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Lister

C. H. Reynolds of Gainsborough, Sask., who has been a visitor with A. E. Tedford, left for home on Friday last.

Harry Yerbury left a few days ago for the Summit Lake section, where he will be operating a trap line for the balance of the season.

Alf. Latoille and Alf. Wellspring are two more Listerites, who have joined up with the J. B. Winlaw logging operations in this section.

Bert Yerbury and Walter Edwards are home from Klockman, and are not returning. Work has been shut down at the mine, and the machinery is now being moved out.

The young people were out in large numbers for the dance at the Huscroft school, which is reported to have been one of the most enjoyable in many months.

Rev. S. Newby had a fine turnout for his farewell service on Sunday morning, at which fitting references were made to the passing of the old British Commander Earl Haig.

The Community Society are having another of their whists at the schoolhouse on Saturday night at 8.30, to which the admission is 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bird were at home on Saturday evening at a bridge party at which three tables of players participated, with the evening's honors going to Miss Lister and Principal Parker, while the scores qualifying for consolation honors were made by Mrs. A. Sinclair and Rev. S. Newby. A delightful lunch was served, and the affair was much enjoyed by all.

Principal Parker's report from Lister school for January shows an average attendance of 95.05 per cent., with the following making the high standings: Grade 4—Polly Cravenko, Douglas McKee. Grade 3—Kirk Beard, Harry Cravenko. Grade 2b—Gladys McCullough, Cyril Bird. Grade 1a—Kate Cravenko, Raymond McKee. Grade 1b—Tom Cowley, Gilbert McCullough. Perfect attendance—David Cowley, Harry Cravenko, Polly Cravenko, Kate Cravenko, Agnes Sinclair, Wallace Sinclair, Douglas Sinclair, Douglas McKee, Raymond McKee, George Mitchell, Neddie Smith, Peggy Smith, Randall Smith.

Sirdar

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brawn were called to Saskatchewan on Tuesday, due the serious illness of the former's mother.

Mrs. B. F. Whiteside spent a few days in Cranbrook last week, returning on Saturday.

Mrs. H. Gillie left on Thursday on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wick, Sumas, Wash.

Dr. Henderson of Creston was a professional visitor at Sirdar on Wednesday last, attending T. Rogers, who is under the weather.

Mrs. S. McCabe and Mrs. Bleumenauer were Saturday visitors at Creston, guests of Mrs. Newby. Mrs. Jack Cameron was calling on Creston friends the day previous.

Jack Cameron and H. Backus were between trains callers at Creston on Saturday.

Motor travel to Creston is reported not too bad by Principal and Mrs. Lea Smith who were at the metropolis on Saturday for the picture show.

Mrs. Geo. Cam was hostess at a delightful tea in honor of Mrs. Buckland, who is leaving shortly for her home in England. The rooms were beautiful with pink carnations and pussy willows. A delightful musical programme was provided by Mrs. Jas Wilson rendering appreciated piano solos, and much enjoyed were the vocal numbers by Mesdames Dibley, Dennes, and Wilson, as well as the guest of honor, Mrs. Buckland. Games and contests were indulged in with Mrs. Buckland winning first prize and Mrs. Whiteside a close competitor. In a second contest the honors fell to Mrs. Dibley and Mrs. Bleumenauer. Mrs. Buckland will take back to England as a souvenir of her stay at Sirdar a box of beautifully assorted handkerchiefs, and a book of views of the Canadian Rockies.

Mrs. Bysouth and son of Kuskanook were here for the weekend, guests of Mrs. Dennes.

R. Heap was a business visitor at Creston on Monday consulting Dr. Lillie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pascuzzo were visitors at Wynndel on Saturday.

Wynndel

Jim Cherrington of Creston, who has been on a visit with his sister, Mrs. M. Wigen, returned to Creston on Tuesday.

Wednesday evening last members of the K.K. Klub spent an enjoyable evening at cribbage, the honors going to Mrs. M. Wigen. After supper there was a few hours dancing.

D. J. Spiers, general road foreman, was here on an official visit from Creston during the week, making an inspection of the highways in this district.

Miss Florence Wood was at Creston for the weekend, a guest of Mrs. Pat. Downey.

Misses M. and N. Severn left on Friday to spend the weekend with their parents, returning on Sunday.

J. B. Winlaw is just back after a business trip to points in eastern Canada.

Vic. Johnson who has been working at Slocan, returned on Saturday.

Miss E. Towson was a weekend visitor at Canyon with her sister, Mrs. R. Andestad.

The whist and dance on Saturday night was quite a success. The winners were Miss M. Joy and P. Lachat. The consolation honors went to Miss Phyllis Foxall. After lunch there was dancing, and everyone reports a very good time.

Mrs. Marsden of Kimberley is a Wynndel visitor at present, a guest of Mrs. T. E. Slingsby. With her hostess Mrs. Marsden visited Creston on Monday evening and contributed a couple of vocal numbers at Miss McLuhan's recital.

Misses Rentz arrived on Sunday, and are guests of Mrs. Joy.

With the heavy thaw last week nearly all the snow has gone, and with a number of the summer birds around it certainly looks like an early spring.

Canyon City

Rev. S. Newby had quite a good turnout on Sunday afternoon for his final service at Canyon. He is returning to England at the end of the week.

The United Church service on Sunday was what is termed as a home service, with the music and addresses featuring that theme, with local residents taking a prominent part in the musical exercises.

A. D. Pochin of Nelson is here for a couple of weeks looking after pruning and other spring work on the ranch.

Saturday was the very last day for sleighing, and the best possible use was made of it, the Samuelson loggers getting all the season's log cut to the Johnston mill, which has enough timber on hand to keep it running until April. So far as sleighing goes this has been the best winter in a dozen years.

Alf. Nelson left last week for the Macleod, Alberta, country where he has taken a gravel hauling contract and is operating with one of the trucks he had in the days of his produce company.

Pruning operations are general in the Canyon district. All stone fruits look promising and very heavy pruning is being done on the Wealthys and McIntosh Reds as these are due for a very heavy crop. All other varities of apples look very promising, too.

Creston School Report, January

Division 1—F. McLellan, Principal.

Highest standing, Grade 8—Clematine Marshall, Marion Burnett, Billy Bayle and Raymond Martin equal. Grade 7—Tom Crawford, Herbert Couling, Andrew Miller.

Perfect attendance—Frederick Alderson, William Bayle, Margaret Blinco, Marion Burnett, Lyda Christie, Earl Christie, Herbert Couling, Tom Crawford, Minnie Downes, Manuel Irving, Marguerite Ferguson, Jean Henderson, Joan Hilton, Hazel Hopwood, LeRoy Johnson, Frances Lewis, Marjorie Learmonth, Clematine Marshall, Dorothy Marshall, Madeleine Moore, Mary Maione, Dorothea MacDonald, Frank Morrow, Rolande Miller, Beryl Nichols, Dora Nickel, Fay Pendry, Betty Speers, Elsa Willis, Jack Young, Sally Johnson, Clifford Greer, Olive Greer, Harold Beninger.

Division 2—Miss Rendall, teacher.

Highest standing, Grade 5—Harry Johnson. General improvement—Retha Phillips. Writing improvement—Margaret Miller. Grade 6, highest standing—Herbert Dodd. General improvement—Kate Payne. Writing improvement—Iris Taylor.

Perfect attendance—Joyce Burkhart, James Downes, Robert Dickson, Harry Johnson, Frances Lewis, Frances Moore, Vera McGonegal, Harold McLaren, Margaret Miller, Phyllis McDonald, Molly Moore, Kate Payne, Nellie Payne, Reetha Phillips, Sarah Quinn, Arthur Speers.

Division 3—Miss Wade, Teacher

Grade 4b, Proficiency—Dorothy Collis, Eleanor Spratt, Marion Quinn. General improvement—Hughena McCreath. Grade 3a, Proficiency—Charlie Taylor, Eileen Klingensmith, George Dodd. General improvement—Ruth Hare.

Promoted from Grade 4b to 4a—Dorothy Collis, Eleanor Spratt, Marion Quinn, Stewart Spiers, Douglas Spiers, Hughena McCreath, Margaret Burnett, Hazel McGonegal, Doris Bayle, Raymond Bevan, Billy Ferguson, Loyd McLaren, Holger Johnson, Douglas Alderson. On trial—Emma Hills, Clarence Embree, Yvonne Murrell, John Pendry, Lily Brixa.

Promoted from Grade 3a to 4b—Charlie Taylor, Eileen Klingensmith, George Dodd, Ruth Hare, Margaret Henderson, Arthur Dodd, Margaret Irving, Emmett Johnson. On trial—Norman Nickel, Stewart Hilton.

Division 4—Miss Holmes, Teacher.

Grade 3 Junior, Proficiency—Rachel Morrow. Improvement—Madeline Romano. Writing improvement—Robert Willis. Grade 2 Senior, Proficiency—Doris Ferguson. Improvement—Richard Trevelyan. Writing improvement—Doris Beninger. Grade 2 Junior, Proficiency—Beryl Palmer. Improvement—Gordon Martin. Writing improvement—Maisie Ferguson.

Perfect attendance—Morley Burnett, William Craig, Doris Ferguson, Irving Ferguson, Maisie Ferguson, Joan Greenwood, Doris Hendy, Ernest Ireland, William Kernaghan, Charles Klingensmith, Gordon Martin, Helen McCreath, Rachel Morrow, Irwin Nickel, Gerald Phillips, Norman Phillips, Jean Ryckman, Ruth Spencer, Jessie Spratt, Edith Walkey, William Weir, Robert Willis, Madeleine Romano, Iona Hills, William Greer.

Division 5—Miss Kerr, Teacher.

Class leaders: Junior Second—Doris Walters. Senior First Class A—Ruby Palmer. Class B—Russell Gabellhei. Class C.—Irene Arrowsmith. Writing improvement—Dorothea Greenwood. General improvement—Mary Watson.

Perfect attendance—Jack Burnett, Frank Herdman, Marguerite Grant, Dorothy Klingensmith, Fred McRay, Victor McRay, Russel Gabellhei, Ernest Hill, Vivian Walkey, Elmer Walkey, Walter Hill.

Bridge and Whist Drive

Under the auspices of Creston and District Women's Institute in PARISH HALL

Tues., Feb. 14

at EIGHT p.m.

REFRESHMENTS.

Admission . . 50c.

Local and Personal

Provincial revenues were quite buoyant for last month Creston provincial police office gathering in almost $1400, of which amount $1100 was for motor licenses.

At the Kootenay-Boundary conference of W.M.S. organizations of the United Church at Cranbrook last week, Mrs. J. W. Robinson of Creston was elected mission secretary.

Rev. Mr. Simpson is due here on Wednesday next to discuss with local Anglicans the matter of religious education in the schools. He will take service at Christ Church at 8 p.m.

Thursday of last week was groundhog day and as cloudy weather prevailed throughout it is assumed the woodchuck was unable to see his shadow and that winter is now over.

Up to the present therr has been no overcrowding at the provincial police office by dog owners outside the village in quest of 1928 dog tags. Only eleven were taken out in January.

Creston board of trade meets in February session on Tuesday night at the town hall. Standing committees for the year will be named, and there is also other important business to come up.

Mrs. Frank Bunt, who has been a hospital patient at Cranbrook, where she underwent an operation almost two weeks ago, is making such a successful recovery that she is expected home early next week.

A dozen appeals were heard at the assessment roll court of revision at which the new village commissioners were in charge on Monday morning. Reductions were made in eleven of the dozen applications.

For Sale—Breaker plow, stump puller, handpower Bean spray pump complete, hand stump puller, two-quart glass butter churn, $2.25; wallpaper and border for two large rooms, $6. C. Moore, Creston.

In the absence of Pastor Herdman, taking a special home service at Canyon on Sunday night, worship at Trinity United Church was in charge of J. W. Robinson, with Dr. Lillie giving an address on "Ability."

The R. S. Bevan residence, which was badly gutted by fire about three weeks ago is being rapidly rehabilitated. The carpenter work and plastering has been completed and the interior decorating is now under way.

Until the new boiler is installed at the Rodgers' plant the planing mill is being operated at night, as practically all the present power is required to handle the sawmill. There is quite a good prairie demand for lumber at present.

Previous to the sitting of the village assessment court of revision on Monday the commissioners met in their first council session at which F. H. Jackson was named chairman and standing committees of council for 1928 were struck.

Rev. S. Newby had a large turnout for his final service at Christ Church on Sunday night, at which he delivered a timely and appropriate address. Today he is having a sale of his household effects and will be leaving tomorrow on his return to England, where he will be assistant at Lakenham, Norwich.

The Legion had quite a good turnout of whist players at the bridge and whist drive in the Parish Hall on Friday night, at which the high scores at bridge were made by Mrs. C. W. Allan and Walter Hall, with second prizes going to Miss Beth Putnam and a Mr. McLeod. At oldstyle whist the winners were Mrs. Webster and C. L. Mitchell.

A memorial service to Earl Haig, the British great war commander who died on Thursday last, was held at Christ Church on Sunday night, when Rev. S. Newby made fitting reference to the activities of the departed. Appropriate hymns were sung, and at the close the organist, A. A. J. Collis, rendered the Dead March in Saul.

H. Hawthorne, a field man for the Broder Canning Company, New Westminster, spent a couple of days here last week, getting official information as to production of the Valley. The firm is on the lookout for a location for a new plant, and would have no hesitation coming to Creston if the dyking of the flats were under way and there was some assurance as to a supply of green peas up to 1000 acres.

Miss Elsie McLughan, entertainer, had quite a good turnout at Trinity Church for her dramatic recital on Monday night, at which she was assisted by Mrs. Marsden of Kimberley, who is a guest of Mrs. Slingsby, Wynndel, who contributed a couple of vocal numbers, as well as W. J. Truscott. The affair netted about $20 for the organ fund. Miss McLuhan was at Wynndel on Tuesday night, and during her stay in town was a guest of Mrs. Herdman.

Erickson

Mrs. Cummings of Vancouver is a visitor here at present, a guest of Mrs. K. Andrew.

Rev. J. E. Healey and daughter, Iona, were weekend visitors at Cranbrook.

Miss Eveleine Clark was a birthday party hostess on Friday evening, the affair being much enjoyed by all the guests.

A number from here that have been working at the Putnam, Palmer & Staples, Limited, sawmill all winter are home again, as the plant is shut down now sleighing has disappeared.

Kel. Andrew is the first 1928 auto buyer. He has purchased the 1926 Ford offered for sale by Rev. S. Newby, who is leaving Creston for the Old Country.

At bridge whist the Erickson players are sweeping the boards at Creston this winter. At both the Conservative ladies and Legion drives more than half the prizes fell to Erickson players.

Kitchener

Miss Mildrid Andeen, who is attending high school at Cranbrook, was home for the weekend.

Harry Redmile, manager for the Continental Pole & Tie Company, has Kitchener on the shipping list with several cars of poles moving east most every day.

Miss Clara Hunt and Claude Simpson, students at Creston high school, were home for the weekend.

Charlie Leamy, Frank Romano and Ray McKelvey of Creston, were Friday visitors at Kitchener. Walter Collins and "Red" Hickey were also other Creston callers the past week.

Everyone in Kitchener is glad to hear that Joe Laverne, who has been a hospital patient at Cranbrook, will be in shape to return very shortly.

A. G. Strudwicke is back again after an extended visit with Creston friends.

Kitchener visitors at Creston last week included John Sullivan and Matt. Anderson.

RED ROSE TEA "is good tea"

The Orange Pekoe, at a little extra cost, is extra good

In clean, bright Aluminum

Canada To The Fore

Canada's amazing progress in the last few years is challenging the attention of the world. That progress is based not only on the great variety, extent and richness of this country's natural resources, but is founded in the renewed faith of Canadians in their Dominion and in the confidence they have in themselves, a faith and confidence born largely of the really tremendous achievements of Canada during the years of the Great War. In that titanic struggle the people of Canada showed wonderful energy, displayed great initiative, unsurpassed organizing ability, and hitherto undreamed of powers and strength. Thrown to a large extent upon its own resources, financial and otherwise, the Dominion courageously faced all problems and did so with marked success.

Few countries, if any, weathered the stormy days and difficult conditions of the after-the-war and reconstruction years as successfully as did this Dominion. Canadians became conscious for the first time of their national strength; the people discovered their national soul. Their former doubts and timidities, their self-depreciation, and what has commonly been termed their inferiority complex, disappeared, and has been replaced by courage, confidence and superb faith.

In former years it is true, Canadians had successfully grappled with large and difficult domestic problems, but, in these more recent years, the Dominion has boldly taken its place in the world arena. Its position today in in the Councils of the League of Nations is an outstanding one, its place in the Commonwealth of British Nations is strong and assured. The score or more nations constituting the Pan-American Union, including the United States and the countries of Central and South America, are anxious that the Dominion should join them and give added strength and prestige to the Union, while other nations are encouraging the establishment of direct diplomatic representation with this country.

But even yet it is doubtful if many Canadians fully realize the rapid growth and steadily increasing power of their own country, because, as a rule, the average citizen pays little attention to so-called dry statistics in which the growth of a country is set forth. In a recent speech at Winnipeg, Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the C.P.R., succinctly and impressively set forth a few facts, which will bear repeating. He noted, for example, the following:

Every working day last year Canadians took from their forests, products valued at $1,500,000.

From mines they took $280,000 daily.

Every working day they increased their capacity for manufacturing pulp and paper by 1,000 tons. Canada now manufactures one-third of the world's requirements of newsprint.

Every working day they added 700 horsepower in hydro-electric energy to the power already installed, and at the same time began work that will add 1,000 h.p. every day in the first six months of 1928.

Canada's export trade last year, with less than 10,000,000 people, was equal to the export trade of the United States, when the latter country had a population of 75,000,000.

Commenting on these and other statements in Mr. Beatty's striking survey, a Winnipeg paper asks: "Is it any wonder that in the past two years the Canadian people have been putting $200,000 into the savings banks every banking day, increasing deposits in other financial instiutions correspondingly, investing in life insurance at the same relative rate, buying back millions in securities formerly held in Great Britain and Europe, providing almost unlimited capital for sound industrial enterprises, and have acquired a spirit of solid confidence and self-reliance?"

Nor is it surprising that more people are emigrating from the British Isles to Canada than to any other country, many thousands more than to Australia.

Speaking at the opening of the great 5,500,000 bushel terminal elevator just completed by the United Grain Growers at Port Arthur, President T. A. Crerar predicted that, while Canada was now producing approximately 500,000,000 bushels of wheat annually, and is today the world's greatest wheat exporting country, production would be further increased until this Dominion would be producing one billion bushels of wheat annually.

And the thounght for Canadians to keep ever in their minds, and to profit by, is that Canada is only just beginning to get into its stride.

Suggests Cure For Criminals

Physician Would Combat Crime By Use Of X-Ray

A sentence of "under the ray" instead of the gallows or a drab jail would be meted out to criminals if a group of Wheeling physicians made practical their theory of combating crime through the medium of the X-ray.

The experimenters, headed by Dr. R. J. Hersey, have revealed that for some time they have studied a method consisting of dissolving the thymus gland with the X-ray.

Dr. Hersey said their work tended to show there is a certain gland near the throat of small children which should vanish as the child grows up, but they found it in many criminals and insane persons. It is their theory that this ductless gland causes such persons to be abnormal and that the trouble can be eradicated with the X-ray.

After studying the faces of Nathan Leopold, Richard Loeb and others. Dr. Hersey said he found in all of them the tell-tale characteristics of gland cases.

A Man of Rare Attainment

Honored politically and professionally, during his lifetime, Dr. R. V. Pierce, whose picture appears here, made a success few have equalled. He was the originator of that great herbal tonic, Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, the sale of which has, each succeeding year, been greatly increased.

When you feel weak, tire easily, become discouraged quickly and sometimes feel like giving up the struggle, just ask your nearest druggist for Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, or "G.M.D.," in fluid or tablets.

Users everywhere laud its praises.

Send 10 cents for trial pkg. of tablets to Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ontario.

Alberta Cattle For U.S.

According to figures compiled by Samuel C. Reat, American Consul at Calgary, more than $500,000 worth of cattle from Alberta were exported to the United States between July 1st, 1927, and November 30th. Approximately 12,000 head of stockers, feeders and butcher cattle were shipped south, 1,449 being invoiced through Lethbridge.

World Wheat Pool Conference

Will Be Held In Regina On June 5, 6 and 7

Preliminary arrangements for the third international wheat pool conference were discussed at a meeting of the international conference committee held here in Winnipeg recently.

The conference will be held in Regina, June 5, 6 and 7, and it is expected all the important wheat exporting countries of the world will be represented.

No statement was made concerning the preliminary plans discussed recently, but it was announced the committee would meet again in May to arrange final details.

FOUND A HEALTH BUILDING TONIC

A Nova Scotia Lady Was In An Anaemic Condition

Men and women who do not sleep well and are not refreshed and strengthened by a night's rest, are generally suffering from thin, watery blood. The nerves fail to get the nourishment they demand and headaches and a worn-out feeling is the result. Building up the blood is the one sure step to renewed health and strength, and for this purpose nothing else can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. From first dose to last they enrich and purify the blood, and in this way promise better appetite, better rest at night, and renewed strength.

Mrs. Mary E. Uhlman, Williamstown, N.S., writes:—"I have received so much benefit from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, that I would feel myself ungrateful if I did not let you know.

I was in a very poor state of health and reached the stage where I had to remain in bed. A doctor was called in and he told me I had no organic trouble, but was simply run down from overwork. I had been left with a family to support, which I did by dressmaking. The doctor said my blood had almost turned to water, and advised a rest cure. I did not see how it was possible for me to take a very long rest, so I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Soon I found my strength returning and before very long I was able to go about my duties as usual again. This was a few years ago, and my health remained good until about a year ago, when I broke out with humor of the blood. Again I consulted the doctor, who said my blood had become so thin that it had really poisoned itself. I told him I had bought several boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and he told me to go on taking them as he thought they were just what I needed. I took eight boxes and again was in good health. I can therefore recommend these pills to all in a weak or run-down condition."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or will be sent by mail, post paid, on receipt of price, 50 cents a box. Try them today.

Two Trophies For Aviation

Awards For Greatest Feat Of 1927 Exclusive Of Stunting

Two important aviation trophies for the airmen considered to have done the greatest feat of the year 1927, exclusive of stunting, are to be awarded.

One is being given by the Department of National Defence and the other by the International League of Aviators. The latter trophy is accompanied by a cash prize enabling the winner to take part in international aeronautic events. The aviation League of Canada is charged with the choice of the winner.

The name of Captain F. Stevenson, former pilot of the Western Canada airways who attained the record of 800 hours flying last year is mentioned in connection with the government trophy. Captain Stevenson was killed recently near The Pas, Man., but it is belived a posthumous award would be in order.

Good Market For Milk Products

It is estimated that the production of milk and milk products in Canada is worth $250,000,000 per annum at the present time. The prospects of two markets for Canadian producers, the old established one in Europe and the new one in the United States, makes the outlook for the industry decidedly rosy in the opinion of the Dominion Dairy Commissioner.

Negro Becomes Wealthy

Tom Johnson, 54, a negro plasterer, of Mayfield, has been informed by an attorney from Tulsa, Okla., that he is owner of a quarter-section of land there upon which are located forty or more producing oil wells, and thus his wealth ranges somewhere between ten and twenty millions.

Minard's Liniment for asthma.

Radio Telephone Links Winnipeg and London

Conversation Carried On Between Western City and Mother Country

Linking up the gateway of Western Canada with the mother country, a trans-Atlantic radio telephone conversation between Winnipeg and London, England, has been successfully carried out. For 15 minutes an official of the Manitoba Government Telephone System conversed with a member of the London postal telephones. So clear was the reception that the London official complained of the tap-tap of the telegraph ticker in the Winnipeg office.

"For heaven's sake stop that telegraph ticker in your room, it is deafening," he said to William Walton, long distance chief of the Manitoba telephones.

The call as it came to Winnipeg, a distance of about 5,000 miles, passed through New York, Chicago, Minneapolis and Fargo, N.D.

New Anti-Aircraft Gun

Weapon Has Vertical Range Of Three Miles

A new three inch anti-aircraft gun and mobile mount has been designed by the ordnance department of the United States army and adopted by the war department.

This new weapon is capable of sending 25 shots a minute almost three miles straight up and its horizontal range is more than twice that distance. Its mobile carriage presents the latest developments, combining stability and mobility, and can be placed in readiness to fire in 15 minutes from a carrying position It is so light that it can be moved across the country by a standard four wheel drive truck.

Filling Up Vacant Spaces

53,000 New Colonists Added To Canada's Population In 1927 Through C.N.R.

Approximately 53,000 new colonists were directly added to Canadian population in 1927 through the instrumentality of the Department of Colonization and Development, Canadian Pacific Railway. Of these roughly 35,000 moved directly through channels created by the Department into agricultural or domestic service, farm training or farm ownership. Settlers moved from the United Sttaes by the Department's organizations totalled 11,000, practically all of which are established on farms.

LESSON No. 14

Question: Why is *emulsified cod-liver oil so* efficient and *so* beneficial a food-tonic?

Answer: Because it is *so* easily assimilated and quickly builds up strength. Multitudes use it every day as in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Reach Better Understanding

Friendly Relations Between North and South Of Ireland

Viscount Craigavon, premier of Northern Ireland, in a speech at Belfast City Hall, said he was glad to state that friendly relations between the Irish Free State and Northern Ireland are growing better every day.

It is the desire of all citizens, he said, that they should have only the best relations with such close neighbors.

Miller's Worm Powders will eradicate the worm evil that bears so heavily on children and is believed to cause many fatalities. They are an acceptable medicine to children and can be fully relied upon to clear the food channels thoroughly of these destructive parasites and restore the inflamed and painful surfaces to healthfulness. They are an excellent remedy for these evils.

The total crop of coca of the South American countries for last year exceeded 75,000,000 pounds.

Only the uninformed endure the agony of corns. The knowing ones apply Holloway's Corn Remover and get relief.

More than three-fourths of the coca leaves raised are consumed by the native Indian population.

Woodsmen—Keep Minard's handy.

In New York City alone it is estimated that 100,000 women daily have their hair marcelled.

ASPIRIN

The whole world knows Aspirin as an effective antidote for pain. *But it's just as important to know that there is only one genuine Aspirin.* The name Bayer is on every tablet, and on the box. If the name Bayer appears, it's genuine; and if it doesn't, it is not! Headaches are dispelled by Aspirin. So are colds, and the pain that goes with them; even neuralgia, neuritis, and rheumatism promptly relieved. Get Aspirin—at any drugstore—with proven directions.

Physicians prescribe Aspirin; it does NOT affect the heart

Aspirin is the trade mark (registered in Canada) indicating Bayer Manufacture. While it is well known that Aspirin means Bayer manufacture, to assure the public against imitations, the Tablets will be stamped with their "Bayer Cross" trademark.

MANITOBA'S NEW LIQUOR BILL IS FINALLY ADOPTED

Winnipeg.—With but brief debate, Manitoba's new liquor bill, which provides for the sale of beer by the glass in hotel parlors and clubs, and the purchase of hard liquor under a cash-and-carry system from Governmnent commission stores, was adopted in the Legislature.

The act probably will be proclaimed February 15, Hon. W. J. Major, Attorney-General, stated recently. Preparations for opening beer parlors are well under way by hotel men in city and rural districts, and extensive alterations have been made by some in fitting their premises in accordance with the new act.

Under the act, provision is made for taking a local option vote in the 23 "dry" constituencies of the province.

The Manitoba Liquor Commission is given wide powers under the act, and severe penalties for infractions are provided. The Government will take all liquor profits, instead of dividing them with the cities and municipalities as at present, and has the right to purchase or build a brewery, if conditions warrant.

Stories Are Discredited

Talk Of Semi-Tropical Land In Northern B.C. Is Largely Fiction

Ottawa.—The making of aerial maps is resulting in a greater influx of prospectors to Canada's many mining fields and is a time-saver for company organizers, A. H. Narraway, chief aerial survey engineer of the topographical surveys, told the convention of Dominion land surveyors here.

Mr. Narraway declared maps being made through the use of aerial photography were actually the best and most accurate obtainable.

Talk of newly discovered semi-tropical land in Northern British Columbia which was said to be kept warm through the eruption of hot springs was largely fiction, according to a report read to the delegates by K. P. McCusker.

Speaking of a recent survey he conducted in the northern stretches of the Pacific coast province, Mr. McCusker said he had found luxurious meadows and prairie land and large stretches of open country which he termed "summer-land." It could not be classed as semi-tropical, however, the speaker declared. The country abounded in game, goats, sheep, caribou and grizzly bear. Grass grew to such a height that it was clear no heavy snow fell during the winter.

Reveals Operations Of Smugglers

New York.—A confession of Florent Lamotte, a sailor, has revealed the operations of the diamond gang, which has smuggled hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of diamonds from Europe during the past year. He confessed to bringing 55 packages of diamonds into New York last year. Arrested last November, Lamotte had $100,000 in diamonds concealed in the heels and toes of his shoes.

Dairy Production Declines

Calgary. — Tremendous prosperity among the farmers of Alberta, following remarkably successful seasons for grain growers, was held by Hon. George Hoadley to be partially responsible for the serious decline in dairy production which had been observed in the province last year. Mr. Hoadley was addressing the manufacturers' section of the Alberta Dairymen's Association 23rd annual convention.

Would Outlaw Submarines

Washington.—A demand that the submarine be outlawed as a weapon of naval warfare was made in the House, Tuesday, by Representative Frothingham, Republican, Massachusetts. He proposed that the nations of the world unite in abolishing the submarine and prohibit its construction.

The three largest hotels in the world are the Pennsylvania and the Commodore in New York City and the Stevens in Chicago.

New Governor Installed

James McNeill Takes Over Administration Of Irish Free State

Dublin.—Escorted by a troop of Free State Cavalry, James McNeill, new governor of the Irish Free State, went to Leinster House where the chief justice administered the oath of office.

The cavalry escorted Mr. McNeill and his wife, who rode in a motor car over a route of three miles to the vice-regal lodge.

There was no demonstration en route and the spectators were drenched by a heavy rain.

After the oath had been administered Governor-General McNeill was presented to all the high Free State officials and their wives and then went to Leinster Lawn where his first public act was to place a wreath on the cenotaph there in honor of the Irish patriots, Arthur Griffith and Michael Collins.

Timothy Healy, the retiring governor-general, had quietly vacated the vice-regal lodge overnight with his daughter, driving to his old home in Chapelizoz on the banks of the Liffey.

Land Surveyors In Convention At Ottawa

Report Of Summer's Work Is Given To Government

Ottawa.—After months spent in the uninhabited or sparsely settled sections of Canada, the Dominion land surveyors are here to compare notes, exchange experiences and to lay before the Government and the people of Canada the result of their summer's work.

When the convention opened about 100 surveyors and engineers took part. R. W. Cautley, of Edmonton, the president of the association of Dominion Land Surveyors, occupied the chair. His address was the feature of forenoon's meeting.

The tremendous area in Canada which still remains practically unexplored and unknown was emphasized by Mr. Cautley.

"No surveyor has ever set foot on the greater part of Canada," he said, "and less than one-quarter of our wonderful country has ever been adequately mapped out or can be until the surveys are made."

Other Nations Would Like Canadian Envoy

Would Mean Admittance Of Canada To Pan-American Union

New York.—Although members of the Canadian Government have stated that the Dominion will not take the initiative in applying for membership in the Pan-American Union, a special dispatch to the Herald Tribune from its correspondent at Havana indicates that Canada would be speedily admitted, provided she extended her diplomatic connections to several Latin American countries.

Described as "curious developments running under the surface," the dispatch says: "Unofficially a suggestion has been made to persons who would transmit it to the proper Canadian authorities, that if the Caandian Government would send diplomatic representatives to Chile, Argentina, Brazil, and Mexico, as she has done to Washington, she would be speedily admitted to the union."

Form New Federation

Winnipeg.—With 200 Hungarians present, the Federation of Canadians of Magyar Descent was formed at a convention here. Dr. John Ujvary, Regina, was elected president and Nicholas Istovnffy, Hamilton, Ont., secretary. The objects of the federation are to create citizenship organizations which would make the descendants of Magyars who came to the Dominion full-fledged Canadians, assist them in land development work and aid in philanthropic and charitable operations.

Canadian People Confident

Halifax.—"I am struck by the note of confidence which Canadian people have regarding the future of this Dominion and also by the enlargement of knowledge which you have regarding Canadian resources, both agricultural and mineral," declared Rt. Hon. L. C. M. S. Amery, Secretary of State for the Dominions, in an interview at Government House, where he was entertained during his brief stay in the city.

President of Irish Free State

Liam T. Cosgrave, head of the Irish Free State Government, who recently paid a visit to the United States and Canada.

Sees No Possibility Of Peace Department

But Resolution Will Start Debate Says Miss MacPhail

Windsor. — Terming Toronto the "most reactionary city in Ontario," Miss Agnes MacPhail, M.P., speaking at the banquet of the Border Cities Business and Professional Women's Club, delivered a vigorous attack on war, its makers and planners.

Miss MacPhail said she had placed a resolution upon the order paper at Ottawa calling on the government to authorize the formation of a government department for the promotion of international peace and goodwill.

"We have a department that is doing all it can to promote the military spirit," Miss MacPhail said. "Why should we not have a department working to definitely promote the spirit of amity and international friendship? I know my resolution won't carry, but it makes excellent ground for debate."

Urges Sales Agency

Winnipeg—Establishment of a national co-operative selling agency to handle the products of the various provincial organizations was advocated by C. B. Gooderham, Dominion apiarist, at the annual convention of the Manitoba Beekeepers' Association. Mr. Gooderham also urged Government standard grades for honey, and curtailment of the present price cutting and individual selling.

Strengthen Italian Army

Rome.—The Fascist militia will be incorporated into the regular Italian army in war time, Premier Mussolini announced. The announcement was made in the course of a review of the militia upon the fifth anniversary of its foundation.

Pay Tribute To Senator

Present Portrait To Senator Dessaulles To Commemorate Hundreth Birthday

Ottawa.—The remoteness and the nearness of those stirring events which have given their color to the history of Canada were strikingly emphasized when both Houses of Parliament, having adjourned for the occasion, a portrait of Senator Georges Casimir Dessaulles was presented to him by his fellow parliamentarians, in commemoration of the 100th anniversary of his birth. Hon. Mr. Dessaulles celebrated his centenary, September 29, 1927.

Hon. Hewitt, Bostock, Speaker of the Senate, made the presentation in the Senate chamber.

Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Prime Minister, expressed his pride in having the honor to join with the Senate in congratulating Hon. Mr. Dessaulles on the age he had attained and on the service given with such great distinction to himself, his province, and to his country. It would be of interest to all to know that in the rebellion of 1837 Mr. Dessaulles, then a boy of ten, was placed under arrest and although not imprisoned, was put under surveillance for almost a year. Senator Dessaulles at present had a distinct recollection of the stirring events of those days. His mother was a sister of Louis Joseph Papineau.

Hon. R. B. Bennett, leader of the Opposition in the House of Commons, associated himself and the Opposition with the Prime Minister's sentiments.

Ban On Export Liquor Houses

Lash Is Suggested As Penalty For Drug Peddlers

Victoria.—Discussing liquor legislation in the Legislature, Attorney-General A. M. Manson said the fight begun in 1922 had now borne fruit and export liquor houses were to be put out of business. In view of the unanimity in this respect among the provinces, he did not think the Senate would venture again to reject the legislation, as had been done twice before after it passed the House of Commons.

He was hopeful also, he said, that the Federal House this year would adopt the British Columbia suggestion that the lash be added to the penalties for drug peddlers.

Order American School Closed

Constantinople. — The government has ordered the American school at Broussa, Turkey, closed on the ground that it has broken Turkish law by converting students. The government recently investigated the school after it had been reported that four Moslem girl students had been converted to Christianity. The Turkish law prohibits religious propaganda in the schools.

Two Fliers—Air and Snow

F. Trubee Davison, assistant United States Secretary of War in charge of Aviation, is having a look at "Mountie," famous huskie with the Chateau Frontenac dog team, while his driver and owner, Arthur Beauvais, is answering questions. Mr. Davison is up at the Chateau Frontenac taking in the Quebec Winter sports season and Mountie is doing his bit towards making it a success. Whenever he appears in the lead of the dog team he draws all eyes, for Mountie used to lead the patrol of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police in the Far North and has earned the Victoria Cross, men say.

PRAYER BOOK REVISION IS STILL A LIVE QUESTION

London.—The controversy here over the Church of England prayer book continues unabated.

At a meeting of the London Diocesan Association of the Federation of Catholic Priests, an Anglican body, a resolution was passed urging the whole question of the revision of the prayer book should be postponed until after the Lambeth conference of 1930. The resolution declared the bishops' amendments in the deposited prayer book were not likely to commend themselves either to the Anglo-Catholics or the Evangelicals, and it pointed out there were churches in communion with the Church of England that had not yet been consulted with regard to the alterations in liturgical standards.

Lord Halifax, a leader in the Malines conversations, insisted on a similar measure of freedom being accerded the Church of England as is now enjoyed by the established Presbyterian Church of Scotland. He expressed the belief that if the people of the church united on this they could command success, but that otherwise they would remain powerless.

These are anxious times for the church, said the Archbishop of York, speaking at the opening of a mission exhibition at Sheffield recently. "Those of us who are in a position to know, are aware that the decision to be reached next week in the church assembly may involve the whole course of history for the church of this land. We pray we may have the wisdom to discern God's purpose and the courage to follow it," he said.

Building Starts At Flin Flon

Bank Already Erected and Contract For Drug Store Let

Flin Flon, Man.—That the much talked of Flin Flon mine promises big business in the future is proven by the fact that the Royal Bank of Canada has built a branch there. This is the first business to be started since the taking up of the option, and the bank will be followed shortly by a drug store, the contract for which has been let.

The new Flin Flon hockey team has accepted a challenge from the Northland Hockey Association for a match during dog derby week, and this will probably be arranged. A first class rink has been built at the mine and the miners are busy practicing for the March date.

Youthful Burglars Captured

Two Gangs Are Rounded Up By Winnipeg Police

Winnipeg.—Two gangs of youthful burglars, members ranging in age from 14 to 19 years, and totalling 11 in number, have been rounded up by police recently. One gang devoted its efforts exclusively to stores and residences in the west end of the city, while the other gang operated over a wide area in Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

The first group of youthful bandits was gathered in by police as the result of an investigation into a series of store robberies. The second coup was made when the youths were surprised by police while in the act of robbing a local drug store.

Naval Men Go To England

Winnipeg.—On their way to England to man the new destroyer, "Toreador," and bring her back to Canada, three officers and 64 petty officers and men of the Royal Canadian Navy, passed through Winnipeg recently on the Canadian National Railways. They will sail from Halifax on the steamship Lapland. The sailors are from Esquimalt and were the crew of the "Patrician."

Had Completed War History

London.—The Daily Sketch said that it was understood that the late Earl Douglas Haig had completed a history of the great war. The book was said to have contained more of the secret history of the conflict than is now available, and Earl Haig decided that it should not be published during his lifetime. It is believed that he left implicit instructions how the book should be dealt with.

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WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

If You Would Not Sign ; Don't Say It !

Most of us have the unfortunate habit of talking too much. We like to pose as authorities on subjects or questions about which we really know very little We like to assume an attitude of having inside knowledge of personal and business affairs. Without taking the trouble to verify information given us we pass it on with the prestige our personality adds to it.

Too many of us on hearing or observing something out of the ordinary carelessly make it the shaky foundation for our next conversation.

In some degree, newspapers as well as individuals, are guilty of this failing. There is one point of difference. In effect the newspaper attaches its signature to the information it circulates. Some care is therefore taken to check up and verify reports.

Is it not wise, when tempted to repeat a bit of gossip, or when something we do not understand comes under our observation, to give it the test suggested by Mead Co operation. This writer asks:

"Would you be willing to write out, sign your name to and pass around the gossip which you have heard or the suspicions which have been aroused in you by what you have seen or heard? Could you honestly say that what you are about to say or repeat would be right, and that by repeating it you would not object to having it published over your signature?

"If what you might otherwise say will not bear this test, let it alone. Let the subject drop right there. If you won't sign it, you are suspicious of it; so—Don't Say It."—Vernon News.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

EDITOR REVIEW:

SIR,—Conservative members in the Legislature have had a good deal to say about the financial policies of the MacLean Government. By a process, which it is being suggested that even they would find it difficult to explain, they are endeavoring to prove that British Columbia's finances are in a most hopeless state

Perhaps the best answer to this is the plain statement that the credit of this Province in the money markets of this continent stands as high as that of the Dominion itself and much higher than some of the other provinces. The financial intere ts who determine the price at which money shall be loaned are not concerned about the politics of either Dr. MacLean or Mr. Pooley—Dr. Tolmie, of course, is not taken into account at all—their first and most important consideration is the security which the borrower can put up; when satisfied on this point, they inquire into the manner in which the borrower is conducting his business. British Columbia borrows its money from these interests as cheaply as the Dominion and nearly always cheaper than the other provinces. So much for its credit in this regard.

Whenever the Province is in the market for a loan there always is a rush of bidders. This ought to be sufficient proof that British Columbia is conducting its affairs in a businesslike fashion.

There is a side of the story which Conservatives always conveniently ignore. It is worth study. Dr. MacLean put it briefly and clearly in his excellent speech in the Legislature the other day. He admitted at the outset that Liberal governments had not always been successful in balancing their budgets—due to special circumstances by no means inimical to the public's interest—but their current expenditures invaribly had balanced current revenues.

Heavy capital expenditures out of revenue in some years, however, had occasioned a certain deficit. But these have been small compared with the situation which confronted the Province when the present Opposition was in office.

For instance, in 1912-1913, there was a deficit of nearly $3,000,000; in 1913 1914 the debit balance was no less than $5,200,000—and the Province's population then only 400,000. In four years, in fact, Conservative deficits averaged $4,000,000 annually. As the Premier pointed out, this is a record of financial mismanagement unequalled in any other part of the Empire.

Nor should it be forgotten that at one time the former Government borrowed $5,000,000 to meet a deficit. It was this proceeding that earned for B.C. bonds the title—deficit bonds. This condition faced the present regime when it took office at the end of 1916.

How successfully it dealt with it is explained by the Province's high credit rating. CITIZEN.

There was no fire loss at Vernon during 1927 according to the annual report of the fire chief.

SYNOPSIS OF LAND ACT AMENDMENTS

PRE-EMPTIONS

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

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

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes, and which is not timberland, i.e., carrying over 5,000 board feet per acre west of the Coast Range and 8,000 feet per acre east of that range.

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

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

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

PURCHASE

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

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

HOMESITE LEASES

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

LEASES

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

GRAZING

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

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Reports covering each of the Six Mineral Survey Districts are published separately, and are available on application.

NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

Kaslo public library had but 25 members last year.

The C.P.R. is this season putting up 2700 tons of ice at Cranbrook.

The electric light plant at Penticton had 1435 customers last year.

Penticton's high and public schools cost the ratepayers $70,007 last year.

The Presbyterian Church at Cranbrook announces a membership of 120.

108 cases were tried in Penticton police court in 1927, with fines totalling $1733.

East Kootenay farmers will this year be able to purchase poison gas for gopher killing.

The 1928 objective of Vernon Women's Institute is to establish a rest room in that town.

Rossland snowshoe club had 70 members out for their Sunday afternoon hike last week.

F. E. Dotson, a Bonners Ferry poultryman has just set a 5000 egg incubator in operation.

Penticton growers this year averaged $1.05 for their Wagener apples, as compared with 53 cents in 1926.

The hospital at Invermere operated at a loss of $60 last year. The building and equipment is valued at $3285.

January 21st was the big production day at the Sullivan mine at Kimberley, when 7000 tons of ore were handled.

Okanagan tomato growers are to ask for a price of not less than $20 a ton from canneries this year. This is a raise of $4.

Penticton's tax rate this year will be 45 mills. Improvements, however, are assessed at but 20 per cent. of their value.

Cranbrook United Church people contribute $7073 in the nine month term of 1927, closing the books with a surplus of $1259.

The public works department announces it will make great improvements in the highway between Yahk and Goatfell.

In addition to having $2154 cash in bank at the end of the year, Kaslo hospital also boasts $2500 invested in Victory bonds.

Penticton chief of police is calling for donations of discarded footwear, to supply some of the out-of-works in that town.

The Dominion Canners will operate their cannery at Penticton this season, and are planning spending $20,000 on improvements and addiions to the equipment.

Cranbrook United Church added 51 members last year. and now has 203 names on the roll. The Sunday school enrollment is 268.

Kaslo Women's Institute books were honestly audited this year. The work was done by the Anglican and United Church pastors.

Cranbrook Rotary Club is giving $200 to buy the needed furnitnre for the library for the nurses' quarters at the hospital in that town.

Bonners Ferry is considering discontinuing using he Kootenay River as a water supply, and putting in a gravity system from Myrtle Creek.

For 1927 the United Church ladies' aid at Vernon raised all its funds by voluntary giving, and was able to meet all its obligations and $15 to the good.

Due to improvements in its waterworks system Rossland has just experienced a cut in insurance rates that runs to 50 per cent under certain circumstances.

Rossland council is writing a letter to all the town merchants asking them to at once reduce prices and thus avoid a civic investigation into living costs in that town.

Penticton growers are rejoicing greatly at better apple prices. A year ago 85 cents was paid for McIntosh Red. This year the price is $1.35, and all other varities in much the same proportion.

Club License Applied For

In the absence of president Col. Fred Lister, S. M. Watson presided at the February meeting of the Canadian Legion on Tuesday night. Full information in connection with a club license was submitted and carefully discussed and secretary instructed to make application for license. Four new members were received bringing the membership up to 41. The Legion has named a special committee to investigate the matter of running an excursion to Nelson on Dominion Day.

Kitchener School Report

Miss Hobden, principal of Kitchener school has issued the January standings as follows: Highest standing: Grade 8—Dennis Bush, Wesley Blair. Grade 7—Edith Nelson, Richard Molander. Grade 6—Williard Blair, Elsie Nelson. Grade 5—Nettie Androssof, Elmer Lindbloom. Grade 4—Celina Langlois, Frank Abar. Grade 3—Charles Bush, Curt Anderson. Grade 2a—Jack Langlois, Fred Androssof. Grade 2b—Alta Blair, Robert Johnson. Perfect attendance—Clarance Anderson, Myrtle Anderson, Selmer Anderson, Wesley Blair, Willard Blair, Charles Bush, Dennis Bush, Robert Johnson, Richard Molander.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

A contract for construction of a grain elevator has been let by the New Westminster Harbor Commission. The cost of the elevator will be about $500,000.

The establishment of a department for the promotion of peace and international understanding is advocated by Miss Agnes MacPhail, Progressive, Southeast Grey.

Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railway, introduced in the House a bill to provide for the construction of a line of railway between Rosedale and Bullpound, Alberta.

Patrick Murphy, aged 44, was added to the list of victims in Winnipeg, when he was found dead in a bed in a rooming house, as the result of drinking wood alcohol. He is the 13th victim within the past two months.

Sir Robert Borden was chosen president of the National Council of Canada, Institute of International Affairs, at the first annual meeting held in Ottawa. John W. Dafoe, Winnipeg, was elected vice-president.

Professor Johannes Fibiger, winner of the Nobel Prize for medicine in [illegible] at Copenhagen. Professor Fibiger, who was on the faculty of the University of Copenhagen, was awarded the prize for his work in cancer research.

The scope of treaties arrived at by the Pan-American conference has been widened to include the world instead of the U.S. and two Latin-American republics, The treaties involved are those dealing with commercial aviation.

Admirers of many nationalities attended the funeral of Vicente Blasco Ibanez, noted Spanish author, who died at Mentone, France, in voluntary exile. A company of Alpine chasseurs—the famous blue devils—rendered military honors.

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Britain Is Following Disarmament Plan

Have Decided To Abandon 10,000 Ton Vessels For the Present

The British Government, it was announced at London, has decided to go still further in its policy of naval disarmament indicated after the failure of the tri-partite conferences.

The building program passed in 1925 provides for the laying down of one 10,000-ton cruiser and two 8,000-ton cruisers in each of the three years, 1927, 1928 and 1929. The First Lord of the Admiralty, Right Hon. W. C. Bridgeman, recently announced that it had been decided to abandon all the 10,000-ton vessels for the present and that one of the projected 8,000-ton tons ships might be carried over until 1928-29. Now it has been determined to abandon the latter vessel altogether.

The net result is that in the two years in question only three 8,000-ton vessels will be laid down, instead of four in this class, as originally proposed. Together with the elimination of the 10,000-ton ships, this will mean the saving of about £5,500,000 ($27,500,000). It is understood that the program for destroyers and submarines will remain unchanged and that construction of nine destroyers and six submarines will be included in next year's program.

Winnipeg Newspaper Union Fashions

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Was Great Shopkeeper

Large Business Built Up In England By John Sainsbury

John James Sainsbury, founder of Messrs J. Sainsbury, provision merchants, who has died at his home at Highgate, N., London, Eng., at the age of 83, is described as one of Britain's greatest shopkeepers.

He started as a boy in an oil shop in Drury Lane, and when he married at the age of 24—59 years ago— he opened a cheesemonger's shop in the same street. He lived to see this tiny shop develop into a colossal business, which owns more than 100 shops in London alone, and many more in the provinces.

This business is estimated to be worth nearly £1,500,000 ($7,500,000), and it is still in the Sainsbury family, all the shares being held by Mr. John's six sons and six grandsons.

From the time when Mr. Sainsbury began to make his Drury Lane shop a success he could never be tempted to buy anything other than the best, and this, combined with the facts that he tried always to present his goods in the most attractive way and to have them sold by the most attractive assistants, accounts for his success.

Receives Handsome Gift

Self-Made Millionaire Gives Year Income To University Of California

P. Giannani, born 47 years ago in a humble rooming house in San Jose, Calif., of poor Italian parents, has placed his 1927 income, $1,500,000, at the disposal of the University of California.

Under the terms of the gift $1,000,000 goes towards the establishment of the Giannani foundation of agricultural economics, and $500,000 will be used for the erection of a building on the university campus in Berkeley, dedicated to ways and means of relieving and improving the economic condition of farmers, dairy and livestock men and fruit growers in California.

Exhausted From Asthma. Many who read these words know the terrible drain upon health and strength, which comes in the train of asthmatic troubles. Many do not realize, however, that there is one true remedy which will usually stop this drain. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful check to this enervating ailment. It has a countless record of relief to its credit. It is sold almost everywhere.

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Dizzy, Sinking Spells
COULDN'T WALK FAR

Mrs. L. A. Oliver, Granville Ferry, N.S., writes:—"A few years ago I had dizzy, sinking spells so bad I could hardly stand up without taking hold of something to support me, and I could not walk any distance on account of being so short of breath.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FEBRUARY 12

JESUS PICTURES THE KINGDOM OF GOD

Golden Text: "Thy Kingdom come. Thy will be done, as in heaven, so on earth."—Matthew 6.10.

Lesson: Mark 1.14, 15; 4.1-34.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 145. 7-13.

Explanations and Comments

I. The Growth Of the Church Of God Is Sure: It Depends Upon God, verses 26-29. A definition of the phrase, the Kingdom of God, can only be gleaned by studying the various ways in which Jesus used it. In His parables we learn that it has to do with man's spiritual natures and possibilities, his inner life. We might define it as the reign of God in the hearts of men: "The Kingdom of God is within you," said Jesus.

There is no geography in the Kingdom of God. On an ancient Syrian fragment the familiar words of Luke 1.33 read, "and to His Kingdom there shall be no frontier": it is for all the world and for every creature. There is no chronology in the Kingdom of God; it is both present and future. As Alexander Maclaren writes: "It is present wherever wills bow to God; it is future as to complete realization, in a heaven from whence it comes and to which, like its King, it belongs even while on earth." In the earthly province of the Kingdom its subjects are fighting the good fight; in the heavenly province they have gained their crowns of righteousness.

A parable is a story told for the purpose of illustrating a truth. The parable of "The Seed Growing Secretly," or of "The Blade, the Ear, the Full Corn," as it is also sometimes called, portrays the slow but sure growth of the Kingdom of God in the hearts of men. "So is the Kingdom of God," thus Jesus begins his parable. That is, what you see to be God's method of working in nature is also His method of working in the spiritual realm. So is the Kingdom of God, as if man should cast seed upon the earth (as Jesus and the Apostles and His later followers have implanted the word of God in men's hearts); and should sleep and rise night and day, that is, lead his customary life, leaving the result of the sowing with God; and the seed should spring up and grow, he knoweth not how. "The Kingdom of God cometh not with observation," Jesus told the Pharisees.

It Bids Pain Begone.—When neuralgia racks the nerves or lumbago cripples the back is the time to test the virtues of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Well rubbed in it will still the pain and produce a sensation of ease and rest. A trial of it will establish faith in it.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

LEMON JUNKET BAVARIAN

1 package lemon junket.
1 tablespoon powdered sugar.
½ cup chopped walnuts.
½ teaspoon almond extract.
1 pint milk.
½ pint cream.
Marshmallows.
Tart jelly or cherries.

Cut marshmallows in quarters with shears and place in bottom of dessert glasses. Whip cream, almond extract and sugar together until stiff, add chopped walnuts. Warm milk slightly, in separate dish, dissolve in it the junket powder, quickly pour this into the cream mixture, stir a moment carefully. Pour at once into the glasses. The nuts and marshmallows will rise to the top. Let set until firm. Then chill. Top with bits of tart jelly.

Scalloped Ham and Potatoes

Into a well-buttered pan put slices of raw peeled potatoes and a little pepper. Then a layer of uncooked, sliced ham. Add another layer of potatoes and ham and pour on thin cream sauce (1 tablespoon flour, 1 tablespoon butter, to 1 cup milk). Sprinkle bread crumbs on top and bake in a moderate oven until brown and potatoes are well done. Serve hot. Just enough ham can be used to give the desired flavor, which has the advantage of making a little ham go a long way. For picnics this can be baked at home in a heavy tin dish with a cover and reheated over hot water on a camp fire.

Extending Hudson Power

During the year 1927 hydro-power equipment was installed in Canada ready for operation to the extent of more than 221,000 h.p. In addition other undertakings were advanced to such a stage that a further total of 378,000 h.p. will be in place during the first six or seven months of 1928, thus bringing the total by the middle of the year to more than 5,100,000 h.p.

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BUCKLEY'S MIXTURE
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If you don't know the answer, you haven't discovered pure, harmless Castoria. It is sweet to the taste, and sweet in the little stomach. And its gentle influence seems felt all through the tiny system. Not even a distasteful dose of castor oil does so much good.

Fletcher's Castoria is purely vegetable, so you may give it freely, at first sign of colic; or constipation; or diarrhea. Or those many times when you just don't know what is the matter. For real sickness, call the doctor, always. At other times, a few drops of Fletcher's Castoria.

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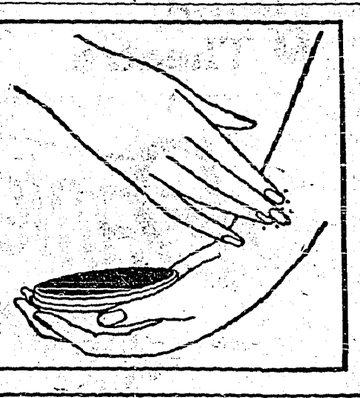

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CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued

They were in the kitchen, Mrs. McMann peeling a tub of potatoes for the evening slaughter, and Helmi dampening clothes for the next day's ironing. The latter lifted her dreamy eyes from the basket of clothes. "Ain't clean clothes beautiful?" she said, "all full of nice smells of good air and sun. I like clean clothes like flowers."

Mrs. McMann regarded her with a puzzled look. "Sometimes I wonder about you, Helmy, dear," she said kindly, "you seem so queer, and hardly all there. You don't seem to hear what people are saying to you—with your dreamy looks and the queer things you say."

"Were you speaking to me, Mrs. McMann?" Helmi asked politely, "I am sorry if I did not answer right. What was it you wanted me to tell you?"

Though outwardly pleased to have Helmi back again, Mrs. McMann's anger burned against the girl because of the fervent expression of joy her return brought from the men. Devout thanksgiving was expressed the first day she was there to wait on the table.

"Helmi at the helm again?" one little Jew cried out. "Don't leave us, Helmi—we missed you so! Don't leave us even if you did get married; we're willing to forgive you anything but desertion. "Gosh, I'm glad to see you," said the time-keeper, a man who seldom spoke.

"See here!" Mrs. McMann broke in, "what's the matter with you all? Didn't I feed you?—Darn you! Didn't I sling grub here every day and hire a Chinaman to cook?"

"It's just we're glad to see her back—she's a pretty, young thing, and we like to look at her, Mrs. McMann," said the mine boss; whose special duty it was to keep peace. His wife had gone East and he was taking his meals at the boarding house. "The boys don't mean no harm to you."

Mrs. McMann's eyes narrowed. Helmi's agile movements, her boyishly slim figure, her perfectly rounded face, and the brilliancy of her coloring, gave her the same shock of bitterness the old actress feels when her theatre shakes with applause for the new star. Mrs. McMann, in her young days had "queened" in many a camp, where the youngest woman always travels next the pole. Now, by contrast with Helmi, she was merely a grindy-gray, stout old woman, withered and battered by time, in the sight of men—and she knew it, and with the thought came a smouldering hatred of the unconscious cause of it.

One day when Helmi came in Mrs. McMann noticed the color of her cheeks was not so brilliant, and her eyes looked heavy and red.

"Frettin', are you Helmy?" she said; married three months and frettin' already. That's not good—no man is worth frettin' over. By Gosh! I'll bet Jack's not frettin'. If there's a pretty girl in sight, Jack will be sparkin' up to her and makin' her think she's the only girl he ever looked at. Men are all the same—don't I know them! I should, I've had three men already. But I'm done—I wouldn't marry the richest man in the world, not if he went on his bended knees to me."

Mrs. McMann, with her hair in flaring curl papers, dressed in a faded and shrunken old wrapper which had lost some of its buttons in the course of its career, with shoes unlaced and the tongues hanging out, did not look much like the lady who would command abject homage.

Some such thought as this must have shown in Helmi's face, for Mrs. McMann went on. "I was good enough lookin' when I was your age, too, and had lots of fellows crazy about me. I made my first mistake when I got married and began to raise a family. Then I lost my looks and my figure. Lord! ain't the world hard on women. It's just like the potatoes that are planted in the ground—the old one has to die to make a new plant. The old one rots, while the new one springs."

Helmi shuddered.

"That's bad talk," she said hesitatingly. She wished she could have said it in her own language. "God made the world this way. It can't be as bad as you say. Lots of good men there are, and happy women, too, and it's all right for women to have families."

"Oh, you don't say so?" snapped Mrs. McMann! "I suppose the next thing we hear—"

Here the conversation was interrupted by old Sim's arrival. Having slept all day, he had come in for his evening meal, blinking at the light like a bear in the Spring.

Simeon Maskerville was a long, lanky man of uncertain age. His gray beard was tangled and knotted, but his eyes were young still, and, although generally half closed, as if the light hurt them, capable of seeing all that was happening. Simeon had the appearance of a flower that has grown stringy and pale for lack of light, or a potato that has lain in a forgotten corner of the cellar. He fell at once to talking, not wishing to lose any of the precious hours of conversation, remembering that the long night was coming wherein no man would be found to whom he could talk.

"Speakin' o' false teeth," he began, although no one had been speaking of them, "I lost my job with the C.P.R. over mine. I was engineer on the flyer when it happened, and happenin' to sneeze, out they flew into the grass. Just natcherly I stopped the train — Stars! I would have done as much for anyone—no man could do less than stop! and I hops down, for I had marked the place, and I walks right to them, dusted them off on my elbow, and puts them in. It didn't take no time. But the company was sore. The chief heard of it and calls me in. I often wish I hadn't been so hasty—anyway I quit, I says to him, I says 'No man can talk that way to me and get by with it.' I spoke easy and gentle, like I always do, but it seemed to cut him to the heart. He just couldn't stand it from me. When I was goin' out, head up, I thought I heard him call. I never turned—maybe I should 'uv—I don't know."

"The C.P.R. seems to have got along all right since you left, Sim," said Mrs .McMann, testily.

"So have I, Mrs. McMann," said sim, gently, "beautiful—never out of work—always a place for old Sim. I've had to rough it a little some times—eatin' at queer joints sometimes — associating with odd sticks here and there—that's the worst; but even at that I manage. I do not mind like some people; memory, my dear Mrs. McMann, of dear, dead days, though forever gone, can be very sweet, and I like to see the happiness of other people. Now here's Helmi and Jack, I'm that happy over those two kids, it seems like it brings all back to me. It was springtime when Martha and me went off and surprised everyone. Springtime in old Ontario, when daft little lambs were springin' up and down on their crooked little legs, and the air was full of that blue haze that trails on the trees like rags; and the frogs in the ponds were saying 'Is tomorrow come yet?' You know the story, don't you, Mrs. McMann, of how the frogs was coaxed to go in for one day to the pond, and promised they would sure get out tomorrow?"

"Oh shut up, Sim, and eat your supper—I can't be bothered to listen to you."

Helmi looked up quickly. "I like Sim's talk," she said, "he says good words."

"He's just an old plaster, Helmy, and would rather talk than eat if he can get anyone to listen to him. He's like the canal-boat back home—the engine always had to stop when the whistle blew—that's Sim."

"But I like it," Helmi said again; "He talks kind. Tell me about the frogs, Sim."

"Some day I'll come to see you, an' I'll tell you, Helmi," Sim spoke with dignity now. He had been assailed professionally and could not recover all at once.

"He's trying to bum a meal, Helmy," said Mrs. McMann brutally; "I know him."

"Come on Sunday for dinner with me, Sim, and then you can tell me."

Sim nodded gratefully.

"It is the long black nights, Helmi, black without a star, silent, empty, not a voice, not even a dog-bark. I have been a night-watchman for ten years—no wonder I have a cravin' for voices and friends. Yes, I will come, Helmi, and thank you for being so kind."

Helmi's heart grew tender as she thought of the lonely old man sitting alone in the long dark night, stark with silence; for although she had been only two weeks alone, she knew what loneliness and fear a night can hold when one lies open-eyed, staring into the black unanswering depths, wondering, wondering. One can imagine such terrible things of lost men in trackless wildernesses. And Christmas seemed far away!

(To Be Continued.)

YOUNG WOMEN SUFFER MOST

These Two Found Relief by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.—"I have been teaching for three years, and at the end of the year I always feel tired and have no appetite. I was awful sick each month, too, having pains in my back until sometimes I was obliged to stop working. A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I heard many women telling how good it was so I thought it would help me. And it did. Now I take six bottles every year and recommend it to others."—DONALDA FANTEUX, Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.

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Under Patronage Of Prince

His Royal Highness Sponsored Publication Of Canadian Birdland Poems

His Excellency Viscount Willingdon has accepted a copy of W. Havelock Robb's volume of Canadian Birdland poems, "The Quill and the Candle," which appeared just before Christmas under the patronage of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

The Prince has acknowledged the arrival at St. James Palace of the volume of poems, the original command for which he gave last June.

The "Command" copy was an example of the Canadian binders art. It was done in green suede, gold and red with silk inside the covers and the presentation inscription inside was in gold lettering on suede.

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Little Helps For This Week

"He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty; and he that ruleth his spirit than he that taketh a city."—Prov. xvi. 32.

Let each man raise
The self by soul, not trample down the self;
Soul is self's friend when self doth rule oe'r self.
—Song Celestial.

Alberta's Coal Production

Coal production in Alberta last year was the largest ever, reaching a total for all grades of 6,936,755 tons. Figures compiled by the mines branch show that 1927 went 27,832 tons ahead of the best previous year, 1926, thus establishing a record.

Life's current coin is made of plain common sense.

Toronto's Population

Toronto's population is estimated at 569,899 in the report of the city assessors, just issued. This is an increase of about 13,000 for the year.

GREAT PRAISE FOR BABY'S OWN TABLETS

The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., have received the following letter from Mrs. Griffith, of 21 Merchison Ave., East Hamilton, Ont., concerning her experience with Baby's Own Tablets:

Dear Sirs,—I wish to thank you for the handy little booklet you sent me on the Care of Children. My baby boy was six weeks old when I first used Baby's Own Tablets, being new to Canada ,but since the first proof of their many uses in bringing up a family, I have never been without them, for they are worth their weight in gold. There is no trouble in getting the little ones to take them and they often prevent an illness if taken in time. My first baby is now, at the age of four and a half years, a picture of health, and my nine-months-old baby is also well and happy. They are both a real good sample of what Baby's Own Tablets can do, for I have never yet needed a doctor for either of them."

The booklet to which Mrs. Griffith refers is entitled "Care of the Baby," and treats with what a mother ought to know for baby's sake. A copy of the booklet will be sent free to anyone requesting same from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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Miss Nancy Severn of Procter was a weekend guest of Mrs. W.S.McAlpine.

FOR SALE—Quiet, young saddle pony, $15. Mrs. T. H. Ireland, Creston.

WANTED—Baby buggy, in good condition, state price. Write Box 87, Review Office.

Mrs. Chas. Armstrong is a visitor this week at Nelson, a guest of Mrs. Jas. Armstrong.

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A high grade Silk and Wool Hose, fine knit, narrowed foot and ankle, double heel and toe, elastic top, finest quality art silk and wool, silk faced to top, sizes 8½ to 10, assorted colors. ***Special Price—***

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FOR SALE—Clover hay in the stack, about five tons, will sell cheap for cash. Fred Powers, Camp Lister, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dickson left on Sunday for Vauxhall, Alberta, where the former has secured a position.

Gordon Spiers, who has been a visitor at Vancouver the past few weeks, with his brother, Donald, has returned home.

The February meeting of Trinity United Church W.M.S. will be held at the church on Thursday, February 16th, at 3 p.m.

Mrs. Monrad Wigen of Wynndel is this week in charge of Division 4 of the public school, in the absence of Miss Edna Holmes.

Creston village council meets in February session on Monday night, at which the chief business will be fixing the tax rate for 1928.

Vital statistics for the district for January shows two births, one marriage and no deaths. The new arrivals were both ladies.

Mrs. Chas. Moore left on Wednesday for Kaslo, where she will spend the next month on a visit with her mother and other friends.

Miss Dorothy Moul, who has been a visitor here for some time with her sister, Mrs. Stanley Hendren, has returned to her home in Vancouver.

Next week's social fixture is the Women's Institute bridge and whist on Tuesday night, 14th, at the Parish Hall, at 8 o'clock. The admission is 50 cents.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid are having a St. Valentine tea and sale of home cooking at the home of Mrs. Henderson, Saturday, February 11th, 3 to 5 p.m.

Mrs. E. N. Holmes and daughter, Miss Edna, left on Sunday for Lethbridge, Alberta, where the former will be remaining for some time on account of her health.

R. B. Staples left on Saturday for Victoria where he is part of a delegation of fruit growers who are lending a hand in shaping such alterations as will be made in the Fruit Marketing Act regulations at this session. The big difficulty seems to have to do with potatoes.

PIANO FOR SALE—In splendid shape and going at a bargain cash or terms. Enquire Review Office.

Mrs. Frank Bridges of Cranbrook is a Creston visitor this week, a guest of her mother, Mrs. S. Burnett.

Spring has surely come. The boys with the marbles made their appearance at the end of last week.

Mrs. W. A. McMurtrie returned at the end of the week from a few weeks' visit with friends in Winnipeg.

Mrs. Isaacs of Moosejaw, Sask., is a Creston visitor at present, a guest of her daughter, Mrs. John Garfield.

Mrs. Ballard of Robson has been here most of the week on a visit with her sister, Mrs. (Rev.) S. Newby.

WANTED—Will rent improved ranch situated near Creston. State rental price. J.M. Andrew, Box 64, Creston.

Something in line with spring weather has been encountered this week and nature would appear to think winter was over. W. K. Brown reports the tulips in his garden showing vigorous signs of life.

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