provincial Crown Preserve near Pembroke and on the farmlands of the Burwash Industrial Farm 20 miles east of Sudbury have settled down and are thriving in their new surroundings is reported by the Ontario Department of Game and Fisheries. The twenty-five head established near Pembroke have had an increase of five young in 1933, while a similar increase has been reported from the herd of fifty at Burwash. Three adult elk died at the Burwash farm but the remainder of the herd as well as all those at Pembroke are in splendid condition states the report.

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DISTINCT SIGNS OF BUSINESS RECOVERY NOTED

Montreal.—"While business conditions were far below normal to the end of 1933 there have been distinct and positive evidences of improvement," writes Paul Bilkey, editor-in-chief, in the Gazette's commercial and financial review for the year 1933.

Writing under the title "looking back on 1933 and its business conditions," Mr. Bilkey said, in part: "Canada in common with the rest of the world, has passed through a year marked by events so momentous that it is not yet possible to estimate the full extent of their influence. The depression, which so many people hoped was coming to an end in 1932, not only continued through the 12 months that have just closed, but developed increased severity at least in the early part of the year, and the remedial efforts which were attempted from time to time by individual nations, or by the nations collectively, were frustrated in large measure by European political uncertainties, the ineptitude of governments, and a general condition of international distrust.

"The failure of disarmament negotiations and the breakdown of the League of Nations produced a situation on the continent of Europe and extending into the Far East, which rendered the composition of world monetary difficulties virtually impossible. The vexed question of international indebtedness remained, and is still, a factor of major importance in preventing the restoration or purchasing power throughout the world and the reconstruction of world trade.

"Nevertheless, while business conditions were far below normal to the end of 1933, there have been distinct and positive evidences of improvement."

A marked recovery had been witnessed in Great Britain and even on the continent of Europe. The trend had been upward, Mr. Bilkey said. "The gains have been relative, but at the same time substantial, and in Canada there has been a very noteworthy industrial expansion, a hardening of prices and a general revival of confidence. There can be very little doubt that a really strong movement along the road to economic recovery in Canada is being delayed only by the influence of external conditions."

"The year opened badly in the Dominion and conditions were at their worst in February, but from that time on there was an almost continuous increase in manufacturing activity and in other important branches of trade.

"A more general upward movement would, no doubt, have occurred but for the very unsatisfactory condition of the wheat market and the resulting lack of new wealth in the prairie provinces." Reviewing the small grain crop, Mr. Bilkey continues: "Hitherto the sale of Canada's surplus wheat at satisfactory prices has been one of the main contributors to the national prosperity and the principal factor in western progress. The determination of wheat-consuming countries in Europe to make themselves as largely as possible self-sustaining has been a blow to this phase of Canadian economic life, and it seems doubtful now whether the wheat growing industry and the various marketing agencies dependent upon it can count upon anything but a slow and partial recovery of the old markets."

There had been a general gain in business during the year of more than 35 per cent. and in manufacturing of something over 65 per cent. The building trades had a decidedly unfavorable year, but there was prospect of better things in 1934, including a large-scale construction programme sponsored and financed by the Dominion government.

Alberta Legislature

Edmonton.—Opening day for the 1934 session of the Alberta legislature will be Thursday, February 8, it is announced by Premier Brownlee.

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A Bright Future

Dean Inge Sees Hope For Large Countries With Small Population

London.—Very Rev. Ralph Inge, the "gloomy dean" of St. Paul's, foresees a bright future for large countries of little population at present, such as Canada.

The dean, who retires this year from the historic cathedral, declares in the new edition of his book, "England," that the position of Great Britain as one of the great powers is bound to decline relatively though not absolutely.

"The future, as regards effective forces and wealth, belongs to large countries not yet full of people," he adds.

Declaring that the dominions may not always be willing to support the Mother Country, the dean observes further that "it seems to me to be almost certain that we shall be unable to find food and work for our present population.

"For this reason I favor emigration or better state-directed colonization."

Discussing arms and armies, Dean Inge makes this prediction:

"If in the future we are attacked by a European coalition we may take it as probable that the United States will leave us to our fate unless, indeed, we are invaded by a black army."

Other quotations from the volume:

"Looseness of conduct is unquestionably spreading downward to classes where it was almost unknown.

"Knowledge of methods of birth control has had unfortunate results on the morals of many persons of both sexes."

Valuable Painting Destroyed

Loss of Canvas Said To Have Aroused International Interest

Ottawa.—The celebrated canvas, "Angel's Choir," by Van Dyck, destroyed in the fire at the Gleeson residence, was purchased from C. S. Parsons, of the department of mines, Ottawa, native Nova Scotian, by John Gleeson, well known Ottawa business man, it was revealed here. International interest has been aroused by the loss of the picture, one of the three paintings each known as "Angel's Choir" or "Concert Des Anges" attributed to the Flemish master.

Covered with dust, it was found rolled up in a Greenbush, N.Y., attic on September 23, 1848, said Mr. Parsons.

The painting, according to Mr. Gleeson, had been taken out of Belgium by soldiers of Napoleon and brought to Albany, N.Y., more than 100 years ago by a French doctor.

Even Germany was enquiring over the transatlantic telephone about the destroyed painting. But Mr. Gleeson was too ill from the shock of the fire to answer.

Burn Tons Of Coffee

Brazilian Coffee Growers Use Method to Reduce Surplus

Rio De Janeiro, Brazil.—Outdoing their previous efforts, Brazilian coffee growers burned 918,065 tons of interior coffee in 1933 and brought to 1,716,000 tons the amount destroyed since July, 1931.

The federal coffee department, in announcing the figures, estimated stocks have been so reduced that normal exports can be shipped when the new crop is ready in July.

Honors for Saskatoon Professor

Saskatoon.—W. G. Worcester, professor of ceramics, University of Saskatchewan, has been honored with a fellowship in the American Association for the Advancement of Science. He was already a fellow of the American Ceramics society and member of the Canadian Ceramics society.

Cold Weather Delays Train

Edmonton.—Transcontinental train of the Canadian National Railways was delayed 45 minutes during recent cold weather when the whistle and bell of the giant "6,000" class locomotive froze up, it is related by railwaymen. The case is the first of its kind in Edmonton railway history.

JOHN C. SHIPMAN

Who has been appointed Director and Superintendent of Printing at the Government Printing Bureau, Ottawa. He succeeds P. M. Draper who has retired. Mr. Shipman has been employed in the Government Printing Bureau since 1889.—Photo by Paul Horsdal, Ottawa.

Viscount Churchill Dead

Was Prominent In English Business And Political Life

London. — Victor Albert Spencer, 69, first Viscount Churchill of Wychwood, died of pneumonia and is succeeded by his son, Victor Alexander Spencer, whose wife is a Victoria girl. The new Viscountess Churchill is Kathleen, daughter of the late Robert Beaven, premier of British Columbia from 1882 to 1883. She was the widow of Captain Venn Ellis when she married Spencer in 1916.

Chairman of the Great Western Railway, the dead viscount was prominent in numerous fields of activity — business, political and social. He was one of the Conservative whips in the house of lords. He was the godson of Queen Victoria, lord chamberlain at the coronation of King Edward VII, and master of the robes at the coronation of King George.

Threat Of War

Speaker in Winnipeg Sees Many Signs

Winnipeg. — Proposed amalgamation of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific railways is evidence Canada is preparing for war, declared Peter Hunter, Hamilton, Ont., in an address here.

Mr. Hunter, Canada's sole representative at the world youth Anti-war congress in Paris last September, spoke to the Winnipeg Youth Anti-war congress. He said amalgamation of the two railways would permit quicker mobilization of troops.

Among other evidence war was near, said Mr. Hunter, was the heavy manufacture of equipment needed for troops and the existence in Montreal of "80,000 Fascist Green Shirts."

Arms Revision

Premier Mussolini Confers With Sir John Simon

Rome.—A revision of arms figures calculated to strike a satisfactory balance among the armaments of the powers, rather than a wholesale slash previously favored by Italy, was said authoritatively to have been suggested by Premier Benito Mussolini to Sir John Simon, British foreign secretary.

The two statesmen conferred for more than two hours seeking a way of solving the present Franco-German deadlock on disarmament.

One of the subjects discussed was the reform of the League of Nations. Mussolini, it is understood, explained his ideas.

A significant article on the subject appears in Lavoro, Fascist newspaper, which says: "In general, the lines of reform of the League of Nations should be along the principle which today regulates the British commonwealth of nations. Nations forming part of the British commonwealth are in no way deprived of their rights. It is recognition of the value of natural forces which permits the British commonwealth to maintain its unity, and the same thing should happen for the league."

Pursuing Wheat Inquiry

Status Of Shipment Through New York Still Under Advisement

New York.—The British board of customs is pursuing its inquiry as to the status of a test shipment of Canadian wheat through New York to England.

It was announced here recently the test shipment from Fort William via Buffalo and New York had been admitted free, after two previous shipments had been held liable to the six-cent tariff against grain other than that shipped direct from the Dominions to England.

It is now learned that after the British customs accepted the current shipment, the question was again taken under advisement by the board of customs in whose hands it remains at present.

Situation Desperate

New York Mayor Favors Municipal Dictatorship

New York.—The establishment of a municipal dictatorship, unique in the operation of American cities, was the answer proposed by Mayor Fiorello H. Laguardia for solving the financial crisis facing the city of New York.

Confronted with a staggering operating budget of more than $500,000,000 and a minimum deficit of $25,000,000, the new mayor seeks a two-year period in which to operate with a free hand.

Under terms of his unparalleled proposal he would delegate to himself sweeping powers in the determination of economies.

ROYAL AIR FORCE 'PLANE NARROWLY MISSES PALACE

King George, looking out of one of the windows at Buckingham Palace recently was startled to see a Royal Air Force 'plane gliding down straight for the Royal residence. Fortunately the pilot was able to guide his 'plane safely across the grounds and make a forced landing in Hyde Park, a few yards from Marble Arch. Here we see the 'plane surrounded by a crowd of curious spectators. Engine trouble caused the 'plane to descend in the heart of London.

MESSAGE OF ROOSEVELT IS WELL RECEIVED

Washington. — In a vigorously worded, personally delivered message, President Roosevelt pointed an enthusiastic United States congress toward his conception of a permanent recovery on a new basis.

The president thrust deeply toward some of the recently disclosed practices of big business in the banking and speculative fields.

He told the joint session of congress that the United States is "definitely in the process of recovery," and proposed a permanency of the principles of his monetary, agriculture and industrial policies.

For new fields or immediate effort, he asked "stringent preventative or regulatory measures" in business affairs and a governmental and public war against organized crime.

If the warm welcome given Mr. Roosevelt by the legislators when he appeared to read his annual message was any criterion, he will have as little trouble with this session as with the emergency gathering he called last spring. In fact, Democratic leaders were confidently predicting that congress would do what the president wanted it to do and go quietly home in May.

Addressing a joint session of the senate and the house personally, he asked co-operation "to continue the restoration of our national well-being and, equally important, to build on the ruins of the past a new structure designed better to meet the present problems of modern civilization."

"We have ploughed the furrow and planted the good seed", he said. "The hard beginning is over. If we would reap the full harvest we must cultivate the soil where this good seed is sprouting and the plant is reaching up to mature growth."

"We have been shocked by many notorious examples of injuries done our citizens by persons or groups who have been living off their neighbors by the use of methods either unethical or criminal.

"In the first category—a field which does not involve violations of the letter of our laws—practices have been brought to light which have shocked those who believe that we were in the past generation raising the ethical standards of business. They call for stringent preventive or regulatory measures. I am speaking of those inidividuals who have evaded the spirit and purpose of our tax laws, of those high officials of banks or corporations who have grown rich at the expense of their stockholders or the public, of those reckless speculators with their own or other people's money whose operations have injured the values of the farmers' crops and the savings of the poor."

May Have Fewer Members

Alberta Considering Reduction Of Seats In Legislature

Edmonton.—Reduction of the number of members of the Alberta legislature, possibly to 45 or 50, compared with 63 at present, is expected to be one of the major questions up for discussion at the session expected to commence February 8.

This has been under consideration for some time, a redistribution committee having been named at the last session to deal with the problem and submit a report.

Figures Are Satisfactory

Drop In Alberta Motor Licenses Slight Considering Conditions

Edmonton. — Automobile licenses issued in Alberta during 1933 were only 200 fewer than the year before, numbering 85,250 as compared with 86,010. Of these 71,076 were for passenger cars and 14,174 for trucks.

The year's figures are considered by government officials highly satisfactory, in view of economic conditions that prevailed throughout the year.

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FINANCING THE HOSPITAL

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Now that the splendid new hospital is completed and in operation, and which was well described in the issue of the Review on December 1st, it might be well to consider how the expense of running the institution is to be met.

In 1932, after a sum of no less than $1000.00 had been written off as uncollectable, there still remained outstanding accounts amounting to over $3000, and in 1933 there is again a deficit in the operating account.

No doubt the hard times we have been passing through account for a good portion of this deficit and it would seem that unless some definite effort is made to place the hospital finances on a reasonably firm basis that the result will be that the hospital committee will be unable to carry on, and we must all admit that to have to close the hospital, now that the benefit to the dis rict has been amply demonstrated, would be a setback that nobody wishes to happen.

It must be remembered also that a hospital receiving provincial aid cannot turn any patient away whether the charges can be paid or not, which places the hospitals at a distinct disadvantage financially. Many people also dismiss the subject with a suggestion that grants from the provincial funds be made to meet these deficits, never stopping to consider that all provincial and municipal funds are raised by taxation.

There are two ways that the hospital can be financed through taxation and t e first is by means of a Provincial Health Insurance Act and secondly by hospital districts in which the cost of operating a rural hospital would be raised by direct taxes on property in the area served by the hospital.

The former would meet the needs of industrial workers but in the rural districts would have to be on an entirely voluntary basis on account of there being no definite payroll from which to collect the monthly dues, and, indeed, the repor: of the Health Insurance Commission states that this would be almost an insurmountable obstacle to everyone coming under this act.

Hospital Districts for rural communities would seem a much more workable scheme and besides the bare operation of the hospital, provision could be made for health services on a community basis, such as dental clinics for school children and medical contracts, the operation of which could be made optional to the wishes of the taxpayers of the district.

Under this scheme too, local control would be assured which would thus be removed from the exp diency of party politics. As, however, no such scheme is within sight at the present time the Hospital Committee have agreed to accept the suggestion made in a report tendered by a committee of the Board of Trade and sell Hospital Contracts which would entitle the subscriber and his family (i.e. wife and children under 18 years) to free accomodation in the hospital in case of sickness.

These contracts are nothing new and many hospitals have used this method of keeping out of debt. The best example that we can quote in this respect, is the Lady Minto Hospital at Ganges, B.C. This Hospital finished up 1932 with $600 in cash in the bank after all operating charges had been met in spite of the fact that they had collectable accounts totalling $1300.00 outstanding, and this sum was not taken into account when the balance sheet was made out, and whatever sums of this amount are collected will be to the good.

They have a total of 197 subscribers in 1932 with also 68 children registered as members. These latter contribute $1.50 each per annum and the cost of an individual contract is $6.00. This hospital has no family contract similar to the one proposed by our committee but it will be seen that as the average number in a family is reckoned as four that a family charge of $15.00 should be correct.

This scheme should, therefore, if well subscribed, prove of great benefit to the hospital as well as the individual subscriber who will thus be automatically relieved of the worry attending sickness should he be unfortunate enough to meet it in the future.

A canvass will be made to sell these contracts and meetings held in various centers to explain the benefits available. The Commission on Health Insurance state definitely in their report that sickness is a calamity to anyone having an income of less than $2400 per annum, so that it is evident that the committee are putting within the reach of almost everyone a means whereby hospital treatment at a very nominal sum is assured and the dread of a hospital bill, which cannot be paid, is removed.

Even though it is a fact that nobody can be turned away from the hospital we do not believe that the average man wants to default on the payment of hospital bills and it would seem that the Hospital Accomodation Contract now being offered is the very best insurance against a default.

All the work in connection with the sale of these contracts is being done gratis and it is hoped that as many as possible will not wait to have somebody call but will sign the contract at one of the meetings, or at the secretary's office.

It is hoped, too, that in the future a medical contract on similar lines will be available such as is in operation in Cardston, Alberta, where th-y have 400 families on the roll and who for a sum of $25 per annum receive all the medical treatment they need. Thus it will be seen that a step in the right direction is being made and which may well prove a great blessing to the residents of this valley.

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Kitchener

School resumed on Monday, after the 17-day Christmas vacation.

Miss Vivian Langlois of Creston spent the weekend in town visiting friends, a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Foisy.

The Sash & Door Company crew that had been laid off for a few days due to the soft weather, resumed work on Tuesday.

H. A. McKowan and H. Spence of Cranbrook were here on business over the weekend at the Sash & Door Company at Hazel Creek.

A crew of men from the airport are working on the road running through the old pole yard in town, and on the cutoff coming out at the Blair property.

Miss Jessie White, principal of the public school, returned on Sunday from Vancouver, where she spent the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. "Babe" Fortin.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Putnam, Erickson, and son, Frank, spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C Senesael, and attended the hard times dance on Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon McPhail and daughter, Maxine, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nelson, during the Christmas holidays, returned to their home at Blewett, where Mr. McPhail teaches school.

The dance given by the orchestra in Hunt's hall on Friday night was fairly well attended, everyone reporting a very enjoyable time. Depression is still in evidence judging from the costumes. Ladies first and second prizes were captured by Mrs. Leland Nowlin and Mrs. George Priest, while two men from the airport won gentlemen's first and second prizes.

Cranbrook will allow interest at the rate 5 per cent. on all 1934 taxes paid in advance.

On January 20th Penticton will vote on the question of allowing beer parlors to open in that town.

For 1933 Cranbrook registered 118 births, 51 deaths and 35 marriages.

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Council's Final Session Brief

Badminton Club Letter Still to Handle — December Bills Passed for Payment—Complete Arrangemedts for Election

The village council met in final session on Monday night, for the statutory purpose of reading and confirming the minutes of previous sessions before relinquishing office. Reeve McFarland was in the chair, with Councillor F. H. Jackson in attendance.

At a special meeting on Saturday the December accounts of $297 were passed for payment, and on Monday morning the above two sat as a voters list court of revision at which the list of voters for this year's election was revised. Three names were added and two removed, the list of those eligible to vote now showing 236 names. The minutes of these two special sessions as well as the regular December meeting were approved.

A previous letter from the badminton club asking for the use of park pavilion on Sunday afternoon is further stood over till February, due a lack of full attendance at this meeting. The clerk was authorized to purchase 35 dog tags for 1934 use.

For election on January 25th the clerk has been named returning officer and R. Sinclair Smith will be poll clerk. The ratepayers meeting will be at the United Church hall on Tuesday evening, January 23 rd.

Letters were read from a Mr. Gourlay of Leduc, Alberta, wanting information about fruits grown here, and names of independent shippers from whom supplies could be purchased. Miss Kessler wrote from San Antonio, Texas, asking that tax notices on property held by Miss Green and herself be sent to her address in the lone star state.

Auditor A. Spencer has just about completed his work and the balance sheet for the year, which will show an attractive surplus, will be available well in advance of election day.

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Sirdar

The school resumed this week with the same attendance as at the end of the year.

S. Rogers and C. Neil were at Creston on Monday to witness the basketball game.

Frank Hamilton and J. S. Wilson were business visitors to Creston between stages.

Dr. Henderson of Creston was here on a professional visit during the week and continued up the lake.

A pile driver with a small crew is engaged at Kootenay Landging removing driftwood from the boom.

Mr. and Mrs. Bysouth and son, Alfred, were visitors to Creston on Saturday making the trip by car.

A big increase in freight passing here is noticeable and a double header took through a heavy train westward.

The C. O. Rodgers truck from Creston was here with provisions for the camp at Boulder Creek during the week.

Many changes have taken place in the road camps this week and the crews have been increased to a considerable extent.

The water as indicated at Slough Bridge stands at 5.10 a fall of 0.20 for the week the cold snap being responsible for the drop.

F. Martello who, with Mrs. Martello, has been spending the Christmas holidays in Trail, returning Saturday to resume teaching.

The unusual spectacle of wigglers in the water is to be seen here. An oriole has been seen and heard and everything seems to be pointing to an early spring.

Much concern was caused road officials during the late soft spell by way of slides and flooding, but these have all been successfully dealt with and the roads are resuming a normal condition

Miss Ethel and Harry VanAckeran were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Wilson on Saturday. Miss Gwen Wilson returned with them to Canyon to spend a few days.

Gordou Beeston of the West Kootenay Power and Light Company was here inspecting the water guages at Kootenay Slough bridge, proceeding the following day to West Creston, and then on to Wardner.

The loading of logs by C. O. Rodgers is now resumed and will be kept up steadily. C. Ogilvie of Wynndel has been engaged to run the truck in place of Paul Ofner, who recently underwent an operation.

A hockey match between Creston and Sirdar took place here on Sunday under good ice conditions. The game, which was keenly contested, resulted in a win for Creston by 1-0 although Creston had just a shade of better luck in securing a win.

T. Rogers, who went to Spokane on a short holiday, returned and left immediately for Cranbrook to visit his daughter, Margaret, who is at present a patient in St. Eugene hospital. Margaret returned home with her mother, who has been in Cranbrook since the operation.

The total number of cars from Quarry Siding, Atbara, for the year 1933 amount to 33 cars and in order of tonnage were made up as follows: Logs, pine and fir. Ore, gold Apples, domestic pack. Stone, finished. The present year should see a great increase in car loadings from this point.

Local and Personal

Trinity United Church W.M.S. January meeting is at the home of Mrs. Walker, Tuesday, January 16th.

Erickson Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary are having their annual bridge at the Parish Hall, Friday, January 26th.

The annual Presbyterian Church congregation meeting will be held Tuesday, January 16th, at the church, at 8 p.m.

Wild Rose Lodge Knights of Pythias and Blossom Temple Pythian Sisters are having a joint installation of officers this (Thursday) evening.

Regular monthly meeting of Creston Hospital Women's Auxiliary will be held on Thursday, January 18th at 3 p.m., at the United Church hall.

December revenues at Creston office of the provincial police was in the neighborhood of $245, of which $111 was from Motor Vehicles Act.

Samples of my handpainted Lamp Shades are on view at Creston Farmers' Institute. Shades designed to order. Mary F. Murrell, Creston.

Colder weather that set in at the end of the week disappeared Wednesday when quite a heavy wet snow fell, and Thursday was bright and quite spring-like

Creston basketball talent got an even break in two very close games at Bonners Ferry on Wednesday evening. The girls team was a winner 14-13, but the men lost 31-28.

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FANCY
Cookies
per lb. 25c.

Not a Candidate

Creston, Jan., 11.

As I hear my name spoken of on the street, as a candidate for Councilor at the coming municipal election, I wish here to state that I have no intention of seeking a seat on the Council at the coming Elections.

JAS. COOK.

Mrs C. F. Armstrong and son, Charles, of Michel, are visitors with the former's father, A. E. Davies.

Mr. and Mrs. Osborn Brown, who have been at Calgary, Alberta, for the past few months, returned to Creston at the end of the week and will be remaining at the ranch for some time.

At the first of the year the official estimate was that there is about 3000 boxes of apples unsold in Creston Valley. Of these 800 are held in Exchange storage and the balance by individual growers.

Cecil Moore's garage reports a good start for 1934. On Tuesday the firm delivered to the federal works department two 1½ ton V8 Ford trucks to be used at relief camp road operations at Kingsgate and Goatfell.

When the books closed at the town hall on December 30th there was $726 of current year's taxes unpaid, along with $390 unpaid 1932 rates. A year ago the showing was $715 unpaid, with $253 of of 1931 taxes outstanding.

Geo. Nickel, who early in the year purchased a 13 months' old Jersey bull from the well known Heywood ranch at Crawford Bay, has just been advised that Lady Oxford, mother of the young animal, has just won second place for milk production among all Jerseys in Canada, with a showing of 12,850 pounds of milk for the year, and butter fat record of 7.23. Lady Oxford was the highest producer in all B.C.

The January meeting of Creston Valley Post Canadian Legion was held on Tuesday evening with President John Bird in charge, and all officers present. Pensions was the main subject for discussion, along with the building of a hall for the use of the Legion and the Boy Scouts on the lots on Barton Avenue owned by the Legion. A special meeting will be called later as the time seems ripe for getting on with the project. Four new members were accepted and will be initiated in the near future. Any returned man who desires to become a member can always get the papers from the secretary. Later a social evening is to be given by the social and entertainment committee. The Legion, as usual, distributed Christmas hampers and cheques to some of the needy ones. The Legion wishes to express appreciation of of the kind consideration by Reeve McFarland who gave the dressed hog that he won at the raffle, to help fill the Christmas hampers.

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Upstairs—Next Ross Meat Market.
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CRESTON
REV. M. C. PERCIVAL, Minister.

SUNDAY, JAN. 14

CRESTON—8 a.m., Holy Communion.
7.30 p.m., Evensong.
LISTER—11 a.m., Matins.
WYNNDEL—3 p.m., Evensong.

FULL GOSPEL TABERNACLE
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REV. F. G. M. STORY, Pastor.

SUNDAY, JAN. 14

ARROW CREEK SCHOOL—2.00 p.m. Sunday School. 3.00 p.m., Church.
CRESTON—10 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Class. 11 a.m., Devotional Service 7.30 p.m., Evangellatic Service; subject, "The Four Laughs of the Bible."
MID-WEEK SERVICES—Tuesday and Friday, at 8 p.m

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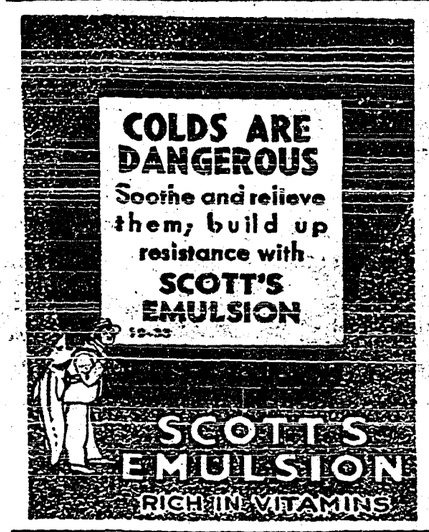

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

After serving 44 years on the bench, Frederick Mead, famous Metropolitan police magistrate, has retired.

A new five-year plan, intended to make Russia self-reliant for all the necessities of life, has been made public to the people of the Soviet.

With returns figured up to Dec. 28, the Dominion revenue for the nine months of the fiscal year was $239,138,336, $892,490 higher than the corresponding period last year.

Joseph Fahey, 76, pioneer of the west is dead. A pioneer railroad man, he was the conductor on the tra'n that carried the Winnipeg 90th Rifles to Qu'Appelle to quell the Northwest Rebellion in 1885.

During the past twelve months the imports of butter totalled 1,409,424 pounds at $242,038 compared with 201,741, at $40,891, in the province 12 months, says a report by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Canadian companies will pay a total of $14,416,000 in dividends during the month of January, 1934, compared with $13,850,000 in January, 1933, according to an estimate made at Montreal.

The Soviet government has agreed the $500,000 being paid by the British museum for the historic codex sinaiticus, most valuable manuscript in the world, is to be spent entirely in England for machinery and other goods.

The first Dominion-wide reunion of the Canadian Corps since the war will be held in Toronto from Auguset 4 to August 7, as the third phase of the centennial commemoration ceremonies which the city is planning for next year.

Beaten in his legal fight to evade deportation, Tom Cacic, of Toronto, sailed for England on the way to his native Yugo-Slavia. Before being taken to Halifax, Cacic spent two years in Kingston penitentiary as a convicted Communist. He was one of eight men convicted at Toronto in 1931.

Reading At A Distance

Most Legible Print Is Black On Yellow Background

From experiments made regarding the most favorable color combinations for reading at a distance, it was found that the most legible print was black upon yellow background. The order of merit obtained for different combinations is somewhat surprising, and is as follows: (1) black on yellow; (2) green on white; (3) red on white; (4) blue on white; (5) white on blue; (6) black on white; (7) yellow on black; (8) white on red; (9) white on green; (10) white on black; (11) green on red; (12) red on green. It will be noticed, among other things, that the customary combination of black upon white comes sixth in the list, about half way down.

• STOMACH COMPLAINT •

Mrs. W. Benton of 445 Simcoe St., London, Ont., says: "Some years ago I used Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery when I was rundown and awfully nervous, belched gas frequently and the gas would press up around my heart. The 'Discovery' toned up and strengthened my system so that I felt 100% better."

Write to Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice.

Stands Practically Alone

Prime Ministers Always Have To Make Final Decisions

Most people seem to think that a premiership wrecks a man's health because of the long hours, the handshaking and the innumerable duties. That's not it. What wears a man down, what breaks a weak man, is the fierce burden of decision and the loneliness of final responsibilities. That is what tells. For most of us there is always someone higher up who must take the final responsibility, make the last decision. But a prime minister must go it alone knowing that what he does is irrevocable and that it probably will distress many of his friends. Making those decisions several times a day is what takes the steam out of you.

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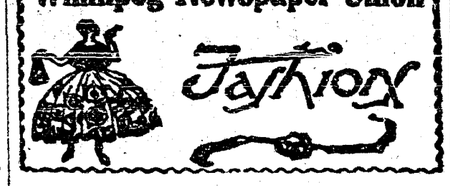

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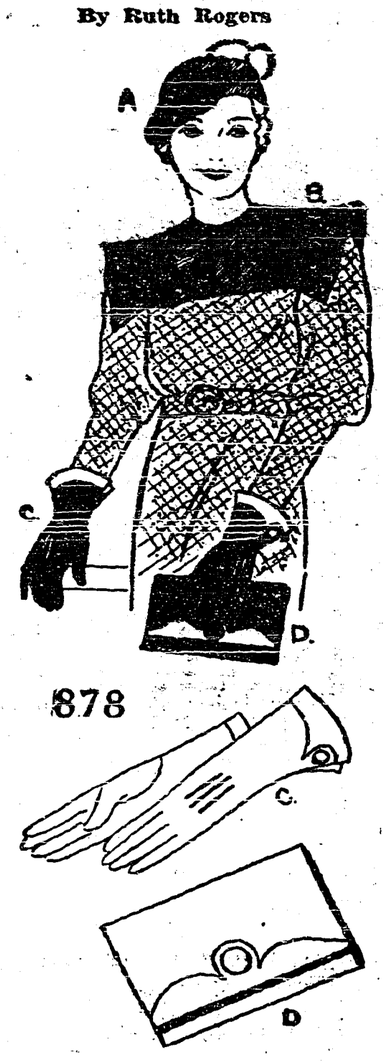

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There are the loveliest little "gadgets" intended to fit any ordinary frock for smart daytime wear. One is the deep yoked collar with epaulettes that perk out over the shoulders and bow finishing the neck as shown here in olive green hairy woollen.

To carry out a complete ensemble, the jaunty beret is of the olive woollen with two clipped ostrich pompoms in lighter shade of green trim.

The slip-on gloves repeat the lighter green for their trim, with similar idea carried out in the envelop pocketbook.

Style No. 878 includes patterns for the collar, beret, gloves and bag. Designed in sizes small, medium and large.

Any one of these single items would be most acceptable as a gift.

Other fabrics are equally fascinating for their development—the beret is lovely in velvet, broadcloth, antelope, etc. The gloves are darling in velvet, velveteen, moire silk, satin, etc. Make the bag of tweed, broadcloth, velvet, satin. The collar can be bengaline silk, satin metal shot material, metal lame, etc.

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Royal Bank of Canada in Strong Liquid Position

Gratifying Increase of Over $18,000,000 in Canadian Savings and Demand Deposits—Total Assets Amount to $729,260,476—Of This Amount Liquid Assets Are $362,471,645, Equal to 55.76 Per Cent. of Liabilities to the Public—Cash and Bank Balances Total $157,699,215, Equal to 24.26 Per Cent. of Public Liabilities.

An uniformly strong and particularly satisfactory statement is being forwarded to the shareholders of The Royal Bank of Canada.

The report, which covers the fiscal year to 30th November, shows that with the lessened demand for banking accommodation due to the trade conditions that prevailed, the bank has added materially to its strong liquid position. Included among these liquid assets are very substantial holdings of cash.

The less active conditions, as well as the lower rate of interest on high grade investments, has naturally had its effects on earnings. The profits for the year, however, were sufficient to provide the dividends, and after the usual appropriations permitted of a substantial addition over the year to Profit and Loss account.

A very gratifying feature of the statement is a notable increase of over $18,000,000 in Canadian savings and demand deposits. Such a development would likely be due to a desire of Canadians to keep strong in cash by adding steadily to their savings, while the increase in demand deposits, which represent the working balances of businesses and farming customers, evidently indicates a marked stimulation in the turnover of a great many lines of businesses.

The unsettled state from which business is now emerging, has emphasized the usefulness of strong inner reserves. The Directors' recognition of this fact is evidenced by a transfer of $15,000,000 from Reserve Fund to reimburse the inner reserves of the bank, and to provide reserves which they consider adequate for future contingencies. This action is in line with adjustments which have been made by many of the leading and most powerful banks in all parts of the world, and will be regarded as a prudent and constructive move. The published Reserve Fund is maintained at the substantial figure of $20,000,000 and $1,383,604 is carried forward to the credit of Profit and Loss Account.

Strong Liquid Position

Total assets shown by the Statement for the fiscal year which ended November 30th last are $729,260,476: Liquid Assets of $362,471,645 aggregate 55.76% of liabilities to the public; Cash and Bank Balances total $157,699,215, equal to 24.26% of Public Liabilities.

The total of $106,850,615 invested in Dominion and Provincial Government securities represents an increase of $17,401,771 compared with the previous year. A small decrease is shown in Canadian municipal securities and British Foreign and Colonial public securities.

While certain lines of business are less active than a year ago, other industries have experienced a keen demand for their products in recent months, with the result that inventories have been brought down to abnormally low figures. Both these factors have contributed to reduce the need for banking accommodation, and this is reflected in a decrease of $44,442,954 in loans and discounts. Commercial loans now stand at $316,119,392 against $360,562,286. Call Loans in Canada and abroad were reduced by $3,598,571 during the twelve months' period.

Shareholders will be interested in seeing that despite the lower level of interest rates, which particularly affected the return from liquid assets maintained at reserve centres, profits for the year were $3,901,649. This amount fully covered dividend requirements of $2,975,000; contribution to Officers' Pension fund, $200,000. appropriation for Bank premises, $200,000; reserve for Dominion Government taxes, $310,000, and left $216,650 to be added to Profit and Loss Account, making a total of $1,383,604 to be carried forward to the next fiscal year.

Salt Kills No Microbes

Tests Show They Thrive When Placed In Brine

It is a mistake to suppose that salt, used as a preservative, is fatal to microbes, for the bacilli of typhus, tuberculosis and several other diseases thrive when placed in brine. Blood contains much salt, and this does not prevent microbes from multiplying in it. A French professor counted 30,000 bacteria per cubic centimetre in the concentrated brine used for salting fish. Preservatives and bactericides are different things. Salt preserves from decay, but kills no microbes.

Marking Alfalfa Seed

Canadian-grown alfalfa seed is the only alfalfa seed that can be legally sold in Canada, unstained. All foreign alfalfa seed entering Canada must contain at least one per cent. of seed stained as follows:—Originating in southern countries, red; the United States, orange; and all other countries, green. Canadian-grown alfalfa seed entering the United States must contain one per cent. seed stained irridescent violet.

Harvesting Methods

Moisture And Grade Survey Of Various Methods Used

In a moisture and grade survey of grain harvested by various methods in Western Canada during the 1932-1933 season, it was found that straight-combined wheat showed a greater percentage of tough and damp samples than either stook-threshed or swath-combined samples. Of 401 stook-threshed samples, three per cent. were tough or damp; of 416 straight-combined samples twenty-two per cent. were tough and three per cent. damp; and of 211 swath-combined samples eight per cent were tough and one per cent. damp. With respect to grade, it was found that, as a result of exposure to rains the average grade lowering was least for stooked grain and greatest for swath-combined grain. — Canadian Journal of Research.

To Keep Air Pure

At a cost of £200,000, two of Birmingham's largest electrical generating stations are to be fitted with chimneys 300 feet high equipped at the bases with electro filters, to eliminate the emission of grit and fumes.

Marvels of the Human Eye

By F. M. CROWE, Optometrist-Optician, Calgary

NO. 4:—HYPEROPIA OR "FAR-SIGHTEDNESS"

The normal or standard eyeball is about twenty-four millimeters or one inch in depth. Such an eye with properly curved Cornea and Lens will focus the rays of light emerging from objects looked at, on the Retina and the brain will interpret the image clearly and with comfort.

Should however an eyeball be too short or the Cornea and Lens too flat, the natural point of focus would be behind the Retina, which being impossible, dim or imperfectly focused vision is the result. Such is the Hyperopic eye.

Nature has provided that such an eye may overcome this trouble to a limited extent by forcing the Lens to become more convex (Accommodation), but this being a forced focus using up a greater amount of nervous energy than the rest of the body can well spare, sooner or later unpleasant symptoms develop in the form of headaches, nervousness, insomnia, unreasonable irritability, aches and stiffness in the back of the neck, habitual constipation, indigestion, in fact the far-reaching effects of this condition cannot be estimated and yet it is the most common form of eye trouble. Ninety per cent. of children are born thus and many of them never attain to a normally developed eye. It should not be thought that this is a disease. It is merely a structural defect and science has again come to our aid with properly ground lenses to entirely neutralize the results of this defect and when worn eliminate the excessive drain on the nervous system which is followed by relief of the symptoms.

The term "Far-sightedness," often applied to this condition, is very misleading because a person can be so "Farsighted" or "Hyperopic" as to be unable to distinguish features across the street It is more difficult for a "Hyperope" to see at close range than for distance hence the term "Far-sightedness." Hyperopia is almost always the cause of a child's eye being "crossed" or turned in.

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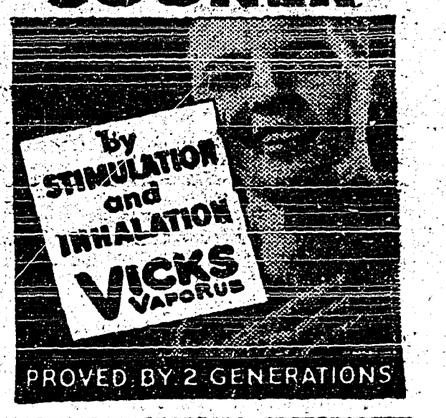
Ends a Cold SOONER



SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 14

BAPTISM AND TEMPTATION OF JESUS

Golden Text: "It behooved Him in all things to be made like unto His brethren."—Hebrews 2:17..

Lesson: Matthew 3:1—4:11.

Devotional Reading: Hebrews 2: 11-18.

Explanations and Comments

The Consecration Of Jesus For His Mission, 3:13-17.—On their return from Egypt, Mary and Joseph and the Babe went back to Nazareth, and there Jesus lived till he was thirty years old. Then, when John was baptizing, Jesus realized that the hour had struck for Him to leave His home and go forth as the Leader and Saviour of men. John's preaching at the Jordan was the signal for Jesus' appearing, and His baptism at the former's hands was not only a pubic endorsement of John as a messenger of God, but was also for Himself a formal setting apart, a consecration, for His great mission. The open sky as He left the water was the revelation to Him of spiritual forces within His reach. Dr. F. B. Meyer reminds us that Jesus saw the heavens opened just as Newton did when he discovered the law of gravitation.

"Always a shut heaven to the disobedient, always deeper depths opening into the heart of heaven for those who obey."—F. B. Meyer.

A New Dress Material

Artificial Silk Combined With Wool Gives Different Effect

Many women are already wearing the very newest dress material, a woollen cloth plentifully covered with white hairs.

At first guance one is reminded of the appearance of an armchair after being occupied by a "moulting" terrier.

These hairs are usually made from the waste products of artificial silk. Jute, too, is used successfully, but the same effect is also produced by the use of spun glass.

Wool from Angora rabbits also serves a purpose in the manufacture of an attractive tweed, while the down from goose feathers plays a useful and decorative part in yet another dress cloth.

We already have artificial silk from trees; perhaps even leaves and rushes, in new guise, may one day again adorn modern woman.—London Daily Mirror.

Improvement In India

Great Country Being Convinced Of Britain's Good Faith

India is more tranquil, more free from serious crime, and more imbued with good will towards Britain than for years past. Sir Samuel Hoare has recently claimed that there is greater support for the police among the Indian public. If the evidence of that is not outstanding, there are the most tangible proofs that the dual policy of preserving law and order, while proceeding with constitutional reform is convincing. India of our good faith and undermining the extremist element in her politics.—London Daily Telegraph.

It's for Children's

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OCCASIONAL WIFE

By

EDNA ROBB WEBSTER

Author of "Joretta," "Lipstick Girl" Etc.

SYNOPSIS

Camilla Hoyt and Peter Anson young and in love, marry secretly, deciding to live their own lives apart until Peter is able to provide for her. Peter is a young, struggling sculptor trying to win a competition for a scholarship abroad and Camilla is the adopted daughter of a wealthy family. She is not to inhert money when she comes of age and so is studying commercial art in the hope of landing an agency job. Others in the story are Avis Werth, another wealthy girl who is trying to win Peter, Sylvia Todd, Peter's model, and Gus Matson, his former roommate with whom he has quarreled. At a party at an exclusive club Peter entertains Camilla's guests with impersonations.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER XXV.

A brief lull followed Peter's resumption of his own character, during which Terry busied himself with the mixing of highballs.

"Let's go somewhere," Cathie announced suddenly. She turned sweetly to Camilla. "Not that your party isn't a riot, darling, but we need new inspiration. Let's drive in to the Maddox and dance. We'll just about make it for the real fun!"

Her suggestion carried unanimously with those who expressed themselves, so there followed a general melee while the girls renewed their make-up and secured wraps, and the boys formed an imposing parade of powerful motor cars to await them. Another dilemma for Peter Anson. Would this evening—or night—never end? It seemed not. It just went on and on, from one alarming predicament to another. If only he might talk with Camilla alone and persuade her to announce their marriage. That would help somewhat, and provide diversion. As it was, being at the mercy of these, he found himself obliged again to share Terry's rumble seat with Avis, who secretly deplored the fact that she hadn't her own car in which to drive alone with Peter. Still, a rumble seat had its advantages, by which she might profit.

The Maddox Club was filled almost to capacity when they arrived, notwithstanding the economic depression, but enterprising waiters recognized some of their best patrons in the group, and managed tables for the ten. Jewels blazed in the smoky haze of the room like beacon lights in a sea-fog; laughter sang a high obligate to the crashing notes of heavy china, shuffling feet and the orchestras accompaniment. Odors of perfumes and cosmetics, food and liquor, tobacco smoke and perspiring dancers mingled like the ingredients of a vicious cocktail that dulled the senses and repelled a fastidious inclination.

The cafe, the cabaret, the speakeasy, all were old institutions, patronized only by their kind. But this elaborate display of artistic effects, ten-thousand-dollar-a-night music, daring vaudeville entertainment and exorbitant food prices, where millionaire and pauper and crook not only rubbed elbows, but bumped into each other on the dance floor, was the offspring of war's lust and chaos.

The same instincts loosed for mental and spiritual debauchery instead of physical carnage. Yet conscientious promoters will denounce the one with horror and laud the other with display of patriotism and noble sacrifice.

Peter managed at last to dance with Camilla and to say, "Let's get out of here, honey, I know you didn't want to come. Can't we take your car and let Terry and Avis ride with someone else?"

"I wish we might. But how can we leave when I am the hostess?"

"It was Cathie who wanted to come here. Let her take care of the rest. Tell her that you're not coming back after the next dance. If the others want to leave then, all right. But I've had enough of this, and so have you. Talk about leaving the city to go out to the beach where it's cooler, and then come back to this!"

"I know, but you know how restless they get if they have to stay in one place for long. I never expected to bring them here, and I don't care what mother thinks of me for dropping the party. Shall we go back to the beach where it's cool and quiet?"

It was so they escaped, to stroll up the shore in the moonstruck night where only the sound of whispering waves which caressed the sands with gentle fingers, disturbed their peace. Its contrast with the place they had quitted was as unbelievable as it was assuaging.

Peter's weary discontent succumbed to its soothing embrace. "Sometimes," he told Camilla, "I have reproved myself for taking you out of that life, but I never shall again. You do not belong there—you belong just with me."

"That is what I have told you many times. It is just your kind of life I want to share, Peter, all of it—from the first anxious days of effort and hope and discouragement to the last years of triumph and reward. Never—no matter how much fame and money you may have—shall we return to this idle waste of riotous living. Wealth may be a blessing as well as a curse."

"It should be—and it will be, for us, Camilla. I was thinking just now of a cottage by the sea—for you and me—with work and happiness to fill our days and nights. A blue sea, under southern skies, where the glamor of the tropics adds its beauty to romance. Perhaps in Sicily—there is a whole village of artists nestled there at the foot of Mt. Etna. Were you ever in Sicily? I wasn't, but I can imagine it."

"Yes, I think I've seen that same village, when I cruised the Mediterranean with mother two years ago. Such quaint picturesque cities and villages as we visited. It would be marvelous to see them again with you Peter," she mused dreamily. "To drift on Lake Como at dawn or sunset and sing a swan song to dull care, to browse in the little shops on the Ponte Vecchio in Florence where you wonder if you have not wandered back into the Middle Ages, to romance upon the balconies of Valladolid where Cervantes wrote the Don Quixote, to dream in the gardens of Seville—" The soft cadences of her voice mingled with the lulling waves and ceased.

After a long silence, she laughed suddenly over an amusing memory.

"I just remembered a Count Botocki who was on that cruise and gave me a lot of attention."

"There must have been plenty who did that."

"Well, mother was terribly impressed with this particular count, and because I was little more than polite to him, she was in despair. It was reported that he owned huge estates and that in one country residence there was a different dining room for each day of the week. Imagine what a task that would be, not only to remember what day it was but which room corresponded with the day!"

"That's worse than having to turn your clothes inside out every day so it will look as if you had a change," sardonically.

"He was also said to be a heavy gambler at Deauville and Monte Carlo, losing as much as one hundred thousand in one night's play."

"Not half as bad as my losing two-seventy tonight at bridge. You don't know what a narrow escape that was for me, honey."

"I suspected it."

"I held my breath so long over that game, I almost forgot how to breathe. But aren't you sorry you were not more than polite to the count? Some day, when you are hungry and living with me you will remember those seven dining rooms."

"Not as long as I have the whole world of love with you, a different dining room for every day in the year couldn't tempt me. Oh, Peter, I wish we need not wait to realize our dreams—"

He sat up suddenly in the sand. "We're not going to wait. That is just what I wanted to talk to you about tonight. Why not tell this crowd the truth in the morning, even if we can't afford to live together for awhile yet?"

"Peter, that isn't keeping your promise to me!"

"But dont you see how difficult it is, and will be for us? Not only secretly, but we have to dodge all kinds of issues with other people. Please announce our marriage, dear."

"And get myself disowned so you will have to take care of me? No I cant' do that. But I promise this; just as soon as I get a position that will pay me enough to live with Rose, you may tell the world I am your wife. Not before!" emphatcally.

Peter lay back on the soft white sand again, with a sigh of resignation. "Well, no use to waste th's blessed time in argument. Only I hope that we can be together soon, for always."

"We shall," she promised, bending down to kiss him. She lay in his arms in the wave-washed silence content in the happiness of the thought that she belonged there. Weariness hushed their voices and the song of the waves accompanied by the breeze, lulled them to sleep, while they awaited the return of the rest of the party. It was dawn when Terry and Avis found them there.

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The Royal Bank of Canada

General Statement 30th November, 1933

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock Paid up		$35,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$20,000,000.00	
Balance of Profits carried forward	1,383,604.18	
	$21,383,604.18	
Dividends Unclaimed	12,745.75	
Dividend No. 185 (at 8% per annum), payable 1st December, 1933	700,000.00	
		22,096,349.93
		$57,096,349.93
Deposits not bearing interest	$128,527,674.46	
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date of Statement	450,463,265.41	
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	841,428.81	
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	20,313,992.13	
		600,448,360.81
Notes of the Bank in circulation		29,349,801.14
Advances under the Finance Act		[illegible]
Bills payable		255,089.91
Liabilities not included in the foregoing		57,985.74
Letters of Credit Outstanding		22,052,888.91
		$729,260,476.44

ASSETS

Gold and Subsidiary Coin on hand	$14,117,660.37	
Dominion Notes on hand	48,922,334.75	
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserves	2,000,000.00	
United States and other Foreign Currencies	21,713,830.99	
		$87,754,026.11
Notes of other Canadian Banks	$1,611,091.42	
Cheques on other Banks	18,384,822.80	
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	2,814.09	
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada	49,746,460.79	
		69,945,189.10
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities (not exceeding market value)		106,850,615.53
Canadian Municipal Securities and British, Foreign and Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian (not exceeding market value)		24,198,872.99
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks (not exceeding market value)		11,970,905.82
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover		28,771,273.72
Call and Short (not exceeding thirty days) Loans elsewhere than in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks and other Securities of a sufficient marketable value to cover		32,981,561.27
		$362,471,645.44
Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	$216,849,534.86	
Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest) after making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts	95,237,813.78	
Non-Current Loans, after providing for estimated loss	4,032,843.75	
		316,119,392.39
Bank Premises at not more than cost, less amounts written off		17,015,737.02
Real Estate other than Bank Premises		2,424,277.25
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank		883,089.27
Liabilities of Customers under Letters of Credit as per contra		22,052,888.91
Shares of and Loans to Controlled Companies		6,328,639.58
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund		1,500,000.00
Other Assets not included in the foregoing		464,636.98
		$729,260,476.44

NOTE—The Royal Bank of Canada (France) has been incorporated under the laws of France to conduct the business of the Bank in Paris, and the assets and liabilities of The Royal Bank of Canada (France) are included in the above General Statement.

H. S. HOLT, President — M. W. WILSON, General Manager

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

To THE SHAREHOLDERS, THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA:

We have examined the above Statement of Liabilities and Assets at 30th November, 1933, with the books and accounts of The Royal Bank of Canada at Head Office and with the certified returns from the branches. We have verified the cash and securities at Head Office at the close of the Bank's fiscal year, and during the year we counted the cash and examined the securities at several of the important branches.

We have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required, and in our opinion the transactions of the Bank, which have come under our notice, have been within the powers of the Bank. The above statement is in our opinion properly drawn up so as to disclose the true condition of the Bank as at 30th November, 1933, and it is as shown by the books of the Bank after giving effect to the transfer by the Directors of $15,000,000 from Reserve Fund to reimburse the inner reserves of the Bank and to provide reserves which they consider adequate for future contingencies.

A. B. BRODIE, C.A., of Price, Waterhouse & Co.
JAS. G. ROSS, C.A., of P. S. ROSS & SONS.
} Auditors.

Montreal, Canada, 23rd December, 1933.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 30th November, 1932	$1,166,954.95	
Profits for the year ended 30th November, 1933	3,981,649.23	
		$5,148,604.18
APPROPRIATED AS FOLLOWS:		
Dividend No. 182 at 10% per annum	$875,000.00	
Dividend No. 183 at 8% per annum	700,000.00	
Dividend No. 184 at 8% per annum	700,000.00	
Dividend No. 185 at 8% per annum	700,000.00	
	$2,975,000.00	
Contribution to Officers' Pension Fund	200,000.00	
Appropriation for Bank Premises	700,000.00	
Reserve for Dominion Government Taxes	310,000.00	
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	1,983,604.18	
		$5,168,604.18

H. S. HOLT, President — M. W. WILSON, General Manager

Montreal, 23rd December, 1933.

An apple tree in a garden in Cologne, Germany, flowered and bore fruit six times during 1933. A pear tree in the same garden and over the same period has produced fruit four times.

Seals Cut Steps In Ice

Only Way They Can Reach Surface To Breathe

Seals actually cut steps in the perpendicular sides of ice cakes in order to rise from the water for the purpose of breathing. Members of Captain Scott's Antarctic Expedition recorded that the seals, which formerly were supposed to leave the water by leaping, cut steps in the slippery surface with the great canine or eye teeth. As soon as the teeth are placed in position, the head is moved rapidly from side to side until the ice has been cut away sufficiently to afford a footing for the front flippers of the animal. Each step has to be laboriously cut after this fashion until the body is far enough out of the water to be thrust up the rest of the way by a kick of the hind flippers.

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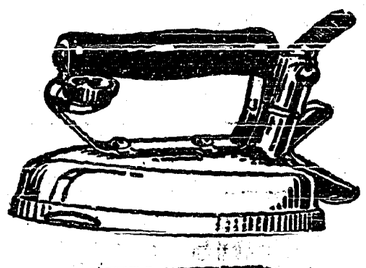

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Dr. McKenzie and Harry Cornwall were Nelson visitors at the weekend.

Trinity United Church is having its annual congregational meeting this evening at the church hall.

RADIO FOR SALE—5-tube Atwater Kent battery radio, in fine shape, cheap. T. W. Bundy, Erickson.

Miss Rita Kirk, who has been visiting at Potlatch, Idaho, for the past month, arrived home on Sunday.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid have taken Saturday afternoon, February 10, for their usual St. Valentine tea.

Christ Church Woman's Auxiliary annual meeting takes place on Monday. Mrs. York is their tiring president.

FOR SALE—Water power washing machine, turbine motor, in good shape, going cheap. T. W. Bundy, Erickson.

Creston public and high schools reopened on Monday morning after a 17-day Christmas and New Year vacation.

Vital statistics at Creston shows six births, of whom three were boys; two deaths and two marriage licences issued.

Of the 67 births recorded at Creston during 1933, 35 were boys. 20 marriage licenses were issued, 20 deaths recorded.

The annual meeting of Creston and District Public Library will be held at the town hall at 8 p.m., Saturday, January 20th.

A. Spencer has about completed the audit of the village books and accounts, and the balance sheet will be available next week.

The annual meeting of Christ Church congregation will be held at the Parish Hall on Monday evening, January 15th, at 8 o'clock.

Rev. A. Harding, western field secretary for religious education, will be the speaker at the evening service at Christ Church, Sunday, January 14th.

At the annual meeting of Creston Hospital Women's Auxiliary on Monday Mrs. R. Stevens was re-elected president, with Mrs. C. Murrell, secretary.

At the court of revision of the village voters' list on Monday three names were added and two struck off. 236 persons are entitled to vote on January 25th.

The annual meeting of Creston village ratepayers will be held in the United Church hall on Tuesday, January 23rd, at 8 p.m. The day previous is nomination day.

The old council had the final meeting on Monday night at which there was nothing to do but adopt the minutes of previous meetings. At a special meeting on Saturday December accounts totalling $297 were passed for payment.

Mrs. John E. Johnston has vacancies for pupils in elocution. Thorough training of speaking voice. My pupils winners of silver medals and first class certificates at both East and West Kootenay festivals. Box 106, Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Speers left at the end of the week for Vancouver and Victoria and before returning will have a trip to California, returning about the first of March. The former's health has been poor of late and it is hoped the trip will have beneficial results.

The badminton talent was divided into two groups—Doodads and Rinkydinks—for a local tournament Monday night, at which the former were winners 385 to 352 on points, and in sets the spread was 18 to 11. Mrs. Chandler and Mrs. W.R. Long were supper hostesses.

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1933 officers were returned for another year at the annual meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies, Aid at Mrs. Kelly's on Friday afternoon. They are: President, Mrs. (Dr) Henderson; vice-president, Mrs. M. A. Boyd; secretary, Mrs. T. W. Bundy; treasurer, Mrs. G. H. Kelly. The financial statement submitted indicated a very satisfactory year.

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Presenting the Screen Academy winner in his greatest love story!

R. Walmsley got back on Friday from a two weeks' holiday visit with old friends at Winnipeg, Man., and reports that province having the coldest winter even the oldtimers can recall.

Reports submitted at the annual meeting of Trinity United Church Ladies' Aid at the home of Mrs. Maxwell Thursday afternoon last showed that 1933 had been one of the best in recent history. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. W. Fraser; vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Cartwright; secretary, Mrs. G. Sinclair; treasurer, Mrs. A. L. Palmer.

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