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# THE CRESTON REVIEW

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## "A Poor Married Man" Coming

A most enjoyable programme was presented under the joint auspices of the Ladies Community Club and the Hall Association at the Community Hall, Canyon, on March 12th, when the play, "A Poor Married Man", was staged. The entertainment opened with a piano duet by Miss L. Cook and William Ridd, which was well appreciated, after which there was a vocal solo by A. Spencer. The first act of the play followed, presenting the room at Professor Wiss's home, which has been decorated by some of his students in anticipation of amusement at his return from his wedding. An entertaining mix-up follows, when the first arrival turns out to be the professor's mother-in-law, who is mistaken for the bride. The negro servant recognizes the mother-in-law as a former Mrs. Dean, whose husband was supposed to have disappeared under mysterious circumstances after partaking of some of her lobster salad, and this results in an embarrassing situation for the bridegroom. The unravelling of the resulting situation in the three acts of the play afforded nearly two hours continuous mirth for the audience, and the general opinion expressed was very favorable, and very complimentary to the cast which was all local talent under the direction of Mr. Van Ackeren. Those taking part included R. Burns, as the Professor; Mrs. Hickey as the mother-in-law; Miss H. McRobb as Zole, her daughter; Miss K. Clayton as Miss Wilson, a reporter of the Creston Review; Roy Browell, as Jupiter, the negro servant; T. Mawson, as Dr. Graham; Miss L. Cook as June Graham; and Miles Hurl as Billy Blake. Arrangements have been made to present this programme at Creston, at the Grand Theatre, Monday night, 19th, at a popular admission of 50 cents.

### Wynndel

C. Ogilvie is a Nelson visitor for medical advice.

Miss Leah Witteman was a business visitor at Creston during the weekend.

The school children were entertained on Friday evening by the teachers at a party in the old schoolhouse. Games and music were the order of the evening and refreshments were also served.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Andestad who have been at Canyon have returned home. Owing to road conditions, work has closed down at the mill. P. Andestad also returnen.

Mrs. T. E. Slingsby returned from Nelson last week, where she represented Wynndel at the meeting of the presbytery of the United Church, while in Nelson she was the guest of Mrs. Guy Browell.

The Co-Operative Fruit Growers accepted delivery of a car load of straw for mulching on Friday night. Even with the roads being in such a bad condition the ranchers managed to haul the straw home.

A Fancy Dress dance will be held on March 17th, in the old schoolhouse. Admission $1 per couple. Ladies 50 cents, gents 75 cents. Prizes for the best dressed lady and gent, and lady and gents' comics. Three piece orchestra. Dancing at 8.30 p.m.

### Sirdar

Mr. S. Pascuzzo and Miss Lucy Pascuzzo are visiting in Nelson for a few days.

Mr. B. F. Whiteside who has been visiting at his home here, returned to Cranbrook Friday.

Mr. Wm. Neil, yard engineer, who is on the sick list, is being releived by engineer Killens of Cranbrook.

A side track has been put in at Hickey's camp at Washout Creek and shipping of logs started on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Payne of Creston were Sirdar visitors Tuesday.

Mr. O'Neil of Creston was a Sirdar visitor Sunday.

Mr. Harrison of Nelson was a business visitor here Monday.

Miss Lily Wilson a Creston visitor on Monday.

Fred Payne was visiting his parents in Creston on Saturday.

Mrs. Martin was a visitor in Creston with her sister, Mrs. Hopwood, a few days last week.

Mr. Mitchell of Camp Lister was a business visitor in Sirdar over the weekend.

Mrs. Cam and Mrs. McCabe were Creston callers on Tuesday.

Jock McDiarmid and Ernie McCabe were business callers in Creston Friday.

Mesdames North, Dennes and Dibley were in Creston Friday.

Joe. Lombardo of Revelstoke is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Lombardo for a few days.

Mr. Rogers was a business caller in Creston on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Brawn were in Creston Monday, also Mrs. Whiteside.

Mrs. Cam and Mrs. McCabe were hostesses at a tea in the school house on Saturday, proceeds of which will go to the Community Hall fund.

### Given Life Membership

Appropriate recognition of services cheerfully rendered in connection with the work of the Women's Missionary Society of St. Stephen's Presbyterian Church, was given at the last meeting of that organization when a life membership and pin was presented Mrs. S. A. Spears, with which went the following address:

"As we, the Creston W.M.S. Auxiliary, are gathered together this afternoon, we take this opportunity of expressing to you the very deep gratitude of ourselves, and also that of the mothers of the girls of the Mission Band, of which you were leader for two years or more, during which time you worked so faithfully and untiringly to help the girls look to the nobler side of life, and also to use their talents to spread the gospel to all the world. As a token of our appreciation we jointly ask you to accept from us this Life Membership Certificate and Pin. Also our best wishes for the future, wherever you may be. Signed on behalf of the W.M.S. Auxiliary and Mothers.

RUTH HOPWOOD
ANNIE SHERWOOD.

Someone is leaving out poison at the north end of Fernie and already ten dogs have died from eating

Cranbrook's Women's Institute cleaned up $72 at a Sunday afternoon sacred concert in a local theatre last month.

### Canyon City

W. Ridd has just returned from Breton, Alberta, where he has been employed since late last fall, and will be spending at least a month at the ranch here.

Geo. Hewitt left a few days ago for Calgary, Alberta, where he has secured a job at carpenter work, and expects to remain for some time.

Jim Johnston's mill is shut down again, and will not resume sawing till the roads are again in shape for the tie haul.

Mrs. McRobb is at Kimberley this week on a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Houle.

Mr. and Mrs. McLaughlin and daughter, Norma, who have spent the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Roy Browell, left a few days ago on their return to Watrous, Sask.

Harold Russell of Glasgow, Scotland, arrived at Canyon a few days ago, and is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Davie.

### Lister

There was unusual activity in Lister farms this week. Two sales were closed by Supt. John Bird. J. E. Gordon of Rosedale, Alberta, has purchased the former Ernest Langston 20 acres on the Canyon-Porthill road, and takes immediate possession. The former Atkins-Niblow 20 acres has been taken by John Hewitson, also of Rosedale, who is intending to go into poultry. Both gentlemen were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Baker at the weekend.

Mrs. Ed. Smith is the first to report an incubator hatch of 1928 chicks. The young birds arrived on March 9th, and were a 69 per cent. hatch.

John Finlay, who has been working at the Aspen mine, Salmo, the past few months, arrived home at the end of the week.

John Bowman of Kimberley, formerly of the Imperial Bank staff, Creston, arrived on Wednesday on a visit, and is a guest of Col. and Mrs. Lister.

Mrs. Pat. Holland of Kimberley, who has been on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Yerbury, for a couple of weeks, returned home on Saturday.

The Community Society are having court whist drive on Saturday night, 17th, at the schoolhouse, to which an admission of 25 cents will be charged.

Lister Trading & Supply Company had calls from a trio of travellers this week. They were Mr. McNulty of the Mercury Hosiery Company; Mr. Nordquist of the Goodyear Rubber Company, and Mr. Jones of the Restmoor Furniture Company.

### Kitchener

Mrs. Molander and daughter, Beatrice, were Cranbrook visitors, where the latter is a hospital patient, awaiting an operation for appendicitis.

Cyrille Senesael was a business visitor at Nelson last week.

Mr. Devlin, a son of Postmaster N. K. Devlin, is a visitor with his father this month.

Mrs. B. Johnson, Miss Laura Andeen and Mrs. G. A. Hunt were weekend visitors at Creston.

Messrs. Woodman and McKowan of Cranbrook were business visitors here the past week on Sash & Door Company business.

Miss Hazel Hobden was a weekend visitor at Cranbrook, a guest of her sister, Mrs. Sam Whittaker.

K. Joyce of the C. O. Rodeo mill staff, Creston, spent the weekend with Kitchener friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Knowland were at Creston for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller, who have been residing at the Sash & Door the past winter, have left.

## Local and Personal

Announcement was made at Victoria at the end of the week that $57,000 had been appropriated for road and bridge maintenance in the Creston electoral district this year. This is an increase of about $7000 over last season.

Tonight's social attraction is the St. Patrick's masquerade ball in the Parish Hall under Rod and Gun Club direction, for which the music will be supplied by Mrs. Lister's four-piece orchestra. The admission is 75 cents, which includes supper.

On Thursday afternoon the L.O.B.A. held another one of their successful afternoons of Court Whist at their Lodge rooms, six tables being in attendance at which the high score was carried away by Mrs. Hopwood and the recipient of the consolation was Mrs. Hare.

A real literary treat is assured for next Friday night, March 23rd, in Trinity Church, when western Canada's foremost authoress and lecturer Mrs. Nellie McClung, will deliver her lecture on "The Seven Ages," under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid of Trinity United Church.

Another comedy dramatic treat is offered on Monday night at the Grand Theatre, when the Canyon dramatic club will present 'A Poor Married Man." This breezy laugh getter was put on at Canyon on Monday night and is highly praised by all who were present. The admission is 50 cents, and the curtain is at 8. Between acts there will be musical numbers.

Creston and District Women's Institute are offering prizes for the best bird houses made by pupils of Creston public school. There will be four classes: 1. Girls and boys under 8 years. 2. Girls and boys, 8 and under 10. 3. Girls and boys, over 10 and under 12. 4. Girls and boys over 12. Two prizes in each class. Bird houses will be judged at Jas. Cook's residence Friday, March 23.

## Institute Giving Birdhouse Prizes

Thirty-two members were out for the March meeting of Creston and District Women's Institute on Friday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. R. Stevens, in charge of proceedings, and the feature of the session provided by the local assistant provincial horticulturist, C. B. Twigg, who have a practical talk on soils, plants and flowers, and at the close of his address was briskly questioned as to plant pests and fertilizers more particularly.

For the committee on schools, Mrs. Hendy reported a visit to the local public school, and recommended the replenishing of some of the first aid kits, as well as making an effort to secure some extra volumes for the library in a couple of the rooms. The school would also appreciate the presentation of an attendance sheild for annual competition amongst the five divisions.

A number of suggestions were received as to how the Institute can the better serve the community. These will be submitted for consideration at the April meeting. The members also went on record as favoring a bulb show, the date of which will be set by the executive.

$10 was voted to provide prizes for a competition open to public school children in building bird's houses. The visiting committee for the next quarter will be Mrs. C. H. Hare, while Mrs. Beninger, Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. Hayes were named a committee to handle an afternoon bridge to be given by the Institute at the home of Mrs. Maxwell, to which a charge of 25 cents will be made.

There was the usual social half hour at the close, for which the hostesses were Mrs. C. W. Allan, Mrs. G. J. Bayle, Mrs. Jas. Cherrington and Mrs. Frank Putnam, and at which the freewill offering was $3.70.

The officials state that East Kootenay still has 7,300,000,000 feet board measure of standing timber.

Penticton public library has a membership of 275, and is asking the town council for a grant of $400.

Penticton growers are rejoicing in that this season their fancy Delicious brought them $1.45, as compared with 93 cents the year previous.

The Bonners Ferry Herald hears that Washington has voted $160,000 to help finance flood control of the Kootenay Valley on the Idaho side.

Knights of Pythias

Reorganization Meeting

A meeting for the purpose of reorganizing Wild Rose Lodge of Knights of Pythias will be held in FRENCH'S HALL, Creston,

Thurs., Mar. 22

EIGHT p.m.

All past members kindly attend. All others interested are welcome.

The meeting will be addressed by E. A. HILL, of Cranbrook.

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The habit indulged in by some Canadians, both in public and private life, of comparing Canada with its sixty years of history as a confederated unit with the United States with its 150 years of union, and Canada with its ten millions of people with the more than one hundred and ten millions in the United States, is just as absurd as it would be for a merchant established one year in business and with five employees to complain that his business turn-over was not equal to that of another merchant with a business of many years' standing and a staff of employees ten times as large. Yet many people persist in comparing Canada of today with the United State of today, instead of comparing Canada with the United States when that country was of the same age or had approximately the same population.

Comparing Canada with the present United States gives the latter the advantage, but the advantage is all with Canada when it is compared with the United States at the same age or with an equal population. Even making full and ample allowance for changed conditions resulting from science and inventions, discoveries and advancements of all kinds, the contrast is decidedly and greatly in Canada's favor.

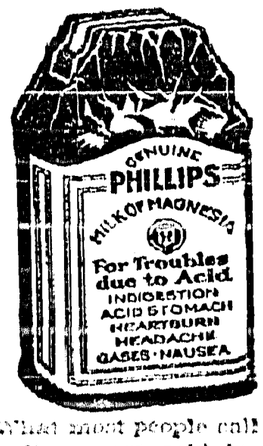
For example, it was not until the United States had a population of seventy-five millions of people that its trade reached the figure which Canada now enjoys with ten millions of population. When the United States had a population only equal to that of Canada today, it did not cut much of a world figure; it was not a leader in any department of world production or commerce; rather it was engaged in the pioneer task of its own domestic development, and it would have been just as reasonable to decry the United States and its future then because it did not measure up to the older countries of Europe, as it is now to decry Canada and its future because it has not already attained to the stature of the United States.

Young in years and small in population, Canada is today a real factor in world affairs. It has outstripped the United States and all other countries in the manufacture of paper, it has become the world's greatest exporter of wheat, it is the chief source of the world's supply of nickel and asbestos, year by year it is overtaking the United States in the production of gold and is not now far behind. For some years past employment has been as general as in the United States, and in the last two years has been even better. Canada today finances itself to an extent the United States was not able to do until it was many times our size.

Nowhere else in the world are there two nations living side by side, speaking the same language, with the same monetary system, and having similar customs and ideals. Yet there are people who profess surprise that there is a constant exchange of population across our international boundary line, and that the larger and more powerful magnet of the United States should attract the greater number. It would be against all reason and nature if it were not so. Yet we make bold to predict that the day is not far distant when Canada will prove the more powerful magnet of the two, and population will flow from the United States into Canada in a greater and more steady stream than has ever flowed southward.

Paradoxically, many of the very people who deplore any exodus of Canadians to the United States, at the same time object to United States people and capital coming to Canada because of a fear that Canada will thus become Americanized. Others object to Canadian capital being invested in the United States or other countries, claiming it should be kept at home for investment and development purposes.

In all this is to be seen an attitude of doubt, of fear, a spirit of "little Canadianism," expressive of an inability to stand on one's own feet. It is an attitude which, were it at all general, would inevitably drive the self-reliant, forward-looking youth of Canada out of the country. Such people would do well to throw away their blue spectacles, and realize that Canada is on the map of the progressive nations of the world to stay. They should become inculcated with the considered opinion of the Prince of Wales who recently declared: "Canada is on the threshold of one of the most astonishing eras of expansion and development ever seen. Exactly how long that will take none of us know, but certainly it will occur in the lifetime of many of us."

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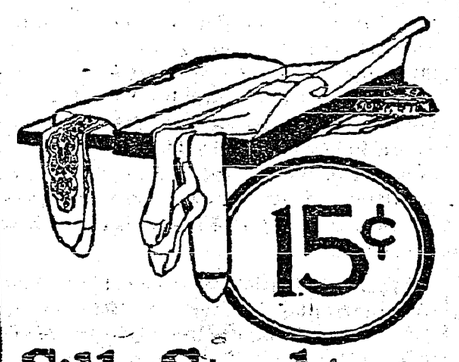
## Northern Saskatchewan Development

**Provincial Government Is Planning To Aid Mineral Prospectors**

The new department of industries of the Saskatchewan Government is planning to aid mineral prospectors in the northern sections of the province. In conjunction with the Dominion Government, aerial surveys will be continued, and it is hoped that the whole north-eastern mineral area will have been surveyed and reduced to geographical maps by the end of next year. The department is getting itself in the position whereby it can be of every assistance to the prospector and investor. At the present time there is very little accurate information of Saskatchewan northern mineral areas. Recognizing that great development can be looked for both in these areas and the western mining areas of Northern Manitoba, the provincial department is speeding up aerial mapping of the territory as well as the plans for its own provincial activities in the coming season. The minister states it is the intention of his department to place its facilities at the disposal of the prospector and the investor. "The miner will be given every possible assistance," said Mr. Spence, "at no cost to himself to develop his proposition. We will assist him through our experts at the university and do everything possible to place him in the position of developing any proposition which appears to have evidence of successful working out. To the capitalist the department will be prepared to offer to assist in developing water powers and coal fields and to co-operate in every way."

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## Growth Of Wheat Pool

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**Canadian Nationality**

To the unanimous national protest against the objectionable practice of census statisticians in refusing to recognize such a thing as a "Canadian" nationality, the government must pay heed. It is absurd to style a child whose grandfather was an Englishman married to a Scots woman; whose father was born in Canada and married a Swedish woman, as English. The lad is a Canadian, second only in standing to the North American Indian.—Western Producer.

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## Excursion To Sweden

**Many Are Planning To Revisit Native Lands On the Baltic Sea**

Rev. Oscar Gunnerfelt, of Winnipeg, is organizing a special midsummer excursion to Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Finland, which is to leave Winnipeg about May 14, by Canadian National Railways, and will sail from New York May 21, on the S.S. Drottingholm. Already quite a number of applications have been received for reservations, and it is expected that a large party from Western Canada and Minnesota and North Dakota will take advantage of this opportunity of revisiting their native lands on the Baltic sea.

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## Wins Many Prizes

**Widely Known Horseman From Brampton Will Reside In Saskatchewan**

W. J. McCallum, the widely known horseman of Brampton, Ontario, and Regina, Saskatchewan, has completed arrangements whereby he will permanently reside in Regina and have his stables there as a distributing point. Mr. McCallum entered over 100 horses at the Royal Show, Toronto, last fall, filling three stables with his own importations. No exhibitor ever won so many championships and prizes as he won at that show.

It is much easier to be critical than to be correct.

## Curious New Lifeboat

**Invention Of Ship's Carpenter Said To Be Unsinkable**

A ship's carpenter, after 60 years at his trade, has invented a new lifeboat of a very curious kind.

It is practically two broad, shallow boats fixed bottom to bottom, so that as one half is capsized the other half is righted. It is said, however, to be practically impossible to capsize it, still more to sink it. In the double bottom are valves which will let the water out but will not let it in whichever way up the boat is; and there are tanks for fresh water and food which can be reached whichever side of the boat may be uppermost.

In a moment of weakness the Hamilton Herald advocates 'Amn't I?" as a substitute for "Am I not?" That paper ought to have its head x-Amn't.

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# SITUATION IN THE NEAR EAST LOOKS OMINOUS

London.—The stern note which Great Britain presented to Egypt, stating in effect that the British will not grant full independence to that country at present has been coupled with the "holy war" in Arabia to create a situation which may affect British relations throughout the Near East to the borders of India.

Despatches from Egypt assert that the political situation there is fraught with confusion, uncertainty, and excitement. Egypt is without a cabinet, but the Nationalist leader, Nahas Pasha, after an hour's audience with King Fuad, declared that constitutional governments would be formed as long as the constitution exists.

The British note, which apparently dropped like a bombshell in Cairo political circles after the breakdown of negotiations for an Anglo-Egyptian Alliance, makes it clear to the Nile country that Great Britain will not tolerate any legislation that is likely to hinder British power in protecting foreign life and property in Egypt. The note reveals that the British Government has for some time feared that such legislation would be adopted by the Egyptian parliament. But so long as there was prospect of a treaty of alliance, Britain refrained from expressing these fears.

Well informed British observers believe that the home government now has said her final word and that the burden of the next move in the imbroglio rests in Egypt. Shorn of diplomatic verbiage, the position is about as follows:.

Egypt declines to sign any treaty of alliance which does not accord absolute independence to her. She rejects the right of Great Britain to maintain troops in Egypt or to have any control over the Egyptian police.

Britain, on the other hand, firmly intends to keep her troops there, believing the soldiers are necessary for protection of the Suez Canal. She also insists on maintaining a measure of control over the Egyptian police and observers explain that this is to prevent any situation arising which might result in some other power taking a hand in Egyptian affairs.

Whether Egypt signs such a treaty or not, Great Britain will stick to these demands, in the opinion of British observers.

## Pictures Cannot Be Shown

**Photos Of Lieut.-Col. Amery's Tour Will Not Be Exhibited**

London.—In connection with the recent Empire tour of Lieut.-Col. L. C. M. S. Amery, secretary of state for Dominions Affairs, photographs of various places and interesting incidents were taken by Captain William Brass, M.P., former private parliamentary secretary to the Minister of Health and the Chancellor of the Exchequer, who accompanied Col. Amery on the tour. It was proposed to exhibit the pictures within the precincts of the House of Commons. Now, however, permission for the exhibition has been refused by the Lord Chamberlain, the Earl of Cromer, with whom the decision on the matter rests.

**Sterilize Feeble Minded**

Edmonton.—Following one of the stormiest passages that any measure before the Alberta House has been accorded in recent years, the Sexual Sterilization Bill was given third reading and will be put into effect as soon as it has been assented to by the lieutenant-governor. By this action of the legislature, Alberta becomes the first province in the Dominion of Canada to undertake sterilization of the feeble-minded.

**Gift For Medical Research**

Stockholm.—At the request of the monarch himself, Sweden's birthday gift to King Gustav V. will be devoted to work for suppression of cancer. A national subscription for the fund in honor of the king's 70th birthday, June 16, has been started, and the king has accepted in advance, on the promise that the money be used for medical research.



## Saskatchewan House Prorogues

**Thirty Bills Were Put Through In Final Session**

Regina.—With traditional dignity and solemnity His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Newlands prorogued the third session of the sixth Saskatchewan Legislative Assembly. Since January 24, thirty three sittings were held during the session, including 11 night sittings, four morning sittings and a Saturday sitting.

The closing ceremony came after a long busy day during which more than 30 bills were put through the closing stages and passed. One of the last items of business transacted by the House was the passing of supplementary estimates totalling $1,118,518 to cover expenditures already incurred. These were put through with little interruption, except a question now and again as to how the money was spent. An item of $11,500 was required for the Power Commission's work. The main items included $55,208 for the Treasury including a grant of $10,000 to the Canadian National Institute for the Blind, and $25,198 for Freight Rates Inquiry; $500,000 for the Farm Loans Board; $193,000 for the Educational Department; $52,220 for the public health department.

Votes totalling $24,300 were included in additional estimates to bring the indemnities for members of the Legislature up to $2,000 a year from $1,800; to provide $3,000 for leaders of the Opposition and to give the Premier an increase of salary from $6,000 to $7,200 a year. These increases were discussed a day or two ago when it was pointed out that Saskatchewan members were the lowest paid in any legislature west of the Maritime Provinces, and Howard McConnell, the member for Saskatoon, declared Premier Gardiner, while the hardest worked man in the province, was poorly paid when there was no reason for the province to be too niggardly.

## New Discovery At Flin Flon

**Another Ore Body Located Said To Be Important**

Toronto.—Reports from Flin Flon Mines are that a new ore body has been located south of the main ore body. It is stated that the new find is one of considerable importance.

Development work is being pushed forward energetically. On the 400-foot level a crosscut 240 feet in width has been drifted on for a length of approximately 300 feet. The average value obtained has been 2 per cent. copper and some zinc, but some sections are of much higher grade, one of 28 feet width running between 5 and 6 per cent. copper.

The work of preparing a new townsite is well under way, and sites have been selected for the concentrator and smelter. The present camp buildings will be removed to make room for the new plant.

## Banking System Discussed

**Government Inspector Says Nothing Wrong With Present System**

Ottawa.—C. E. S. Tompkins, government inspector general of banks, appeared before the House of Commons committee on banking and commerce and submitted to questions by the members. The banking system, as it existed, met the needs of the country, he told the committee. Of course, from time to time changes were necessary but he could not see anything radically wrong with the system.

The views of the Canadian Council of Agriculture with respect to banks and banking were presented by A. E. Darby, director of economic research for the council.

**Pioneer Missionary Dead**

Winnipeg.—Rev. Dr. John McLean, historian and pioneer missionary of Western Canada, died here following an attack of influenza. Dr. MacLean, who was in his 77th year, since coming to Canada more than 50 years ago had been prominently connected with the activities of the Methodist Church in the Dominion.

The domestic market absorbs annually $837,000,000 worth of Canadian agricultural products as against $600,000,000 worth exported. The value of the per capita consumption of farm products in Canada amounts to $87.50.

## Daring Aviators Return To Safety

Flying Officer A. Lewis (1), and Flight Sergeant N. S. Terry (2), crew of the Fokker plane Saskatchewan, who were missing since February 17 until March 1st. Their plane being wrecked, they managed to travel overland sixty miles to Port Burwell, after suffering incredible hardships.

## Government Bill Criticized

**One Day's Rest In Seven Bill Does Not Please Manitoba Laborites**

Winnipeg.—Though it was given second reading the Bracken Government's bill for one day's rest in seven for certain employees was severely criticized by the Labor and Conservative leaders in the legislature.

Under the bill, declared John Queen, Labor leader, the bill only applied to employees already getting one day's rest in seven. Mr. Green described the bill as "a bluff," the work of an unsympathetic administration.

"The bill," said Mr. Queen, "applied to piano and organ factories, though there were none in the province. Why not, on the same principle, apply it to shipbuilding, the building of dreadnaughts and submarines? Let us have a real act, when we are at it."

**Fight Destructive Insects**

Ottawa. — The fight against the destructive insects which prey upon Canadian crops was described by Arthur Gibson, Dominion entmologist, to the convention of the Canadian Horticultural Council here. The use of the aeroplane for dusting in an endeavor to rid the crops and soil of certain insects was experimented in last year and proved quite promising.

## Escape Death When Airplane Crashes

**Eight Passengers On London To Paris Flight Were Uninjured**

London.—Eight passengers of an aeroplane flying from Paris to London had a remarkable escape when the machine crashed in a field near the Lympne airdrome in Kent. Baroness Van Till Canch Kavanagh, of the Hague, was cut in the face by glass, but the other passengers were uninjured.

Trouble was experienced when the plane reached the French coast, and its speed was reduced. Near the airdrome the left wing suddenly dipped, and the plane spiralled rapidly toward the earth. It crashed and bounced several times after the wing struck the ground. The passengers were jolted all over the place and the baggage tumbled about.

Unconcerned, the pilot, Roger Maury, climbed out of the cockpit, opened the passengers' door, and all scrambled to safety, fearing the machine might catch fire as both engines were wrecked.

Later Pilot Maury explained that a valve spring in one of the engines had apparently broken.

## Infant Princess Dies

**Six Months' Old Daughter Of Emperor Of Japan Succumbs**

Tokio, Japan.—The six months old daughter of Emperor Hirohito of Japan, is dead. "Complications following pneumonia," was assigned as the cause of the death of the Imperial baby, who had been critically ill for several days.

The child was originally attacked by influenza, from which the emperor himself also suffered, together with thousands of Japanese people. It was announced that the emperor was convalescent.

At the bedside of little Princess Hisa were the Empress and other members of the royal family. There will be no official mourning as the child was under seven years of age, and no public mourning. Interment will be under Shinto rites at Asakawa, near Tokio, where the late Emperor Taisho is buried.

## Mine Chief Admits Laxity

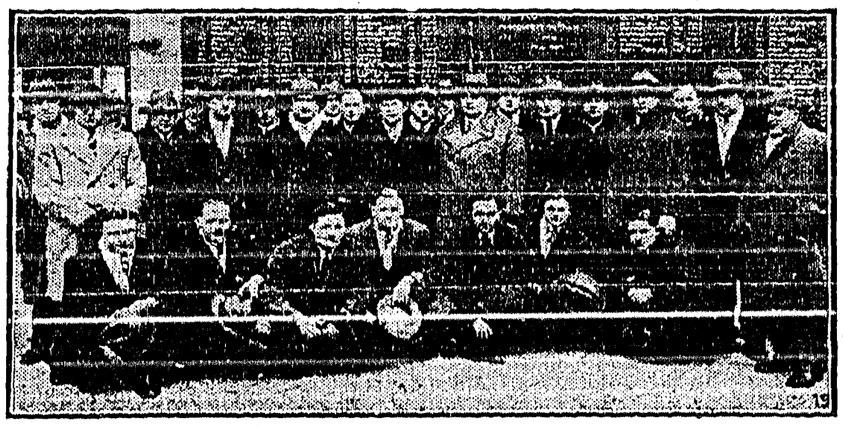
**Hollinger Disaster Due To Order Not Being Enforced**

Timmins, Ont.—Charles Williams, Hollingers' general superintendent, admitted to the Royal Commission inquiring into the Hollinger disaster, that there was a "very bad slip up" from himself down to the transportation men, when his orders about disposal of powder house rubbish had been disregarded.

Instead of putting the rubbish in the waste pass or else mixed with rocks in the stopes, it had been put in the stopes without any rocks, and as a result had started the fire which snuffed out the lives of 39 miners.

Williams could not say who was responsible. Williams said he knew of no one who could give further information when it was suggested the commission adjourn so that it might conduct an inquiry there.

## Australian Rugby Team Here



Nothing but praise for the sportsmanship of Old Country people was expressed by the Waratahs, New South Wales, Australia Rugby Team, when they arrived in Canada recently on the Canadian Pacific Steamship Melita. During their nine months' tour of Great Britain and France, where they played 33 games with record crowds in attendance, sometimes exceeding fifty thousand, they much appreciated the sportsmanlike behavior of spectators.

E. Gordon Shaw, manager of the team, said: "The British crowds were about the most fair-minded and unprejudiced I have ever seen. If a referee ever gave a decision that yas perhaps a shade on the doubtful side in our favor, there were never any demonstrations of discontent. I have nothing but unstinted admiration for the whole-hearted sportsmanship of our treatment on the other side."

# REPORT TELLS OF SEARCH MADE FOR AVIATORS

Ottawa. — Beacon's burning on mountain tops and rockets were used to spread the news of the seeming tragedy all over the North land, and officers of the Royal Canadian Air Force did all that was humanly possible to locate Flying Officer Lewis, Flight Sergeant Terry and the Eskimo "Bobby" when they were missing, according to the latest radio reports to reach Ottawa from the Hudson's Straits air base at Port Burwell, Ungava.

In a lengthy report of steps taken to find the trio, Squadron-Leader T. A. Lawrence, of Ottawa, who has charge of the R.C.A.F. detachments in the north, detailed areas covered by aeroplane and dog team. Every section of Ungava and Ungava Bay within an area of 200 miles were searched. Dog teams with Eskimos were sent out to establish caches of fuel and supplies, and to warn Hudson's Bay posts and Eskimo villages that the airmen were missing.

Bonfires were kept going from a high point behind the Port Burwell base at night. Flares and distress signals were fired off until this had to be suspended through shortage of fuel and flares.

Squadron Leader Lawrence tells of the part played by Flight-Lieutenants Brian Carr-Harris, Ottawa, and A. A. Leich, Winnipeg, in the search, and adds, "great credit is due to members of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, Mr. C. Ford, manager of the Hudson's Bay Company's post at Port Burwell, Capt. W. Bennett and crew of the C.G.M.M. steamship Canadian Raider and the natives of the whole district for their untiring assistance in search of missing personnel. Personnel have now entirely recovered from their harrowing experience."

In official circles here it is believed the 'plane which the three men were forced to abandon will be washed up on the shores of Labrador or Newfoundland in due course, or the wreckage picked up at sea. The ice on which it was deserted was being borne southward by the Labrador current, and it would thus probably remain visible on the surface of the ocean for several months at least.

## Woman Liberal Elected In Britain

**Mrs. Walter Runciman Successful Candidate In St. Ives**

Penzance, Eng.—The first woman Liberal in the present British Parliament and the first husband and wife combination in the House of Commons have resulted from the recent by-election in Saint Ives.

Mrs. Walter Runciman, wife of the Liberal member for Swansea West, not only became the first woman Liberal in the present House, but succeeded in capturing the St. Ives constituency from the Conservatives.

The district formerly was a Liberal stronghold, but returned a Conservative at the last general election in 1924.

Mr. Runciman, who is a prominent figure in the Liberal party, actively supported his wife's candidacy.

## Boy Inherits Millions

**Young Son Of New York Millionaire Receives Legacy**

New York.—A five-year-old boy today had joined the ranks of American millionaires. John Mortimer Coward, 3rd, of Glenridge, N.J., is to receive at least two-thirds of the more than $4,000,000 estate of his father, J. Mortimer Coward, late head of the Coward Shoe Stores, who died in Havana recently.

Part of the fortune which the five-year-old boy inherits is $1,000,000 from an insurance company policy his father took out last July. Mr. Coward was 28 years old.

**Want Holiday November 11**

Ottawa.—"In view of the request of the Canadian Legion, is it the intention of the Government to declare November 11 (Armistice Day), a National Holiday?" asked H. J. Barber, Conservative, Fraser Valley, in the House of Commons. He was informed that the matter is still under consideration.

# THE CRESTON REVIEW

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C. F. HAYES, Editor and Owner.

CRESTON, B.C., FRIDAY, MAR. 16


## *Get on the List*

In political circles the question most frequently asked these days is, will there be a provincial election in 1928? Definite information in this regard is not to be expected till about a month before polling date is actually fixed.

However, the usual four-year term in office of the Liberal government comes to an end in June, and with the utmost confidence expressed on every hand of the administration being returned it would look like good business to be prepared for the appeal in June or early fall.

Every live citizen has a personal interest in this matter, at least to the extent of seeing to it that his name is on the provincial voters list for the polling place in which he resides.

Any British subject over 21 years of age, who has been in British Columbia six months, and in the Creston riding one month, is entitled to have his or her name placed on the list.

In the past there has been some annoyance due to electors, who have voted at a Dominion election, taking it for granted that their names would be on the voters list, only to find on election day their name h d not been recorded on the provincial list of voters. In this connection the situation is a little more aggrevated due the fact that two Dominion contests have been held since the B.C. provincial election in 1924

The 1928 voters list closes early in April and the Review urges everyone to make perfectly sure their names are registered. Where anyone has moved from another riding into the Creston electoral district since June 1924, a transfer of vote will be required and the necessary transfer forms can be had at the office of the registrar of voters—which happens to be in the Review building—or from any live commissioner for registering voters, of which there are many in the district.

## *Timber Exports*

With an election in the offing, and some liklihood of Conservative workers busy in an effort to stir up feeling against Liberal candidates due the alleged tremendous export of logs, coupled with which is the warning that "British Columbians are forced to follow the raw logs in order to secure employment," it might be well to glance at an official return brought down last session covering the outgo of logs in 1926.

This return shows that for that year the total timber cut in British Columbia was some 3,000,000,000 feet, and 7 per cent. of this left the province in the shape of raw logs. 55,000,000 feet went to the United States, and 170,000,000 feet went to Japan, but of this total only 50,000,000 feet of the exported material were cut from licensed areas over which the government has any control.

Now that the figures and destination of the export logs has been made public it will be interesting to hear how many British Columbians followed the 170,000,000 feet of logs to Japan to secure employment, and just about how many followed the 50,000,000 feet that went to the United States.


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## LAND ACT

### *Notice of Intention to Apply to Purchase Land*

In West Kootenay Land Recording District of Province of British Columbia, and situate in Arrow Creek Valley on east slope of Goat Mountain.

TAKE NOTICE that Effie Frank Arrowsmith, of Creston, B. C., occupation, spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted adjoining South East corner of Sublot 130 of Lots 4595 and 4592; thence 20 chains West; thence 20 chains South; thence 20 chains East; thence 20 chains North, and containing 40 acres, more or less.

EFFIE FRANK ARROWSMITH.

Dated February 4, 1928.

### In the matter of the Mineral Act, R.S.B.C. 1924,, and in the matter of Sections 28 and 46, R.S.B.C. 1924, Chapter 167.

*To A. H. GIBBS, Esq. (Free Miner).*

WHEREAS you are a co-owner of the mineral claims known and described as "Iolanthe," Iolanthe No.1," "Iolanthe No.2," "Iolanthe No.3," "Iolanthe No.4," "Iolanthe No.5," "Country Girl," "Country Girl No.1," "Country Girl No.2," "Country Girl No.3," "Victoria," being and situated on the East side of the Kootenay Lake, near Ginol Landing, in the Nelson Mining Division, Province of British Columbia;

AND WHEREAS you have neglected and refused to contribute your proportion of the expenditure as required by Section 48 of the "Mineral Act" being Chapter 167, R.S.B.C. 1924;

TAKE NOTICE that application will be made after ninety days and within one hundred and twenty (120) days from the date of the first publication of this notice to have the said, above-mentioned mineral claims recorded in the names of the remaining co-owners.

Date of first publication, March 2nd, 1928.

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## 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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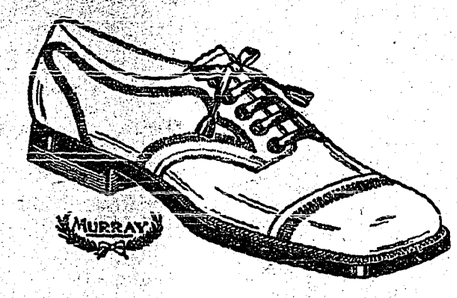


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Reports covering each of the Six Mineral Survey Districts are published separately, and are available on application.

## Creston School Report, February

Division 1—F. McLellan, Principal.

Proficiency, Grade 8—Clementine Marshall, Billy Bayle, Fay Pendry. Grade 7—Dorothy Marshall, Margaret Blinco, Mary Malone.

Perfect attendance—Frederick Alderson, Billy Bayle, Margaret Blinco, Earl Christie, Herbert Couling, Minnie Downes, Manuel Irving, Jean Henderson, Joan Hilton, Hazel Hopwood, Le Roy Johnson, Marjorie Learmonth, Clementine Marshall, Madeleine Moore, Mary Maione, Raymond Martin, Dorothea MacDonald, Frank Morrow, Roland Miller, Beryl Nichol Dora Nickel, Fay Pendry, Betty Speers, Elsa Willis, Jack Young, Sally Johnson, Harold Beninger.

Division 2—Miss Rendall, teacher.

Highest standing, Grade 5—Herbert Dodd, Iris Taylor, Frances Lewis. Grade 5—George Collis, Reetha Phillips, Harry Johnson.

Regularity and Punctuality—Hubert Beninger, Jay Bliss, Herbert Dodd, James Downes, Robert Dickson, Helen Hopwood, Harry Johnson, Jack Johnston, Frances Lewis, Cameron McDonald, Vera McGonegal, Harold McLaren, Frances Moore, Molly Moore, Bert Morrow, George Murrell, Arthur Nichols, Kate Payne, Sarah Quinn, Jane Ross, Allan Speers, Iris Taylor, Clifford York, Margaret Miller, Kathleen Greer, Joyce Burkhart.

Division 3—Miss Wade, teacher.

Grade 4a, Proficiency—Marion Quinn, Eleanor Spratt, Billy Ferguson. General Improvement—Billy Ferguson. Writing Improvement—Emma Hills. Grade 5b, Proficiency—Charlie Taylor, George Dodd, Aileen Klingensmith. General Improvement—George Dodd. Writing Improvement—Ruth Hare.

Perfect attendance—Douglas Alderson, Doris Bayle, Lily Brixa, Clarence Embree, Ruth Hare, Margaret Henderson, Stuart Hilton, Emmett Johnson, Aileen Klingensmith, Hughena McCreath, Lloyd McLaren, Norman Nickel, Marion Quinn, Douglas Sniers, Stuart Spiers, Eleanor Spratt, Charlie Taylor, Emma Hills, Yvonne Murrell.

Division 4—Miss Holmes, teacher.

Grade 3 Junior, Proficiency—Helen McCreath. Improvement—William Weir. Grade 2 Senior, Proficiency—Beryl Palmer. Improvement—Irwin Nickel. Writing Improvement—Norman Phillips. Grade 3 Junior, Proficiency—Doris Ferguson. Improvement—Edra Walkey. Writing improvement—Thomas Lewis. Grade 3 Senior, Proficiency—Rachel Morrow. Improvement—Edwin Pendry. Writing Improvement—William Greer.

Perfect attendance—Doris Beninger, William Craig, Maisie Ferguson, Jean Greenwood, Doris Hendy, William Kernaghan, Charles Klingensmith, Helen McCreath, Rachel Morrow, Gerald Phillips, Norman Phillips, Jean Ryckman, Ariel Schade, Jessie Spratt, Richard Trevelyan, Edith Walkey, William Weir, Robert Willis, Iona Hills, William Greer, John Ross.

Division 5—Miss Kerr, teacher.

Proficiency, Grade 2—Doris Walters Grade 1, Class A—Ruby Palmer. Class B—Marguerite Grant. General Improvement—Campbell York. Writing Improvement—Egon Hollm.

Perfect attendance—Elsa Foster, Marguerite Grant, Stanley Hendren, Frank Herdman, Dorothea Greenwood, Dorothy Klingensmith, Fred MacRay, Victor MacKay, Eva Phillips, Mary Ross, Maud Ross, Tom Ross, Jean Spiers, Elmer Walkey, Nivian Walkey, Campbell York, Ernest Hill, Ardary Weir.

## NEWS OF KOOTENAYS

Cranbrook's auto tourist camp had a 1927 cash intake of $1275.

For 1928 the tax rate at Grand Forks is cut from 32 to 30 mills.

Fernie is looking for an early spring. The curling rink closed on March 3rd.

Kaslo board of trade is asking the town council to put in a public weigh scales.

The B.C. Elk's Grand Lodge will meet at Fernie for the 1928 annual meeting.

Cranbrook girls' hockey club netted about $100 at a leap year dance last month.

Trail is calling for bids for the erection of a new city hall which will cost about $35,000.

The News is of the opinion that Vernon consumes almost 100,000 pounds of butter annually.

Cranbrook board of trade closed its year with $103 cash on hand. Its 1927 intake was $1404.

An absolutely free public library is conducted at Moyie and has over 300 books to offer its patrons.

Of $87,170 of irrigation rates due at Vernon on February 15th, $64,200 were paid on due date.

After four years continuous service W. H. Wilson has retired as president of Cranbrook board of trade. W. S. Santo succeeds him.

The old opera house at Grand Forks, which came back to the city due to non payment of taxes, has been converted into a community recreation hall by the council.


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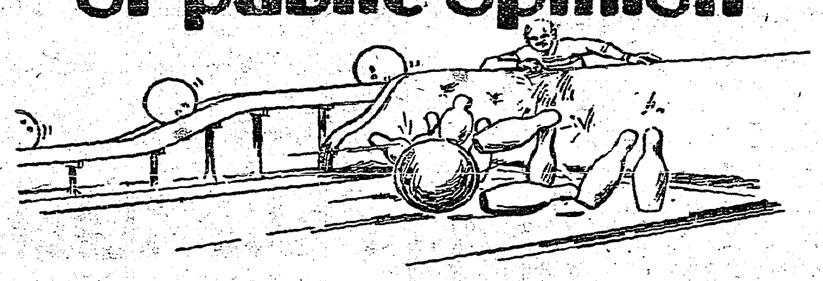

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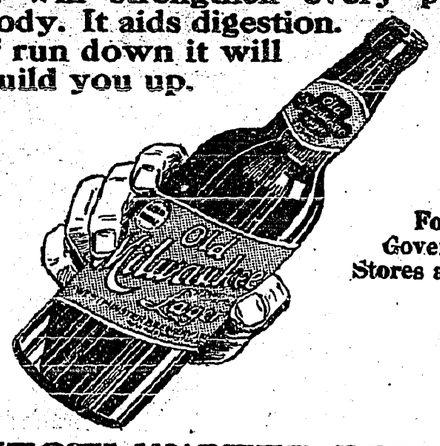

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## WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Canadian farm lands in occupation in 1927 are valued at an average of $38 per acre in a Government crop report just issued.

The Winnipeg Presbytery of the United Church has adopted a resolution in favor of the ordination of women to the ministry.

Jules Cesare Joseph Laperre, a Belgian, accused of being a German spy during the Great War, was found guilty at Paris, and sentenced to life imprisonment in a fortress.

The Washington government appears unfavorable to any proposal for another conference of the great powers on naval disarmament before 1931.

Premier Taschereau brougat a bill down in the Quebec legislative assembly which would grant municipalities the right to prohibit sign-boards advertising alcoholic liquor.

That the Canadian National Railways would, in the near future, purchase the Western Union Telegraph lines in the Maritime provinces, and add them to their own system, was the report current in Montreal.

Hon. T. M. Wilford, former Minister of Justice and leader of the New Zealand Liberal Party, arrived in Vancouver aboard the liner Aorangi, to make a study of Canadian conditions generally.

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### Grain Moving Westward

Exports of grain through the port of Vancouver, B.C., during January totalled 14,183,183 bushels and for the 1927 crop shipping season to the end of the same month 36,459,044, both constituting new periodic records.

Internal parasites in the shape of worms in the stomach and bowels of children sap their vitality and retard physical development. They keep the child in a constant state of unrest and, if not attended to, endanger life. The child can be spared much suffering and the mother much anxiety by using a reliable worm remedy, such as Miller's Worm Powders, which are sure death to worms.

### Native Animals Increase In Parks

The operation of the national parks of Canada as game sanctuaries has demonstrated that the sanctuary idea is the most successful method of bringing back native animals once thought in danger of extinction.

## The Least Excitement Made Her Heart Palpitate and Flutter

Mrs. Ambrose Orser, Elginburg, Ont., writes:—"I suffered for some time with a bad heart which seemed to be controlled by my nerves. The least little excitement would cause it to flutter and palpitate, and at times I would have real bad spells. I suffered in this way for some time when, one day, I saw

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## Rushing Work on H.B. Road

### Good Progress Has Been Made During the Winter Months

Work has been prosecuted all winter on the railway now under construction from the Hudson Bay Railway to the Flin Flon mining area in Northern Manitoba, and railways have been laid for a distance of thirty-five miles. It is stated that the survey of this line will be continued to Cold Lake, a distance of twenty-five miles beyond the Flin Flon Mine, with the intention of extending the road to that point. The line to Flin Flon is to be completed for operation by December 31. Work on the Hudson Bay Railway from Limestone Rapids to Fort Churchill has also been carried on during the winter, and good progress has been made in clearing the right-of-way and getting things in shape for an early start by the graders. Work on the harbor at Churchill has also been going on all winter, so that there will be permanent docking accommodation for ships by the time the railway has been completed.

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LESSON No. 19

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## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 18

### JESUS TEACHES SINCERITY

Golden Text: "Keep thy heart with all diligence; For out of it are the issues of life."—Proverbs 4.23.

Lesson: Mark 7.1-23.

Devotional Reading: Psalm 24.1-6.

### Explanations and Comments

I. The Tradition Of the Elders Violated By the Disciples, verses 1-5.—Certain Pharisees and Scribes had come from Jerusalem for the express purpose, no doubt, of obtaining evidence which they could use against Jesus. They noted that the disciples ate food without first washing their hands, and one day they gathered about Jesus and asked him how it was that his disciples failed to follow the tradition of the elders, for they ate with hands defiled, ceremonially unclean because unwashed.

For the benefit of his Gentile readers, who were not familiar with Jewish customs Mark here in verses three and four gives parenthetically an explanation. Before eating the Jews washed their hands diligently (or, up to the elbow, Revised Version). This was not because the hands were actually unclean, but because they were ceremonially unclean. When they came from the market place, where they would come in contact with people whom they regarded as ceremonially unclean, they bathed before eating. They kept also all the regulations as to the washing of cups and pots and brazen vessels.

The Jews "held the tradition of the elders." Dr. Charles R. Erdman recalls the story of an imprisoned rabbi who was allowed the most meager amount of bread and water for his daily ration, and who used the water for bathing his hands instead of drinking it, saying that he had rather die than transgress the institutions of his ancestors.

"Fanaticism is easily awakened in the defense of Tradition. In the Church of Rome the ecclesiastical regulations, e.g., the Fasts and Feasts, or the celibacy of the clergy and the monastic vows, are enforced with a greater severity than the original requirements of the Gospel. The Roman Church, accepting the principle of Tradition, has made the precepts of men into doctrines to such a degree that the New Testament is rightly regarded as a danger to the laity. A passage like the one before us is subversive of Roman teaching."—R. F. Horton.

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## Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

### WINTER CHOCOPUD

2 cups milk.
6 tablespoons cornstarch.
½ cup sugar.
1½ squares chocolate.
½ teaspoon vanilla.
¼ teaspoon salt.

Mix dry ingredients, make into thin smooth paste with a little milk. Add to heated milk in top of double boiler. Add melted chocolate. Stir to prevent lumps. Cook 20 minutes. Add vanilla and pour into molds rinsed in cold water. Chill, serve with cream or whipped cream.

### PUFF-BALLS

1 egg white.
4 oranges.
½ cup powdered sugar.

Peel small oranges, removing white membrane with outer skin. Beat egg white, slightly, using wire whisk; add sugar, gradually, and continue beating until meringue is stiff and will hold its shape. Thrust a long slender wire skewer through the centre of each orange; frost them completely with the meringue, and suspend them, by the skewers, across a narrow pan, and bake twelve minutes in a slow oven, being careful not to let them brown. Twist skewers gently to remove them. These oranges make a pretty dessert or supper dish.

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### Tar Sand Deposits

The Marland Oil Company have been investigating the possibilities of the tar sand deposits on the Athabaska River in Northern Alberta, and contemplate establishing a plant for the extraction of oil based on a process that has been developed at Denver, Colorado.

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## U.S. Investment Abroad

**World's Debt To the United States Reaches Huge Total**

The world's debt to United States investors, approximately $25,600,000,000, is more than $5,000,000 greater than was owed to Great Britain, when British foreign investments were at their peak, Dr. Max Winkler said in a report prepared for the Foreign Policy Association.

Exclusive of the so-called political obligations held by the United States Government, American investment in foreign securities in the first of the year aggregated about $14,500,000,000. American holdings in Europe, approximately $4,327,000,000, exceeded those in any part of the world. Canadian holdings by Americans are about $3,922,000,000; South American, $246,500,000; Central American, $2,924,600,000; Far Eastern, $276,500,000, and miscellaneous, $63,400,000.


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CHAPTER XX.—(Continued.)

The nausea that came over Helmi made her sway uncertainly, but she caught the back of a chair and managed to say, "Oh! it is all right; Jack left me lots of money; I really do not need it. I just thought I had better take it with me." She was holding her lips very tightly so they would not tremble. She even smiled, winking very quickly to keep the tears back. "I expect to meet Jack in the city," she resumed. "He has forgotten to mention to me that he sent for the money—but it is quite all right. I have plenty. Goodbye, Mr. Hamilton. It looks like snow, does it not?"

Helmi turned away quickly. The timekeepr called her back. "Say, Helmi," he began awkwardly, "don't think I am buttin' in or the like of that, but I just wanted to put you wise. That old bird of a magistrate at Bannerman has been shootin' off his mouth. It seems he claims he knows a lot about you. He says—Oh, well, I don't need to repeat what he says—he is drunk most of the time, and nobody should mind a word he says; but he declares you and Jack ain't legally married at all, and he insinuates that Jack sort o' tipped him off. Oh, I don't know the ins and outs of it, but I just wanted to warn you to hang onto your certificate, and then in case of a frame-up you have the deadwood on them all. You have the certificate, have you not?"

Helmi nodded, her heart was beating in her throat so painfully she was afraid he would see it.

"Well, then, you're all to the good. But I just thought I would wisen you up on what was goin' round. We're all for you, Helmi—you know that!"

Helmi thanked him without knowing what she was saying, and got out of the office some way. The little street of houses seemed to be all eyes; all red-lidded eyes, staring and pointing at her; voices whispering closing in on her as if they would and mocking. The mountains were gladly grind her to powder, and the river—the river was the worst of all as it ran slithering by so green and deep and cold. A man had drowned himself at one of the other mines last week because his wife had taken his money and run away, and now Helmi knew that wasn't the reason at all—it was because the river had taunted him so, and mocked him, and dared him, and driven him to it.

Helmi reached her own house, and, going in, shut and locked the door. She must think! A basin of water stood on the box. She buried her hot face in it to try to stop the tears that were burning in her eyes. The heart-beat in her throat seemed to choke her.

"Oh, Aunt Lili! Aunt Lili!"

But it could not be. Her Jack Doran was a good man. God was good. She sought the Blue Book anxiously;

"Oh! to be a girl and see
Beauty in flower and bird and tree;
To pass through, strong and pure and good,
The gate which leads to womanhood."

She read it all with a heart that grew heavier and heavier. It was not for her at all. She was no longer a girl. She was a woman, with a woman's heartache, old as the world, black as night, and deep as the deepest sea.

And with all the hosts of heaven and all the ministering angels around the throne, there was no eye to pity and no arm to save—not one.

Yes, there was one. A dog whimpered at her door, and instinctively Helmi arose to let it in. A very thin and wistful looking sable collie, with a chewed rope hanging from her collar, entered timidly. It was the dog that Arthur Warner had given away and that had been kept tied up by her new owner, in the hope she would forget her old master.

Today she had made her escape and found her way to Helmi's door, demanding by her eager looks to know where her master was. Helmi tried to explain in both languages, but in vain. Then she offered her food, which she refused, still begging Helmi to tell her the truth.

The collie made no response to Helmi's attempts to comfort her, and having convinced herself that her master was not in this house, she asked only one thing, her freedom. She would take to the open road again. She would be on her way. Helmi, knowing what was in her heart, and the hopelessness of the quest, endeavored to keep her, but she knew she was hating her for holding her back from her only chance. At last, with her heart sore for the dog's trouble, as well as her own, she tied a thick piece of bacon to her collar, knowing she would break the string with her paws when she wanted to, then opened the door and let her go. She ran straight to the station, whimpering excitedly. From there she ran yelping down the track with her nose to the ties.

Helmi watched the poor animal until a bend of the road hid her from sight. Then she turned back into the darkened room sobbing, "Poor dog! poor dog!—just like me, forsaken. Men who go away should shoot all of us who love them!"

Helmi hired a horse and buggy the next day and drove down the valley to Bannerman. She would know all there was to be known. She would find out what the magistrate meant.

It was a glorious day of blue sky, with a high wind that came booming through the pass in the mountain, roughening the deep pools of the river as it rasped over them. Helmi loved its cool breath on her hot face. She could not be cast down on such a day. Her Jack had not fooled her—no matter what any one thought. Helmi told herself again and again that her great fear was that something had happened to him—her dear Jack, so white-skinned, clean and gentle.

Anyway, she would be brave. Next day was train day, too, and he might come. Twice a week the train came down to Eagle Mines from the main line. Helmi had so often watched it coming in, her heart in her mouth, that she had grown to dread train days, for during the last few months at the first ragged whistle that came wearily piercing the valley a violent nausea had seized her. As she now drew near her destination it came again. She thought of the Wymuths and their awful philosophy. Was all this part of her punishment? Was it all wrong? Had she done wrong? But still, everyone who was in the world had come the same way. Surely God wanted people, and yet, why did he punish women so She sat still a while, letting the horse feed along the side of the trail.

The magistrate was at home. No, he did not remember her. Helmi Milander, a Finn girl, whom he had married to Jack Doran last March? No, he did not remember. He and his friend, Major Gowsett, looked at each other. The magistrate winked knowingly. "I think you are mistaken, girl," he said sternly.

Helmi handed him her certificate. "You gave me this paper," she said.

The magistrate addressed his friend. "There's only one way to settle this, I'll look up the record. If I married her to this young man the record will show. A certificate tells nothing. Anyone can buy a certificate and fill it in."

He went to a dusty cupboard, whose open door revealed only a row of bottles, brown, with gold labels, gleaming evilly through the gloom of the room. With difficulty he found his record book and spread it before him on the littered table.

"You said March of this year?"

"March the twenty-first," said Helmi, breathing quickly.

The pages were turned slowly.

"I married no one on March the twenty-first," he said, looking around at her over his glasses.

"Look at other dates, then," said Helmi, trembling; "I may be wrong."

The two military men regarded her closely. "You are wrong more ways than one," said the magistrate, slowly. "Look—see for yourself—there is no entry of any marriage."

A sudden fury came over Helmi. "You were drunk that day," she cried. "You were red-eyed and staggering! You forgot to write it down. You sent me out. You spoke to my Jack here while I sat outside. You mind I said 'Come outside to marry us.' You were cross and swore."

Major Gowsett interposed. "Hush, girl,' 'he said, "you must remember Col. Blackwood is a magistrate. Your condition makes you hysterical. We're sorry for you, but you must not speak like this."

Col. Blackwood said not a word. He went again to the cupboard, and after fumbling among the papers there brought back a newspaper slightly yellowed. "I'll show you something, you hellcat," he said, slowly, taking his pipe from his mouth and laying it carefully on the windowsill.

(To Be Continued.)


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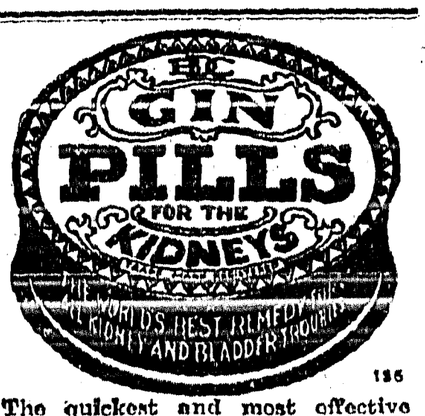


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He comes from fighting stock, says an article in the London Daily Mail by Dr. Edward Luboff, an eminent chronicler of Russian affairs, who has known Stalin since his boyhood days.

Today he is all-powerful, not only because the Army and the Cheka are at his command, but because at the first sign of anti-Stalinism he puts into motion the party machine, which declares every opponent of Stalin an enemy of the party and of the Soviet State. As for his personal safety of late he has imported a whole regiment composed chiefly of Caucausian brigands. And it may be added that the Georgian brigands will fight to the death for the safety of a descendant of one of their comrades who has managed to conquer Russia.

## MARCH WEATHER DANGEROUS TO BABY

Our Canadian March weather—one day bright, but sloppy, the next blustery and cold—is extremely hard on children. Conditions make it necessary for the mother to keep the little ones indoors. They are often confined to overheated, badly ventilated rooms and catch colds which rack their whole system. To guard against these colds and to keep the baby well till the better, brighter days come along, a box of Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in the house and an occasional dose given the baby to keep his stomach and bowels working regularly. The Tablets are a mild but thorough laxative which never fail to regulate the stomach and bowels and thus they relieve colds and simple fevers and keep the baby fit. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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Mr. Fisher is one of the London directors of a fire insurance society and on a trip to the West Coast of Vancouver Island last summer he was particularly fascinated by one of the totem pole villages and he made it his business to secure a 13-foot specimen for the grounds of his home at Waterside, Bourne End, Bucks. The totem will be one of the few in England outside a museum.

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## Little Helps For This Week

"But ye, brethren, be not weary in well-doing."—2 Thess. iii. 13.

Life is not living
Just for today;
Life is not dreaming
All the short way.

'Tis living for others,
To lighten their load,
'Tis helping your brothers,
And trusting in God.
—Hoadley.

Life is made up, not of great sacrifices or duties, but of little things, in which smiles, and kindnesses, and small obligations given habitually win and preserve the heart and secure comfort.—Sir Humphrey Davy.

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**Auto Licenses In Alberta**

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## Local and Personal

Mr. George Murrell of Devon Ranch left on Sunday for Spokane.

FOR SALE—Mason & Risch piano, almost new. Enquire Review Office.

FOR SALE—2 tons Gold Coin Potatoes, from good seed. Bert Boffey.

FOR SALE—Used kitchen range, six-hole, cheap. Mrs. Donald Bradley, Creston.

COCKERELS FOR SALE—Wyandottes Solly's 3X strain. H. W. McDonald, Creston.

Miss Lily Lewis left on Wednesday for Kaslo where she has secured a position.

Mrs. Morgan of Lundbreck, Alberta, is a Creston visitor at present, a guest of Mrs. A. Manuel.

FOR SALE—4 room house, with two lots. Apply R. Walmsley, Creston; or W. Fisher, Nelson.

FOR SALE—Fordson tractor, in first-class order, belt-pulley attached. O. Crosby, Wycliffe, B.C.

Mrs. Rumsey and family of Cranbrook were weekend visitors with her mother, Mrs. M. Young.

Charles Bush and Dean Peirs arrived on Saturday from Kellogg, on a visit to the former's parents.

According to the Cranbrook Courier, Earl Moore of Creston is a patient in St. Eugene hospital in that town.

Robt. Maxwell of the Premier Garage left on Friday for Yahk returning next day with a new Ford Tudor.

POTATOES FOR SALE—Netted Gem, pure seed, or for table use, price right. T. Quinn, Maxwell Ranch, Creston.

Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Billy Johnson and Miss Andeen were Creston visitors over the weekend arriving on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs Thos. Wood of Walsh, Sask., are Creston visitors this week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Goodwin.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Good laying strain of Barred Rocks, $1 for setting of 15 eggs. J.C. Martin (Alice Siding), Creston.

The Ladies' Guild of Christ Church are holding a silver tea at Mrs. Hall's, Erickson, on April 27th, to which all are invited.

FOR SALE—Hatching Eggs. Pure-bred White Wyandottes, heavy layers, $1.50 for 15, $4 for 50, $7 for 100. J. Sherwood.

The gas shovel which the government will use in the widening of roads in the vicinity of Creston was unloaded on Tuesday.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Utility Barred Rocks, pens headed by imported cockerel. $1 for setting of 13 eggs. F. H. Jackson.

COWS FOR SALE—Three milch cows; one just freshened; others due to freshen middle of March. D. Learmonth, Creston.

FOR SALE—Quantity of cabbage, going at $2 per 100 lbs. Also spring pigs, $5.50 each. R. Stewart, (Alice Siding), Creston.

Miss Mary Bush arrived home on Saturday from Lundbreck, Alberta, on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Bush.

FOR SALE—Handpower stump puller complete with cables and pulleys, cost $400, sell for $100. R. Sinclair Smith, Creston.

Ladies'

## Spring Coats and Dresses

In all the latest styles and models will be on display

**SAT., Mar. 24**

*Afternoon and Evening*

The representative who showed the display of these garments last fall with such marked success will be the same on this occasion.

**S. A. SPEERS**

HATCHING EGGS—Light Sussex, the coming breed, fine table birds, and good layers. Setting of 15 eggs, $2. P. G. Ebbutt, Creston.

APPLES FOR SALE—Mostly Jonathan and Rome Beauty, small sizes, 75 cents a box delivered in town. Percy Boffey, Creston.

Mr. Hild of Kootenay Garage, Cranbrook who has been a business visitor in Creston for the last week, returned to Cranbrook on Thursday.

T. Hyatt of Boswell, who has been a guest of Capt. Oatts for the past few weeks, has gone to Nelson, where he is joining a survey party.

Friends of Miss Evelyn Bevan will be interested to hear that she has gone to Seward, Alaska, where she will be engaged in nursing.

Mr. Jas. Richardson returned to Kimberley on Sunday after spending a short time with his family who occupy the former Ireland house.

FOR SALE—Choice young pigs, ready March 20th. Also Netted Gem Potatoes, $1.25 per 100 lbs. delivered in town. J. R. Miller, (Alice Siding), Creston

**GRAND THEATRE SATURDAY, March 17**

*M-G-M News*

## ATTENTION!

Spring is near at hand. Don't overlook having your agricultural machinery repaired in time.

Bushmen, check over your old axes. We repair these, and with our special tempering process make them just as good as new.

As we have just received a good stock of No. 1 Hickory for Carriage Repairs, now is your chance to take advantage as to quality and price.

Remember our prices on Pipe and Fittings are the lowest. We are carrying a large stock in Sheet Iron—black and galvanized—in all gauges. Tanks made to order. Any size.

**S. STEENSTRUP**

BLACKSMITH TINSMITHING OXY-ACETYLENE WELDING

Miss Lillian Cherrington left on Sunday for a holiday visit with friends in Nelson, and in her absence Miss Eileen Hendy is assistant at the local postoffice.

The Women's Institute is having a bridge afternoon at the home of Mrs. Maxwell on Wednesday, March 21st, from 3 to 5.30, to which all are invited. Admission 25 cents.

If you are having eyesight trouble consult Murdock McLeod, the well known optometrist, who will be at the Creston Hotel today and Saturday, March 16th and 17th.

Donald Bolton was taken away to the Cranbrook hospital on Monday, suffering from injuries sustained at Putnam, Palmer & Staples camp. Ronald Stewart accompanied him.

At the March meeting of the Women's Institute the ladies decided to have the usual bulb show. $10 was also donated as cash prizes in a schools' bird house building competition.

FOR SALE—First class ranch horse, about 1300 lbs. Quiet and used to single work. Also democrat with platform springs, in good condition. Prices reasonable. Apply Review Office.

Miss Violet Morrow returned on Saturday from Kaslo for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Morrow before proceeding to Shaunovan, Sask., where she has secured a school.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Ten-acre R. A. McKay ranch, bearing orchard and four acres of alfalfa. Good house with water installed, and good out buildings. Apply D. Learmonth, Creston.

The Creston Commissioners were in conference with Supt. Flett on Monday morning regarding the erection of a stock corral and requesting material for widening out crossing approach.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Aid announce their usual St. Patrick's cafeteria tea, with sale of cooking and candy, for Saturday, March 17th, at the home of Mrs. McCreath, 3 to 5.30 p.m., to which all are invited.

The re-organized Ladies' Guild of Christ Church had quite a good attendance at their first tea of the season—on Tuesday afternoon, at the residence of Mrs. F. H. Jackson, at which the intake was about $1c.

It is now definitely announced that a convention to nominate a Liberal candidate to contest the Creston constituency will be held at Nelson on March 30th. Premier MacLean is expected to be present and speak.

At the first regular meeting of the directors of the Creston Valley Co-Operative Association, F. Knott was re elected president, and T. R. Mawson, secretary-treasurer. This is Mr. Mawson's eighth successive year in that office.

All former members of the local lodge Knights of Pythias, and all others interested, are asked to attend a meeting at which reorganization will be discussed, and at which E. A. Hill of Cranbrook, a grand lodge representative will speak. Meeting in French's Hall at 8 p.m., Thursday, March 22nd.

E. J. Chambers of Penticton, president of the Associated Growers of B.C., with W. M. Vance, manager of the Associated sub central at Nelson, were visitors here on Thursday, when the former addressed a fairly well attended meeting of the growers in Trinity Church Hall. The Associated's new one year contract was fully explained and is now being signed up locally in encouraging fashion.

### MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 13th April, 1928, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for a period not exceeding four years, twice per week on the route PROPOSED CRESTON RURAL ROUTE NO. 1, from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to condition of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Creston, B.C., and at the office of the District Superintendent of Postal Service, Calgary, Alberta.

J. B. CORLEY,
District Superintendent of Postal Service.
DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.
Calgary, Alberta, 3rd March, 1928.

## MILLINERY OPENING

**Friday - Saturday**

**March 23 - 24**

TWO to FIVE p.m.

HATS are more varied and colorful than usual. Felts are still favorites, but Straws are going to be more popular than they have been for some time. Don't miss this opportunity.

RESIDENCE

**Mrs. F.H. JACKSON**

**GRAND THEATRE Frl.-Sat., Mar. 23rd 24th**

**Big Double Attraction!**

COMING

**Friday and Saturday March 23rd-24th**

NORMA TALMADGE in

**"GRAUSTARK"**

from the famous novel by George Barr McCutcheon

And the Official Moving Pictures of

GENE **Tunney** JACK **Dempsey**

In the world's greatest championship prize fight, taken at the ringside.