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School Concert Success, Lister

21 Numbers on Programme and All Plese—Musical Artists are Most Popular—Double Encore for Juvenile Accordeonist.

Notwithstanding an epidemic of mumps that thinned out the attendance during December the Christmas concert by the pupils of Lister school on Thursday night was well up to the standard of other years, and certainly there was no falling off in attendance. Fred Powers, chairman of the school board, presided in happy fashion, opening with a few appropriate remarks.

There were 21 numbers on the well balanced programme, all of which were well received, with the musical items the big favorites as was evidenced in the double encore accorded Gerhard Meyer with his accordeon solo, with a decided preference also in evidence for violin solo by Kitty Beard and the piano solo by Margaret Sinclair. The programme opened with O Canada, and was as follows:

Song—The Welcome—School
Recitation—Ernest Dent.
Song—Senior Girls.
Recitation—Bernice Donaldson.
Piano Duet—Mrs. Lister and Margaret Sinclair.
Monologue—Mary Millner.
Song—Junior Girls.
Recitation—Dorothy Millner.
Duett—Jean Donaldson, Clara Domke.
Accordeon Solo—Gerhard Meyer.
Recitation—Young Children.
Piano Solo—Margaret Sinclair.
Song—Senior Girls.
Violin Solo—Milly Beard.
Dialogue—Martha Domke Jean Flynn.
Song—Young Children.
Nose Play—Young Children
Song—Margaret Sinclair, Daniel Domke.
Recitation—Gerhard Meyer.
Chorus—School.
God Save the King.

Frank Baker, president of the Community Society, presented gifts to all the children in the district, along with a bag of candies, nuts and oranges. At the close of proceedings a lunch was served all the children.

Erickson

J. Mermet spent a few days at Cranbrook the past week.

Miss Annie Botterill is leaving at the end of the week on a visit with Alberta friends.

A. Cobus, principal of Erickson school, left on Friday to spend the holidays at the coast.

Sam Dower got away at the first of the week on a Christmas holiday visit at points in Alberta.

Miss E. and Tom Alton left at the end of the week to spend the holidays with their parents at Fernie

Miss Evylin Speaker left on Friday for Cranbrook, where she intends to stay, and attend high school.

Mrs. R. Dodds returned at the end of the week from a quite lengthy visit with friends at Salmo and Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Wilson and daughter left on Thursday for Vancouver on a visit with Mrs Wilson's parents.

CORPORATION OF THE

Village of Creston

To Whom it May Concern:

Please be notified that the Commissioners will hold a special meeting of the Council on FRIDAY, Dec. 28th, at 7.30 p.m., for the purpose of passing By-laws governing Trade Licenses, and Dog Licenses.

By Order.

E. F. ARROWSMITH,
Clerk.

Creston, Dec. 22, 1934

John Chernoff was a visitor in Spokane a few days this week.

Miss Marcella Sanford left on Friday to spend the Christmas New Year holidays with friends at the coast.

J. Brown of Speedway Motors is leaving on Sunday for the Christmas vacation at his home in Calgary, Alberta.

Mrs. E. Koepnick of Vancouver, arrived on Saturday and will spend Christmat with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Healy.

Sandy Teleford, who is a student at Campion College, Regina, Sask., arrived on Sunday to spend Christmas at his home here.

Miss Margaret Fraser, who is teaching school at Alexis Creek, in the Cariboo district, is home for the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fraser.

Sirdar

William Fraser of Creston paid a social call on Sunday.

Mrs. Thatshuk was a visitor to Creston at the weekend.

Mrs. Ike Lewis of Boswell was a visitor in Creston, Monday.

Raymond Bevan of Creston was a Saturday visitor to Sirdar.

Mr. and Mrs Pelle were visitors at Creston on Saturday, by stage.

Miss Gwen and Charles Wilson spent Sunday at Canyon visiting friends.

C. J. Wilson was a business visitor to Crawrord Bay and Grey Creek, Thursday.

Mike Talarico left on Sunday for Kimberley to relieve H. Godderris at the C.P.R depot there.

Mike Bonacci of Proctor, is in charge of the section crew here during the absence of Mr. Rachow, who is on a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Talarico wish to announce the engagement of their oldest daughter, Miss Frances, to Lin Anderson of Sirdar.

The caterpillar, which has been undergoing repairs at Creston, is now back to work in the removal of rock on the highway at Atbara.

Duke Harris of the Bayonne mine was in Tye during the week arranging for further construction work to be carried out immediately.

Clarence Holden was a business visitor to Creston, Saturday, travelling by car. Dominic Pascuzzo was a Creston visitor on Saturday night.

G. Vigne, R. Eakin, M. Hagen, D. Bolton, T. LaBelle and H. Slingsby took in the Christmas tree concert at Wynndel, Thursday night.

Alfred Bysouth of Kuskanook left by stage for Princton, this week, to take up a course in motion picture operating and electrical engineering.

The water as indicated by the guage at Slough bridge reads 1.60, a fall of 0.10 for the week. Despite the heavy rains the fall in water level has been consistent.

Mr Hamblie, manager of the Sanca mines, accompanied by Mrs. Hamblie, has left by auto for Calgary, where they will spend the vacation with the latter's parents.

Pete Longueville of Twin Bays had the misfortune to severely cut his foot with an axe, necessitating going to Creston for medical treatment, four stitches being necessary.

The number of geese harboring here at present is very large and were restless during the intermittent fog that prevailed more or less all week; they were on the wind with much noise.

That part of the local road crew, who have been at Crawford Bay for some time with the compressor and drills, returned here at the end of the week and are now back at their job at the large rock cut.

A badminton tournament was held in Sirdar Community Hall Monday evening, between Boswell and the local club, the locals going down to defeat at the hands of the more experienced Boswell team. After the games, refreshments were served and a dance concluded a most enjoyable evening. Those from Boswell were, Misses Pat and Rita Wall, Winnie Bebbington, Annie Sedgewick, Messrs. Jim and Dan Johnson, Ray and Lloyd Cummings, Miss Mary Cummings; Bill, Percy and Albert Mackie.

Miss Gwen and Chas. Wilson entertained a few of their friends at a dinner party on Saturday evening, complimenting Miss Frances Talarico, whose engagement has just been announced. Cards, music and contests formed the entertainment for the latter part of the evening. Invited guests were Misses Frances Talarico, Margaret Rogers, Ethel VanAckeren, Daisy Rogers, Sylvia Talarico, Messrs. Jack Connel, Frank Hamilton, L. Anderson, George Connel and Syd Rogers.

Erickson Revives School Concert

New Style Announcing Makes Hit with Capacity Crowd—Tap Dancing Equally Popular—Presents for All Childrent.

The annual Erickson school concert and Christmas tree at the schoolhouse on Thursday night was a great success and at ended by a crowd that was altogether too large for the capacity of the schoolroom. The room was nicely decorated for a Christmas affair with two small trees on either side of he stage.

The concert took the form of a radio broadcast with the microphone on the stage and behind the scenes were the two official announcers, Margaret Bundy and Joan Heric.

All the numbers were of merit, a few of which, however, deserve special mention. "Honeymoon Hotel," with Lois and Hazel Botterill, dressed as bride and groom respectively. Another song number, "A Bicycle Built for Two," sung by Johnny Murphy and acted by Joan Langston. The latter was also good in her "Slumber Song."

The play, "Reading the News, was a great hit, with Roy Cartwright and Margaret Bale as the outsta ding characters. The choruses by the seniors were specially good, with "J ngle Bells" quite the most popular. Some tap dancing by Helen Goodwin was lou ly applauded and this young artist was obliged to favor with an encore. The programme:

Welcome—Evelyn Andrews.
Drill—Welcome Group.
News Flashes by Stella Tompkins.
Duett—"Honeymoon Hotel"—Lois an Hazel Botterill.
Drill—"The Cedars."
Solo—Elvaline Clark.
Song—"Bicycle Built for Two',—Johnny Murphy, Joan Lanston.
Play—"Reading the News."—Carol Healey, Gwen Pagnam, Roy Cartwright, Margaret Bale.
Chorus—"Holy Night."
Drill "Good Night."
Action Song—Good King Wincelas.
Tap Dancing—Helen Goodwin.
Chorus—"Jingle Bells."
Chorus—"God Rest You, Merry Gentlemen."
Solo—"Slumber Song—Joan Langston.

The concert was in charge of Miss Marcella Sanford and Principal Cobus of the teaching staff and great credit is due them on the way in which the pupils were trained and handled during the evening The accompanists for the evening were Frank Clark and Miss Edith Thomlinson. All the pupils were remembered with presents from a heavily loaded Christmas tree with "Bud" Sanford playing Santa Claus. In addition every child in the Erickson district received a supply of candy.

Wynndel

Mr. and Mrs. Birch are spending Christmas at the latter's parents' home, Cranbrook.

Miss E. Towson and E. Hulme were weekend visitors at Willow Point, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Middleton.

M. Hackett and W. Abbott have the contract for wood supply at the school and are busy delivering the fuel.

The December report of Division 2 of Wynndel school has just been issned by Mrs. McGregor, and shows the following making the high standings: Grade 4—Marionne Franklin. Grade 3a—Mary Markin. Grade 3b—John Rumsey. Grade 2a—Thelma Andestad. Grade 1a—Marion Butterfield. Grade 1b—Kristina Hendrickson. Perfect attendance—Thelma Andestad, Donald Benedetti, Irene Benedetti, Marion Butterfield, Tommy Butterfield, Paul Elasoff, Peter Elasoff, Marianne Franklin, Buelah Gustavson, Earl Gustafson, Gudrum Gustavson, Fredrick Hess, Manuel Hess, Doris Huscroft, Renee Lachat, Mary Markin, Nick Markin, Rosaleen Moon, Stanely Metelski, Vera Packman, Kurt Patalla, Elizabeth Rumsey, John Rumsey, Franklin Ward, Florence Wittman, Fanny Bidinoff.

The annual Wynndel school concert was presented in the community hall at that point on Thursday evening to a full house and was thoroughly enjoyed. The programme included three sketches and a vocal solo by little Miss Hazel Davis. "The Wedding of the Flowers," under the direction of Mrs. McGregor, was first on the programme. The flowers, called forth by the heralds, Nesta Huscroft and Lillian Johnson, came out of a cleverly-constructed basket at the back of the stage. Roses, violets, sunflowers, forget-me-nots, daisies, bluebells, dandelions and tulips, all assembled, also a woodland fairy, Marion Butterfield, who did a solo dance. Irene Benedetti acted as bridesmaid, and Donald Benedetti the groom, with Bertha Lachat the bride. Tommy Butterfield was a dignified officiating clergyman. The complete cast: Bride, Bertha Lachat; Groom, Donald Benedetti; Flower girls, Aileen Ogilvie, Norma Gregory; Maid of honor, Irene Benedetti; Bridesmaids, Rosemary Wolfrum, Isobel Hagen, Louise Butterfield, Elsie Davis, Winnie Moon. Groomsmen, Donald Uri, Gordon Ogilvie, Earl Gustafson, Kirk Patalla, Ronald Wood; Rainbow fairy, Marion Butterfield; Bluebells, Vera Packman, Doris Huscroft; Forget-me-nots, Rosaleen Moon, Thelma Andestad; Violets, Mary Markin, Marion Franklin, Renee Lachat, Florence Wittman. Ruth Glasier, Elizabeth Rumsey; Sunflowers, Sid Wigen, Sidney Davidge, Fritz Hess, John Rumsey, David Hindley, Buddy Ward; Roses, Olive Uri, Jennie Pearson, Alice Glasier, Gudrum Gustafson, Eileen Dalbom, Polly Bidinoff. The sketch, "Schooldays," was very amusing. Elsie Davis took the part of the school mistress, and the pupils of the senior room were the unruly scholars, and well they played their parts. After much chattering and cross talk the school broke up with a fist fight between two boys; all the work having been done was roll call and history lesson.

The double bill of basketball games drew a large crowd of local and town fans to the K.K. Klub on Wednesday evening last In the opening game, a comic feature between the newly-formed Dynamiters and Pharmacy girls' team of Creston. The ladies were much aster but were so handicapped by the weight and height of their opponents that they came out on the short end of the 17-12 score. The Wynndel fans got a real thrill in the second fixture when Wynndel Maple Leafs came up from a 12-4 deficit at hall-time to vanquish a tir d Cardinal quint., 15-14. In the first half play was much more even than the score would indicate, but Wynndel failed, as usual, to connect with the basket. In the second stanza some clever floor play by Ken. Packman and Joe Martell won the game for Wynndel. Supper and dancing followed the hoop games.

Kitchener

Mrs. N. K. Devlin was renewing acquaintances at Creston on Friday.

E. Driffil left on Wednesday for Vancouver, where he will reside in future.

Miss Edith Nelson was a Kimberley and Cranbrook visitor during the past week.

Swan Halfin of Fort Steele was a visitor here for a few days, returning on Friday.

S. Parnaby, C.P.R. roadmaster, with headquarters at Proctor, was a business visitor on Friday.

A. Lepage, F. Smith and L. Simpson arrived on Saturday from Fort Steele and will spend Chrismas at their home here.

Elmer Cavanaugh, who has been visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson, returned to his home at Kimberley last week.

There was a turkey raffle here on Friday in charge of H. H. Redmile. The lucky tickets were held by Swan Halfin and W. R. Cranna.

Miss Jessie White, principal of the public school closed school on Friday for the Christmas New Year holidays She gave each child a present along with a well filled bag of candy, nuts and an orange. Miss White will spend the holidays at her home in Fernie.

The December report of Kitchener school just issued by the principal, Miss White, shows 18 pupils enrolled, with the following taking high standiugs: Grade 8—Helen Oja 69, Leonard Bohan 68, Robert Johnson 60. Grade 6—Jean Blair 73, Alice Bohan 71, Christina Parslow 61. Grade 4—Jim Thompson 71, Mary Bohan 70. Grade 3—Ralph Abar 78, Marjorie Blair, 67, Maxine Nowlin 61, Harold Nelson 55, Lily McDonald 36. Grade 2—Robert Thompson 55, Jimmy Bohan 51, Alton Nowlin 48, I ene McDonald 36. Grade 1—Victor Parslow 60.

Lister

Miss Jean Fisher left on Friday to spend Christmas at her home in Nelson.

Miss Robinson, teacher at Huscroft, is spending the vacation at her home in Blewett.

Sam Lazachuk of Kellogg, Idaho, is a Christmas visitor with his daughter, Mrs. Hans Lindhorst.

Miss Fay Pendry has arrived from Kimberley for a holiday visit with her parents Mr and Mrs. J. W. Pendry.

Martin Byrne has left on a visit with his parents at Picture Butte, Alberta. Mrs. Byrne and the children are with her mother, Mrs. A. S. Evans, at Creston.

Miss Curtis and Miss Webster, teachers at Lister school, got away on Friday for the Christmas vacation at their homes ae Slocan City and Coal Creek respectively.

Huscroft school Christmas concert was held on Thursday night at the old schoolhouse with Bert Hobden officiating as chairman. There was a short programme and distribution of gifts, candies, etc., with Clyde Huscroft as Santa Claus. After the programme there was a few hours' dancing.

Canyon School Pupils Entertain

Plays, Recitations and Considerable Variety to Music, Including String Ensemble—Children All Remembered by Santa.

Friday night's attraction at Canyo was the usual Christmas community concert put on by the school childr n. The concert was staged in the community hall, which was filled to capacity, with Creston, Erickson, Kitchener and Wynndel represented.

Of about twenty numbers on the programme and all of merit space is not available to enlarge upon each individual item but special mention is coming to the "Rooster Parade," put on by eight junior boys, which caused much fun for the audience, with each boy dressed to represent a cockerel.—four White Leghorns and four Brown Minorcas. Christmas carols, too, was another very popular number and was given a rightly deserved encore. The number was put on by 22 of the senior pupils, and was accompanied by a string orchestra made up of Grace Bond, Ethel VanAckeren and Alice Wesling, violins: L. Moberg, Mr. Jarvis and L. Bond, guitars, with Miss F. Knott at the piano.

A vocal duett and action song by Mary Nygaard and Borg Olsen was another comic feature. In the boys section, "The Overnight Camp," was an outstanding feature. The secenery was very nature-like, with trees, tent and camp fire onthe stage. This was produced by a group of senior boys. The programme:

The Prologue—Richard Hale.
Chorus—School.
Acrostic—Nine Junior Pupils.
Recitation—Rose Strong.
Vocal Trio—Annie Hook, Esther Jarvis, Carrie Solheim.
Drill—The Rooster Parade by 8 Junior Boys.
Chorus Christmas Carols.
Recitation—Jerome Jarvis.
Vocal Duett—Iris Bothamley, Vivian Osborne.
Snowball Frolic—Ten Junior Pupils
Play—"The Overnight Camp," by 8 Intermediate Boys.
Drill and Two Part Chorus by 12 Senior Boys.
Play—"The Jimtowd Lysim," by Senior Boys and Girls.
Monologue and Shadow Play—Pearl Gillespie and Wilfrid Bond.
Dramatized Vocal Duett—Mary Nygaard, Borg Olson.
Piano Duett—Mary Nygaard, Jean Spencer.
Recitation—4 Senior Boys.
Vocal Solo—Leona Browell.
Chorus—"The Waffle Song."

The pupils were trained by the school teachers, Principal Hunden and Miss F. Knott, and some of the musical numbers were improved with the help of Miss Annie Berggren and her violin. Trustees W. E. Searle and J. E. VanAckeren assisted with the stage settings and lighting.

A special committee made up of a number of Canyon ladies raised the funds necessary for gifts on the well laden Christmas tree and donations for every child in the district.

Trustee A. A. Bond made a capable chairman, and Jim Bateman was equally competent as Santa Claus.

DANCE

Under the auspices Erickson Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary

Park Pavilion
CRESTON

Mon., Dec. 31

DANCING at 9 p.m.

Good Music. Excellent Supper

TWO CASH PRIZES to Lucky Ticket holders.

Admission . 50c.
~~Supper included.~~

A Word To Youth

Many young people enter the new year with feelings of discouragement and in a state of bewilderment. The future presents itself to them in the form of a very large question mark. The future always presents itself in this form, but, generally speaking, the answer, or at least some of the answers or a partial answer, has in a sense been possible. But in these times the riddle of the future seems exceedingly hard to decipher.

Nonetheless it is well within the realm of truth to say that, in large measure, the final answer is much the same as it has always been, and it is that, apart from changed conditions, it rests with the youth of to-day to work out their own destinies just as the youth in the ages of the past have always been called upon to do.

This is not the only era in the world's history when youth has had to face and contend with changed conditions. This is, and always has been, and always will be, a world of change,—changing from day to day and from hour to hour. New times bring new conditions and new conditions bring new tasks and new problems demanding solution. This is life. Without such chage there would be no life.

So there is, after all, nothing to affright the youth of to-day; rather because of the greater changes which recent years have wrought and the greater complexity of the problems calling for solution, there is also a great challenge to youth and more and greater, rather than fewer and lesser, opportunities awaiting youth's grasp.

What does youth need to-day as an essential item of equipment to face the future, surmount the difficulties which lie in the path of the years, and achieve success? Sir Herbert Barker, the celebrated English surgeon, submits an answer. He says:

What we need to-day among the young men is the spirit of initiative, the enterprise that takes chances and starts something new.

It is true that economic conditions are bad, but it is when things are at their worst that men of character rise to meet and challenge life.

To those dispirited young men who have been looking for jobs without any set plan, I would say: Determine first upon an objective. Know what you want. Then go out after it.

It sounds easy? But I do not speak without knowing what it means to struggle against obstacles. I have fought hard from the days when I sometimes wondered where my next meal was to come from.

The tragedy of such men is that as the months of unemployment drift into years, brains grow dull and character rots.

At the beginning, it is a problem of unemployment; in the end it is the tragedy of unemployability.

To any such young man, looking at life to-day with jaundiced eyes, maybe, living at home, or drawing upon kindly relatives for the wherewithal of life, I would say: End those conditions.

If there is no paid job in the offing, sit down and initiate something—anything. Do any work rather than no work, and, for preference, work as your own master.

There are as many opportunities to-day as ever there were. But they are hard to find. There are rewards for enterprise and resource as dazzling as ever there were; but the road to them is steeper.

Will these soft sons of sturdy sires bestir themselves, fight up out of the morass of apathy and lethargic inertia? Or are they, indeed, too soft in heart and head? I don't like to believe that the thing that pulled us through the War—in a word, "guts"—is a thing of the past.

Extremes Of Weather

Record Breaking Warmth And Rain Reported From Alaska

A torrential storm early in December brought damage estimated at $100,000 to Cordova, Alaska, as the vagaries of the weather gave southern and interior Alaska more record-breaking warm weather, as well as gales and heavy rains.

Sweeping in from the Gulf of Alaska a 55-mile gale raged for several hours there and at Seward. In 60 hours a total of 12.38 inches of rain fell.

Meanwhile, inland at Fairbanks, the spring-like temperature of 58 degrees, the warmest winter days for the months of November, December, January, February and March in the 30 years' history of the weather bureau, was recorded.

The snow was entirely gone at Fairbanks, as well as at numerous other points. The gale lashed heavily at Cordova.

An unprecedented thunder and lightning storm also swept over Cook Inlet.

A Valuable Plaything

Ambergris Found By Boy Worth Sixteen Thousand Dollars

A seventeen-pound lump of wax-like substance picked up by a Rockland boy, Roderick Crandall, and used as a plaything, has been analyzed as ambergris, valued at $16,000. Ambergris is a fatty substance from sperm whales and is used as the base in manufacture of perfumes. Young Crandall found the lump on the beach at Islesboro, Maine. His father, a carpenter, sent a specimen to a chemist who said it was pure ambergris. M. L. Decker, an Islesboro fisherman, is awaiting a chemist's report on another lump weighing 50 pounds.

Price No Object

The Hollywood magnate told an assistant that in his opinion a certain writer was the only man for a film they had under consideration. The assistant was tactfully doubtful. "Don't you think, perhaps he's a little too caustic?" he suggested.

"Do I care how much he costs?" demanded the producer. "Get him!"

New Use For Potatoes

Surplus Crop Can Be Converted Into Many Manufactured Articles

Millions of pounds of imported corn now used in the manufacture of a wide variety of food products could be replaced by Canadian potatoes, thereby using up the entire potato surplus of 7,000,000 bushels, a conference of experts called to devise new uses and new markets for potatoes was told by Dr. W. Gallay of the National Research Council.

The conference was called and presided over by Dr. H. M. Tory, chairman of the National Research Council.

New uses for Canadian potatoes included the making of such products as confectioner's glucose, grape sugar, syrup, starch, potato flour and potato chips and such other products as laundry starch, dextrine, glue, gum, alcohol and foundry moulds, the preservation and canning of potatoes; the use of potatoes as food for livestock.

An Imperial Lover

Love Letters Of Napoleon Sold At Auction For $75,000

The grandiloquent expressions of an imperial lover—the letters of Napoleon to the Empress Marie-Louise—were sold at auction recently in London for $75,000.

The letters, 318 in all, and dealing with every phrase of Napoleon's courtship, were bought in one block by the French government. They covered the whole heroic scene, the courtship, marriage and the Elba exile periods.

Few of the letters which changed hands had been published. The last letter was that of a tired warrior, who said: "I long to see you and my son."

The letters were made available by the action of a nobleman, who remained anonymous, and who inherited them. The bids rose rapidly after an initial offer of $2,500.

There were no prehistoric giants or pygmies among the wonders of America's past, according to the Smithsonian Institution.

The municipal stadium of Cleveland, Ohio, cost more than $3,000,000.

LORNE ARDIEL

Nominated by shareholders of the new Bank of Canada from coast to coast and from practically every section of the Dominion, Lorne Ardiel has agreed to stand for election to the Board of Directors in Class "C". Mr. Ardiel is known throughout the length and breadth of Canada and prior to the war served many years with the Dominion Bank, at the early age of 22 carrying managerial duties.

He was born in London, Ontario, in 1890, and from 1915 to 1919 served overseas with the Canadian Corps. On returning to Canada he immediately entered the automobile industry, building up such national organizations throughout the Dominion as Chevrolet, Oldsmobile and Cadillac.

In 1930 he established The Lorne Ardiel Company, Business Counsellors, and acquired control of the Press Agency Bureau Limited, one of Canada's oldest national advertising agencies, established 1892. In addition, in 1930 he founded the World Institute of National Advertising Agencies—an international organization of 50 members throughout the world, functioning for the interchange of all valuable and useful information regarding each country, its products, economic trends and merchandising. Through this affiliation comes a volume of information that is most valuable for central banking operation.

He is regarded throughout Canada as possessing great experience in banking, industrial and business affairs, and has an intimate knowledge of every Province and section of Canada. Class "C" in the new Board calls for candidates of wide knowledge and experience and actively in business.

Rapid Development

Civil Aviation Has Made Giant Strides In Few Years

If the air were an unsafe medium of travel, civil aviation would not have made the giant strides in popularity that it has made within recent years. In 1919, the year in which international civil flying began, the aggregate route mileage for the world was only 3,200, and the mileage flown 1,022,000. By 1932 the route mileage had increased to 190,200, and in that year the number of miles flown reached the enormous total of 90,372,000. The lion's share of that traffic was taken by the United States, with its 5,932,969 miles flown and 540,681 passengers carried; but Great Britain, France, and Germany also have their network of air routes, and Canada, South Africa, Italy, India, Belgium, Denmark, Japan, the Netherlands, Poland, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Russia, Jugoslavia, Czechoslovakia, Finland, and Rumania are all served with air transport to a greater or less degree.—Melbourne Argus.

Silk From Pine Trees

Forests Of South May Be Able To Clothe World

Synthetic silken yarn from Southern pine trees—the first ever made—was shown at New York with announcement of the discovery of a process through which the pine forests of the South can be made to clothe the world. Making artificial yarns from the pines has been a goal of chemists for years. The inexhaustible supply in Southern forests is literally large enough to meet all the needs of the human race for clothing. A shining white skein of yarn was exhibited at a dinner in honor of Dr. Charles H. Herty, of Savannah, Georgia, discoverer of the process.

Villagers of Corinth, Greece, recently came upon a solid stone surface proved to be an ancient reservoir with decorated stairs leading down to it.

WHAT DOES YOUR HANDWRITING REVEAL?

By LAWRENCE HIBBERT
(Grapho-Analyst)

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Editor's note: Here is another interesting problem, with which the author has had to deal. Have you any problem upon which you would welcome some advice and guidance? This well-known handwriting expert repeats his invitation to readers following this week's article below).

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A young lady of 19 writes me in part as follows: 'For a few years although I am still only 19 years of age, I have been going with a man of 33 years. We seem to be admirably suited to each other in spite of this difference in our ages, having much in common together. My friend is inclined to be somewhat sensitive, but I am the first girl to come into his life, and he got to be very fond of me.

"Over two years ago he asked me several times to marry him, but I was not ready for marriage, because I do not believe in early marriages, and I was ambitious to become a teacher. My parents also opjected on account of the difference in our ages. I may say here that he is earning a good living, and money matters would not trouble us. I wanted to wait for a few years before marrying him, but I couldn't bear to lose him.

"Since then he has been a different man, very despondent at times, and intensely jealous at others. We are both of a jealous temperament, but he has acted very bitterly. His despondency changed, and he accused me of going out with other men, which was not true. Whenever any young man would even pass our house, he would accuse me of being responsible. At first I laughed all this away, but it got so bad that I realized that he meant what he was saying.

"Over a year ago he turned to another girl because he was convinced that I was deceiving him, but after a few months that was over. Is there any way in which I can convince him of the untruth of his statements? Or what do you advise?"

Here again we have this question of a marked difference in the ages of the two concerned. The man is 14 years older than the girl. This is not so bad, however, because their relative ages are still young. So that this age difference in the present case is not an insuperable obstacle. However, the matter of jealousy is a vital one.

This is one of the most insidious of characteristics. It grows on itself. This young man has lost his self-control entirely, and has shown precious little respect for the girl he wants to marry, in continually accusing her of the things he has.

The question arises—if he is so inordinately jealous of her now, when he is not even engaged to her, what would he be like when they were married?

Jealousy is one of those vices that must be cured before marriage. The mere ceremony of getting married does not destroy it; rather does it stimulate it. And a jealous husband is far worse than a jealous suitor, for a single girl can still give up the man, whereas once married, a remedy is difficult—and only after a great deal of unhappiness and tribulation.

It seems to me that the man in question is likely to continue to be jealous, and I advise my correspondent to give him up, at any rate until she is assured that this jealousy is cured. Better to cut the knot now than live to rue it later.

Jealousy, unfortunately, is one of those vices that is really hard to cure. And it is far too great a risk for my correspondent to take, especially having regard to the difference in age. She is still young, and it will not be very difficult for her to gain new friendships.

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Can the author help you? Do you wish to know what your handwriting tells about you? And do you want to discover the real natures of your friends? Send specimens of the writing you want analysed, stating birthdate in each case. Enclose 10c coin for each specimen, and send with 3c stamped addressed envelope, to: Lawrence Hibbert, care of Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave., Winnipeg, Man. Letters are confidential, and replies will be mailed out as quickly as possible, but please allow at least two weeks for your reply.

A Queer Problem

Relief Investigator Percy Mitchell of Stratford, Ont., has had some queer problems to solve but never before did they involve a race horse. During his inquiries he uncovered a relief recipient who owns a race horse. The man is grooming the horse for next year's races and in the meantime the relief committee is considering what is to be done with the unemployed racehorse owner.

AFTER OPERATION SHE GREW FAT

And Became Short-Winded

A letter just received from a woman states that she is writing in thanks for the benefit she has received. Her letter goes on:—

"About 12 months ago everybody remarked how fat I was getting. I turned the scale at 196 lbs. I was fed up at getting so fat and it made me short-winded. Why they noticed it more was because I was getting fat slowly since I had had an operation for appendix. I went back to the hospital, and the doctor said most women get fat after that operation. I had tried everything I knew of to try and get slim, so I thought I would give Kruschen Salts a trial. I started at first to take half the dose prescribed, in my first cup of tea. Nine months ago, I turned the scale at 196 lbs., and at the time of writing I go 178 lbs. I feel better than I have felt for a long time."—(Mrs.) H.

The formula of Kruschen represents the ingredient salts of the mineral waters of those European Spas which have been used by generations of overstout people to reduce weight. Gently but surely, Kruschen rids the system of all fat-forming food refuse, of all poisons and harmful acids which give rise to rheumatism, headaches, and many other ills.

Fought Death Nine Days

Three Men And A Woman Finally Rescued In Alaska

Three men and a woman, their aeroplane beaten down from the skies by a blizzard, fought death and hunger for nine days in a tumble-down cabin near Anchorage, Alaska, before a rescue plane equipped with skiis brought them to safety.

"Hungry, need food and skiis."

That message, spelled out on the snow by the green branches of trees they had chopped, brought Pilots Roy Dickson and Chuck McLean down from the clouds to save them. Three planes previously had roared overhead and missed them because they flew too high to read the distress signal.

Mrs. Hazel McClung, wife of a Takotna mining man, Pilot Oscar Winchell and two mine operators, David Standberg and Weine Puntallo, had taken off from McGrath on their way to Anchorage. Mrs. McClung intended to go to Juneau.

Their propeller chewed into a biting blizzard of sleet and snow, which coated the wings until the ship sagged wearily and then came down in an uninhabited region 150 miles from Anchorage, in 30 inches of snow. Equipped with wheels, the plane could not rise.

Taking a robe and light emergency rations from the plane the four beat a path through the snow to an old cabin. Fortune favored them, for they found the tattered fragments of some blankets and a few dried beans and some rice abandoned by a prospector.

Doling out these provisions, and melting snow for water, they existed nine days, each of the party losing 10 to 15 pounds.

Pensions For Thieves

Well Organized Band Discovered In Yugoslavia By Police

Receiving regular daily pay and a comfortable house and piece of land to retire on when each had stolen his quota, a band of thieves has been discovered by the police of Yugoslavia. According to a dispatch from Belgrade the gang had a leader-employer and specialized in robbing co-operative societies. All booty, money and goods were taken by the gang leader. Members were paid $1.25 per day for their work, two or three times the pay of a skilled worker in the district. They often stole goods worth $500 in one night. All their burglaries were carried out on the same plan. A hole was made in the wall of the store, one man went in and handed out the stuff to another who loaded it on to a cart. A third man kept guard. The leader stayed at home and waited for the booty.

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FOLLY OF WAR TO BE SHOWN IN A NEW FILM

Ottawa.—The folly and futility of war, its sacrifices, heroism and tragic aftermath, are starkly portrayed in a motion picture produced under approval of the Canadian government and expected to have its premiere here early next year.

Selected and compiled from thousands of feet of war film in the custody of the government, it is now in process of completion here. The government authorized the Canadian Legion to sponsor the picture, responding to a general demand from Canada's war veterans for showings of the innumerable moving pictures taken of the Canadian troops in France, and, at the same time, having in mind the salutary message a film of this type has for the public at large.

Under the direction of a special inter-departmental committee appointed by the government, work on the film has been in progress for nearly a year.

The committee's task was to select from many thousands of feet of film shot in Canada, the United Kingdom and France particular scenes characteristic of Canadian achievement from 1914 to 1918. The war-time films were resurrected some six years ago when public sentiment, aroused by the danger of these historical records being lost through neglect, prompted the government of the day to gather them up and turn them over to the motion picture bureau where they were put in an excellent state of preservation.

Originally the films were made under the direction of the national war memorial committee, an off-shoot of the Canadian records office established in 1915 by Lord Beaverbrook.

Some weeks ago the prime minister and cabinet members had a preview of the forthcoming film and approved its release under the sponsorship of the legion.

Prepare For House Opening

Quiet Preparations Now Going On For Pending Session

Ottawa.—A pre-holiday lull has become noticeable in political circles, although frequent arrivals in Ottawa of members of the House of Commons, representative of both government and opposition, are taken as indicative of the quiet preparations going forward both for the pending session of parliament and the general elections.

Date of the opening of parliament has already been announced for Jan. 17, but if any tentative time has been set for the elections it has been kept secret. It is known, however, that the appeal will be no later than October, and in some circles it is believed it will not come before that month.

Recent speeches of the prime minister have indicated an apparent desire on the part of the government to prepare the people at large, and business people in particular, for radical legislation which will appear during the forthcoming session.

References to the increasing need for interference by governments arise from the recommendations of the mass buying commission, which is still hearing evidence. There will also be the unemployment insurance legislation, which has already been officially announced as in preparation for parliament.

Preparation of estimates has been going forward for some time by the various departments, and it is anticipated Finance Minister E. N. Rhodes will be in a position to present them to parliament at an early date in the session.

Fewer Bonds Maturing

Ottawa.—Governments in Canada will have fewer financial worries in 1935 than in 1934 in the way of maturing bond issues, according to estimates prepared by A. E. Ames & Co., Limited, which estimated the amount of Canadian bonds maturing next year to be about 30 per cent. less than this year.

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Court House Burned

Tennessee Mob Cause Disorders In Attempting To Seize Negro

Shelbyville, Tenn.—A mob of several hundred persons, two of their number already slain and others wounded, milled about the ruins of the county court house here as an army of national guardsmen hurried here to quell disorders growing out of a futile attempt to seize a negro.

Fed by gasoline poured on by the mob, flames destroyed the $150,000 brick building which a few hours earlier had held the object of the mob's fury—a negro charged with assaulting a 14-year-old white girl.

The negro was whisked away, disguised in a soldier's uniform, and taken to Nashville.

From over the state, 500 guardsmen were mobilized and rushed into Shelbyville under orders from Gov. Hill McAlister.

Angered by the ruse and apparently intent upon showering their wrath on guardsmen and the county officers, the mob allegedly sprinkled the 75-year-old Bedford county court house with gasoline and set fire to it.

Firemen said the mob hindered them in fighting the flames. Dynamite, which had been tossed into the court house building during the height of te disturbance in the day, exploded, but no one was injured.

Herds Of Caribou

Thousands Of These Animals Roaming Northern Areas

Edmonton.—Great herds of caribou are roaming about Old Fort, 30 miles distant from Fort Chipewyan, N.W.T., and are gradually coming closer to Chipewyan than for many years, says a wireless dispatch to the Edmonton Journal.

As a result, there is scarcely a male inhabitant of Chipewyan who has not participated in the big caribou hunt. This meat supply is proving a great help to the trappers of the district who have had to date an exceptionally poor fur catch.

Hunters, as well as airmen flying to and from Beaver Lodge lake, report that there are thousands of caribou and that many of the small lakes appear to be literally packed with the caribou herds. Trappers who had 75 pelts by Christmas season last year now have only seven or eight furs to barter for supplies. Open water in rivers and swamps prevents animals coming in from the bush where they are plentiful and also handicaps the trappers in making their rounds.

Colder weather will help as the quality of the furs is good.

Irish Citizenship Bill

To Remove Any Suggestion That Irish People Are British Subjects

Dublin.—The Irish Free State's citizenship bill passed through final stages in the dail recently. It was approved by a vote of 51 to 36.

Explaining the intention of the bill, President Eamon de Valera said it aimed at removing from Irish law any suggestion that the Irish were British subjects. The Free State could not alter a British act, he said, but if the British would remove from their statute the suggest'on that persons in the Free State were claimed as British subjects the Free State would welcome the step.

This apparently was a conciliatory step taken by De Valera to avoid arousing undue antagonism in Britain over passage of the bill. Dominions Secretary J. H. Thomas told the House of Commons some days ago he had been advised on the highest legal authority the Irish bill could not deprvie any person of his status as a citizen of the British commonwealth.

Ask Removal Of Duty

Calgary.—Seeking assistance for the beef cattle industry, Alberta cattlemen will petition the federal government urging it to negotiate with the United States for the removal of duty on cattle entering that country. At a meeting here attended by 130 growers representative of the Western Stock Growers' Association a resolution urging the duty removal was adopted.

SOLD BOTH SIDES ARMS

Emslie S. Jones, agent for a United States munitions company in South America, is pictured as he was sworn in as a wtiness before the Senate Committee investigating armament transactions in Washington. Testimony that United States companies sold arms both to Paraguay and Bolivia in the Gran Chaco war was presented to the committee.

Price For Beef Cattle

Western Stock Growers Want Price Fixed For Certain Grades

Calgary.—Appointment of a committee of three experts to fix a minimum price for certain marketable grades of beef cattle will be urged upon the federal government by the Western Stock Growers' Association.

The minimum price would be on certain grades of cattle standardized on the Winnipeg market and the committee would have power to fix a grade below which no cattle could be marketed for human consumption in Canada.

A resolution urging the minimum price scheme will be forwarded to Ottawa shortly.

New Observatory For Toronto

Toronto.—Official opening of the new Dunlap observatory of the University of Toronto will be held May 31 when D. C. A. Chant, professor of astrophysics, who had long sought this addition, will celebrate his 70th birthday. Sir Frank Dyson, former astronomer royal of Great Britain, will attend the opening.

A Christmas Truce

Tranquility To Be Preserved In Saar Territory Over The Holiday

Saarbrueckon, Saar Basin Territory.—A Christmas truce to preserve tranquility in the Saar Territory over the holiday was declared by the League of Nations plebiscite commission.

Both Nazis and anti-Nazis were pledged to keep the peace from December 23 to December 27, hold no meetings and forget the imminence of the January 13 plebiscite to determine the future sovereignty of the Saar.

The truce was declared as 200 British Tommies, advance contingent of the international patrol force, occupied their billets.

Nazis, regarding the troops' arrival without demonstration, warned the young women of the Saar against forming any romantic attachment for the foreign soldiers.

More Naval Conversations

Britain's Foreign Secretary Hoping Talks May Be Resumed

London.—"I may express the firm hope the efforts we have all been making to prepare the ground will enable further conversations to take place in say two or three months' time," said Sir John Simon, foreign secretary, in an address on the tripower naval talks which were formally adjourned.

Emphasizing the British view that the talks, designed to pave the way for negotiation of a substitute for the Washington naval treaty, have not come to an end but are merely adjourned, Sir John said that France and Italy were being kept in touch with all that had been going on between Britain, the United States and Japan.

Trans-Atlantic Air Route

Only Way To Bridge Atlantic Is By Non-Stop Flight

London.—The Daily Herald says that aviation experts have decided the only way to bridge the North Atlantic by air is by a non-stop flight.

Reports made following surveys for possible air routes linking Canada and the United Kingdom varied from "impossible" to "good," The Herald says.

Three large aeroplane building concerns, it continues, have started building trans-Atlantic flying boats for an air route linking Canada to Britain but it will take two years before the craft are commercially proved.

THE ROYAL COUPLE HONEYMOONING AT HIMLEY

Our photograph, taken at Himley Hall in Staffordshire, shows the happy royal couple, the Duke and Duchess of Kent, sitting on a stone wall while enjoying a quiet honeymoon. Note the attitude of the faithful police dog, who apparently intends to keep away all intruders.

SAY HOLDING POLICY WAS BAD FOR EXPORTERS

Winnipeg. — John I. McFarland, head of the Canadian government wheat agency and general manager of the Canadian wheat pools, charged terminal elevator interests at Fort William and Port Arthur with charging excessive premiums and establishing a holding policy against exporters.

Rumors of the situation and rumblings in the grain trade were brought into the open by Mr. McFarland in an interview, when he declared exporters had bitterly resented the difficulties they experienced since early in November because of the attitude of terminal elevator interests. Unwarranted permiums were exacted from exporters in order to secure cargo for their lake steamer charters.

"Such premiums demanded were not in harmony with the large supplies of high grade wheat in store not only at lakehead terminals but also in country elevators throughout the west," said Mr. McFarland. "Wheat was not procurable by exporters at the official closing prices as quoted for carlot purchases on the exchange. The premiums complained of were in addition to such prices and wheat was not readily available on many occasions. Difficulty was experienced in loading boats.

"Navigation did not close until Dec. 12, and had wheat been available on a basis of December option values, many more steamers would have been chartered and further large quantities would have been moved to eastern ports, where it would have been available for export this winter," Mr. McFarland said.

"I am forced to the conclusion that December as a contract month should be abolished. November should be substituted in place of December. Thus, with October and November futures operating for hedging purposes, it would provide two liquid delivery months in the navigation season of the year when the large fall movement is under way in place of only October, as now operated."

New Wage Agreement

Railway Workers Get Three Per Cent. Of Pay Cut Restored

Montreal.—Canada's 100,000 railway workers and their families will spend a merry Christmas in anticipation of the fact that from the first day of the new year they will have restored to them three per cent. of the 15 per cent. pay cut previously made, and from May 1, 1935, they will have two per cent. more returned to them, bringing the deduction to 10 per cent.

An agreement to this effect was reached some weeks ago between the managements of Canada's railways and the officers of the running trades' brotherhoods. An announcement was made by J. McGuire, general chairman of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railroad employees, whose 12,000 members include many miscellaneous classifications and workers, that a similar agreement to that of the running trades has been signed.

It is understood at the same time the executives of the Canadian Pacific and Canadian National Railways have decided to extend the provisions of these agreements to several thousand office workers and other unorganized employees.

Suggest Names For Directors

Seven Suggested For New Bank By Chamber Of Commerce

Montreal.—The Canadian Chamber of Commerce published a slate of seven from among the 69 nominees for directors of the Bank of Canada which it recommends to shareholders of the bank.

Following is the slate: William K. McKean, Halifax; Robert A. Wright, Drinkwater, Sask.; William D. Black, Hamilton, Ont.; Robert J. Magor, Montreal; Joseph Beaubien, Montreal; Thomas Bradshaw, Toronto, and William C. Woodward, Vancouver.

Greetings

It gives me great pleasure to wish the people of Nelson-Creston constituency

A Very Merry Christmas

and a

Happy and Prosperous New Year

While conditions have not improved to the extent we had hoped for, yet there is an improvement and that this improvement will continue is my sincere wish for the people of this district.

Frank H. Putnam

M.P.P., Nelson Creston Riding

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Wishing You and Yours
A MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY & PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Other Village Problems

Editor Review:

Sir—The report on cost of a sewer system will be read with interest by citizens of Creston, and the councillors are to be commended for their insistence on this information being obtained.

Having made such a good start let us hope that our representatives will study a question intimately associated with sewerage disposal, that is, the cost of acqusition of the water distribution service. And they might also consider that most difficult village problem, one which becomes more difficult each year, i.e., the widening of our "Canyon" street into a spacious thoroughfare, adequate for Creston of the present and future.

It would appear that our developement has been haphazard, and it is distinctly encouraging to have men of vision looking beyond administrative routine to deal with the larger problems of the future. Intelligent town planning pays big dividends in human happiness, and saves vast sums for the taxpayer.

The provision of finance for necessary improvements is a problem in itself, but we should give careful consideration to a plan for the development of the Creston of the future, and work to that plan.

TAXPAYER.

OUR K.B.O. BROADCAST

Up to the middle of December Rossland reports 40 inches of snow.

1,188,865 boxes of the 1934 Okanagan apple crop still remains to be sold.

At Rossland the Gyro Club is operating a hotdog stand at the skating rink.

The Kootenaian says the kill of deer at Kaslo has been unusually light this season.

The Bonners bakery at Bonners Ferry has installed an electric bread slicing machine.

Patrons of tho Vernon creamery received about $15,000 for cream supplied in November,

Fernie Rotary Club will spend over $200 in buying Christmas turkeys for needy families in that town.

In future stores at Rossland are to close at 5.30 p.m. week nights, except Saturday, when they shut at 8 p.m.

Due to such a heavy crop this year southern Okanagan reports the outlook for a 1935 apricot crop as poor.

Of about 1,600,000 boxes of apples sold in Canada from the Okanagan, 974,000 boxes were shipped bulk.

Summerland reports the warmest November since 1917. For the month there was less than 42 hours of sunshine.

A covey of eight Hungarian partridges were seen near Kaslo last week. This is the first time these birds have been seen there.

1,635,469 boxes of the Okanagan apple crop have already been shipped export—practically all of them going to Great Britain.

Vernon creamery reports a bigger make of butter than in 1933. November sales of butter direct to retailers was the biggest on record.

The Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company will require 2500 turkeys to make its usual Christmas present to its married employees at Trail and Kimberley.

In the Okanagan it is estimated 17 per cent. of the McIntosh Red apple crop is still unsold. 5 per cent. of the Jonathans remain. 62 per cent. of the Romes are still to go out.

Yahk is sadly lacking in community spirit. Recently a meeting was called to get on with the building of a skating rink but the turnout was so small the undertaking has been abandoned.

Government Liquor Act

Notice Of Application For Beer Licence

NOTICE is hereby given that, on the 8th day of January next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a Licence in respect to premises being part of the building known as Little Davenport Hotel, situate on Fourth Street in Salmo, British Columbia, upon the lands described as Lots No. 13 and 14, Block No. 4, Map No. 622A, town of Salmo, being a subdivision of District Lots 206 and 206 A, Nelson Land Registration District, Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or by the bottle for consumption on the premises or elsewhere.

DATED this 8th Day of December, A.D. 1934.

ANDREW BEECHER CAMPBELL,
Applicant.

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Calona Champagne	26-oz.	$1.90
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Calona Italian Vermouth	26-oz.	1.25
Calona French Vermouth	26-oz.	1.25
Calona Clear (White Demi-Sec)	26-oz.	.50
	40-oz.	.75
Calona Red (Demi-Sec)	½ Gal.	1.45
Calona Italian (Very Dry)	Gal.	2.85

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A. P. YEO

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KITCHENER HOTEL

KITCHENER, B.C.

Here's Wishing You a Merry Christmas, and the best brands of Health, Happiness and Prosperity that are to be had throughout 1935.

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Wishing our Patrons A MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

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The season to express anew the Friendship and Good Wishes that we cherish for you the year through. Here's hoping that this will be the merriest of them all.

December Public School Report

Enrolment for Month is 244—Division 5 Has Largest Attendance—Division 1 Best Attended During Month.

Division 1—. Marriott, Principal.
Enrolment, 38.
Average attendance, 36.47.
Proficiency: Grade 8—Goldie Walker, Egon Hollm, Stanely Hendren, Grade 7—Kenneth Hester, Jack Hall, Thelma Lowther.
Perfect attendance—France Bourdon, Beryl Chappel, Ronal Cooper, Marguerite Grant, Kenneth Hester, Kostie Kerluke, Ethel Morrow, Evelyn Nastasi, Ruby Palmer, Eva Phillips, Ariel Schade, Goldie Walker, James Bourdon, Glenn Clark, Margaret Donaldson, Jack Hall, Egon Hollm, Phyllis Lowther, Helen McCreath, Irwin Nickel, Georgia Paulson, Norman Phillips, Robert Vigne, Donald Fowlie

Division 2—A. Robertson, teacher.
Enrolment, 41.
Average attendance, 37.13.
Proficiency: Grade 7—Alex. Campbell, Tommy Johnson, Steve Bullock. Grade 6—Esther Ostehdorf, Jessica Husband, Charlotte Wilks
Petfect attendance—Jack Bell, Linden Bell, George Carr, Barbara Cartwright, Edward Davis, Olga Hurack, Jessica Husband, Edna Hutts, Edward Hutts, Eric Jacks, Dorothy Klingensmith, Ellen Morabito, Ina Chappall, Esther Ostendorfi, Muriel Raymond, Clayton Sinclair, Bill Vigne, Bud Wightman, Charlotte Wilkes, Ardrey Weir, Lillian Wocknitz, Glenna Fowlie, Robert Weir.

Division 3—Miss Wade, teacher.
Enrolment, 37.
Average attendance, 34.107.
Proficieecy: Grade 4—Teddy Oliviet, Wilbur Argyle, Anna Kinkade.
Perfect attendance—Wilbur Argyle, George Bourdon, Harely Brady, Jean Bunt, Audrey Cooper, Bert Crosby, Helen Dzvigola, Kenneth French, Mary Gabelhie, Bertha Gardener, Carolyn Jones, Leslie Jones, Tony Joy, Anna Kinkade, Raymond Moore, Jimmy O'Neill, Jean Pridham, Willie Rodgers, Marion Staples, Arthur Sutcliffe, Donald Truscott, Pearl Wo knitz, Blanche York, Mary Imhoff, Clara Amatto, Eerl Walde.

Division 4—Miss Learmonth, teacher.
Enrolment, 42.
Average attendance, 36.4.
Proficiency: Grade 4b—Sadie Kirluke, Donald Andrews, Louise Klingensmith and Leslie Harris equal. Grade 3a—Ruby Biccum, Raymond Cooper, Gwen Moore and Kenneth Wocknitz equal.
Perfect attendance—Donald Andrews, Ruby Biccum, Russell Biccum, Raymond Cooper, Julius D'Zvigola, Leslie Harris, Ethel Hendren, Eunice Hughes, Norman Husband, Louis Klingensmi h, Billy Lewis, Bill MacDonald, Lewis Millin, Grace Moore, Harry Ostendorf, Anna Peltzer, Victor Peltzer, Rus ell Pridham, Dick Staple , Kenneth Weir.

Division 5—Miss Hobden, teacher.
Enrolment, 44.
Average attendance, 39.57.
Proficiency: Grade 8—Robert Ibbitson, Rose Knorr, Beth Leavitt. Grade 2—Laurel Keirn, Charlie Tompkins, Kathleen Joyce.
Perfect attendance—Rose Cellis, Victor Cellis, Edwin Dickins n, Fred Hurrack, Robert Ibbitson, Ena Jones, Eugene Joy, Kathleen Joyce, Laurel Keirn Erma Klien, Lyle Klingensmith, Rose Knorr, Beth Leavitt, Blair Leavitt, Alice Merritt, Henry Read, Gordon Rodgers, Jimmy Rodgers, Gloria Romano, Fiore Rota, Charlie Tompkins, Eileen Weston, Bert Wocknitz.

Divisiou 6—Miss Holmes, teacher.
Enrolment, 42.
Average attendance, 35.63.
Proficiency: Grade 1—Muriel Hughes, Betty Gilchrist and Dorothy Dickinson equal, Dorothy Boffey, Mary Biccum and Phyllis Wilks equal.
Perfect attendance—Bruce Arrowsmith Mary Biccum, Dorothy Boffey, Dorothy Dickinson, Gordon French, Mary Gardener, Muriel Hughes, Lloyd Ibbitson, Jennie Kinkade, Andy Leavitt, Allen Merritt, Bobby Patrick, Sylvester Schmidt, Robert Swan, David Timmons.

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Merry Christmas and a More Prosperous New Year

And to assure them of our appreciation of the business extended to us during the year now drawing to a close.

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We wish to thank our many friends and patrons and wish them a Merry Christmas and every success during the coming year.

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HOLIDAY GREETINGS

At this season we feel deeply grateful for the consideration you have so kindly extended to us, and take this opportunity of wishing you a Merry Christmas.

SINCERE WISHES TO EVERYONE
for a
MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY NEW YEAR

C. O. RODGERS

B. MORABITO
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In hearty appreciation of the Patronage which you have extended to me I wish you all HAPPINESS and HEALTH now, at Christmastide and throughout the coming NEW YEAR.

To All Our Members, Patrons & Friends . . . .

Best Wishes for a Joyous Christmas, and may 1935 be filled with Happiness and Prosperity for you and yours, is the Sincere Wish of the

Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange

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Wish All a
VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

A Happy Christmas
and a
Prosperous New Year
to everybody is the wish of
W. Donaldson

The Management and Staff
of
CECIL MOORE'S GARAGE

Wish You All a Very Merry Christmas

Local and Personal

FOR SALE—Marconi Rad o.—Mrs. McKelvey, Creston.

APPLES WANTED—Delicio s and Wagner, state price. R. B. McKeown, Fernie, B.C.

Miss M. Smith of the high school teaching staff is holidaying at her home in New Westminster.

FOR RENT—Four-room bungalow, located close to town. Apply E. F. Arrowsmith, Creston.

FOXES FOR SALE—Few pairs Silver Black Foxes. They show a profit. P. M. Wiitse, Creston.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Four rooms, good location. Apply Axel Anderson, Victoria Ave., Creston

Mrs F. P. Levirs left on Friday to spend the Christmas holiday weeks at her home in Vancouver.

Raymond Bevan, returned on Friday from a month's holiday with his sister, Mrs. Leitch, in Vancouver.

O. Sostad, vice-prinripal of the high school will spend the yuletide vacation st coast points. He left on Friday.

FOR SALE—Poll Hereford bull. Anxiety breeding, rising four years old. R. Stuart & Son (Alice Siding), Creston.

FOR SALE—Two-year old Jersey-Shorthorn heifer, due to freshen January 1st. $40 Mrs. R. Sinclair Smith, Creston.

Harold Beninger arrived on Saturday from Nelson to spend Christmas wi.h his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Beninger.

Misses Cecille and Evelyn Olivier arrived on Saturday to spend the Christmas holidays with their paaents, Dr. and Mrs. J Olivier.

Allan Speers, who is attending University School. Victoria, is here for the Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Speers.

Fred Payne left on Sunday for Cranbrook, where he will be employed as C.P R. fireman while other employees are taking a Ch istmas layoff.

FOR SALE—Premier Vaccum Cleaner with attachments, good as new. Also Electric Heater, nearly new, reasonably priced. Lynne Fashion Shoppe, Creston.

FOR SALE—20 acres land. all cleared. water and buildings, going cheap. Also cutter. two-wheel cart, democrat and some baled hay. E. Nouguier, Canyon.

Tom Crawford, a second year arts student at the Alberta University, Edmonton, arrived on Saturday for the yuletide holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crawford.

Art Couling, who is with the West Kootenay Power & Light Company construction crew at Ymir-Salmo, returned on Thursday and is expecting to remain for a couple of months when work will be resumed.

Remember the Christmas novelty dance Wednesday evening, 26th, under K K. Klub auspices at the community hall, Wynndel. Ness orchestra music, and admission. of 75 and 50 cents, supper included.

The French Canadian Pullings house-on-wheels, from Montreal to Vancouver, arrived in Creston on Thursday, en route for the coast city. The house on wheels was built by E. Dugette and Pierre Caron and left Montreal on June 23th. They have already covered. 3400 mi es and plan to reach Vancouve at the end of January. Their ultimate destinction is San Diego, Calif., from where they will walk back to Montreal, and will be on the road six years In the house are two beds, two chairs, Victrola, kitchenette set of dishes, light water tank, and coal oil stove. The house weighs 700 ponnds.

CHRIST CHURCH
REV. M. C. PERCIVAL, Minister.
CRESTON

SUNDAY, DEC. 30
CRESTON—8.30 a.m , Holy Communion 10.30 a.m., Sunday School.
7.30 p m . Evensong.
LISTER—11.00 a.m., Matins.
WYNNDEL—3 00 p.m., Evensong.

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Greetings

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Trinity Sunday School Concert

Quite the Best Entertainment of the Sort Ever Staged in Town —Orchestra Hearn to Advantage—Christmas Gifts Given

With the basement packed to the roof Trinity United Church Sunday School scholars performed to a very appreciative audience of parents and friends on Friday ight. The presence of the orchestra helped considerable with the musical end of things, with Mrs. Grant Jones, piano; Messrs. Imhoff, Fowlie, Moores and Phillips, playing trombone, clarinet and violins respectively; Miss Imhoff, euphonium, and Ray Truscott, Bass. With a couple of selections before the curtain the orchestra made quite a hit.

The opening chorus y the school, "The First Nowell," with Miss Ann Bale, accompanist, was well received The beginners and primary classes contributed many numbers. Notable among these were the recitations by Phyllis Wilks and Mary Boffey. The Rockaby chorus by little maids with their dolls was nicely done, followed by "Away in a Manger," by a mixed chorus.

Goldie Walker and Marguerite Grant gave "Rendezvous," assisted by a chorus of C G.I.T. classmates. This was the hit of the evening owing, largely, to considerable care and taste in costuming, stage setting and training, with Mrs. Walker operating the colored spotlight, and Mrs. W. Fraser at the piano.

Hazel Beam with her story of the killing of a bear carried a realistic touch to the audience. Eric Jacks with his recitation outlined a boy's troubles when dad monopolizes the toy train. Portraying a dear old chap Robert Weir gave another slant on juvenile anti-Christmas activities.

With Alf. Avery as the son of the house; Miss Edith Avery as the flapper; Mrs. Alf. Avery, as the much-in- ove elder daughter; and the widowed mother, a very attractive matron still, in Miss Margaret Armitage; big sisters beau, portrayed by Percy Truscott, whose masterful handling of a delicate situation straightened thing out. The visit of Santa Claus took place in the customary manner, with Richard Avery assisting in true Habitual style, distributing the presents to the Sunday School scholars. The intermission period was taken largely with the remarks of W. J. Truscott, chairman, who presented the aims, objects and needs of the Sunday school in general, stressing the attitude of the parents as the main help, and expressing the general regret of the enforced absence of the pastor, Rev. A. Walker, who is at present in hospital.

Attractive Musical Service

The Christmas Sunday services at the United Church were marked in a very pleasing manner by the choir of Trinity Church making the usual tour of the pastor, Rev. Walker, in his enforced absence, while a hospital patient, the exercises being entirely choral, led by W. J. Truscott, with Mrs. Walker speaking to the various congregations, a message of greet'ngs from the pastor.

The choir was augmented by th orchestra led by Victor Imhoff, trombone and clarinet; Mrs. Grant Jone , organist, Albert Moores, first violin; Bud Fowlie, clarinet; Virginia Imhoff, euphonium; Ray Truscott, bass, the numbers of which added considerably to the effectiveness of the music of the day in the accompaniments to the congregational carols and playing the offetory voluntary.

The programme of carols and anthems was introduced by the full ensemble in "Christians Awake," the spirited presentation of which was very pleasing. Following in close succession were the carols, "O Come all Ye Faithfull," "Joy to the World," and "Silent Night," interspersed with the anthems, "And There Were Shepherds," and "Great is the Lord." A solo, "The Holy City," was given by Fred Grant, whose visits to Creston are marked by his assisting with the church music. The scripture lessons were read by W. . Truscott.

While at Canyon the juvenile choir under the leadership of Miss Frances Knott and Mrs. Kolthammer, gave a very tuneful presentation of "Christmas Carols." This item was well received and we feel sure that this junior organ ization will be heard from in the future to the great pleasure of all listeners.

A pleasing feature of the day was a visit to the hospital by the choir and orchestra at which time Rev. A Walker was serenaded, much to his delight, with "Christians. Awake," and Silent Night," the latter item being feelingly introduced by the first violin, Albert Moores.

Death of J. P. Johnston

In the death of James P. Johnstos, who passed away at his home here on December 20th Creston has lost a re ident who saw the place develop from the coming of steel until the present, although not a permanent resident until about 1912. Deceas d followed the construction o Crows Nest line, being employed at B&B work out of Cranbrook commencing about 1:00 until he located in Creston as a contractor and, for a numder of years was in charge of government bridge work. He was a native of Mildmay, Ontario, and death ensued in his 63rd year, after a somewhat lengthy illness.

The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon from the Presbytesian Church, with interment in Creston cemetery. The pastor, Rev. A. O Thomson had charge of the services and the pallbearers were E. Repsomer, W. H Crawford, Al. Hendren, E. E Cartwright, D. Learmonth and T. Trevelyan. There was a large turnout to pay their last respects and the floral remembrances also bespoke the high esteem in which deceased was held.

The late Mr Johnston was united in marriage with Miss Mabel Piddington in 1915, the ceremony taking place at Christ Church, Creston, and in addition to his wife he is survived by one son, Jack, who have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends in their bereavement.

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Visiting br thren are reminded of the installation of officers of Creston Masonic Lodge on Thursday evening, which will be followed by the usual St. John's night banquet.

The death occurred on Saturday morning at Creston hospital of Fred Sorge, of West Creston, who has been a hospital patient since late in November. Deceased came here from the prairie in June, and is survived by a wife and two children. He was in his 47th year.

The Christmas mail out of Creston established a new and very high water mark. 70 sacks of mail were sent out from Creston on Wednesday. The in coming mail was also heavier than any previous season. 42 sacks were distributed on Friday for the biggest day's business.

About 50 members and guests of the United Young People's Society gathered at the Parish Hall Wednesday evening last, the occ sion being the annual Christmas party. The fun began with a few hands of court whist, the winners being announced as follows: High scores, Miss Doris Beninger and Tom Alton; consolati n prizewinners, Annie Bale and Carman Irving. Five members of the society then presented a one-act play, "The Telegram." Members of the cast were Mrs. J. A. Avery, Miss Edith Avery, Margaret Armitage, P R. Truscott and J. A. Avery. Dancing for a couple of hours, with music by Mrs. Jones, Virginia Imhoff' Vic. Imhoff, Ray Truscott, Alfred Moores, Don. Phillips and "Bud" Fowlie. A most enjoyable time was had, and the affair was voted the best yet.

Lister

The December report of Lister school shows an average attendance of 91 per cent in Division 1, according to the report just given out by the principal, Miss Curtis, with the following taking the high standings: Grade 9—Kirk Beard, Vernon Donaldson. Grade 7—Alice Wellspring, Margaret Dent. Grade 6—Margaret Sinclair, Milly Beard. Grade 5—Mary Daus, Danile Domke. Perfect attendance—Kirk Beard, Kitty Beard, Mary Daus, Margaret Dent, Daniel Domke, Martha Domke, Lorna Donaldson Vernon Donaldson, Wilma Donaldson, Jean Flynn, Erika Meyer, Eileen Pendry, Manning Powers, Margaret Sinclair, Hugo Sommerfeld, Herbert Stieb, Alice Wellspring.

In Division 2 the average attendance was 94 per cent., according to Miss Webster's report, with the following making the high standings: Grade 4—Stella Beard, Mary Millner. Grade 3—Dorothy Millner, Arthur Pendry. Grade 2—Doreen Beard and Freda Donaldson equal, Bernice Donaldson. Grade 1—Alfred Sommerfeld, Ernest Dent. Perfect attendance—Doreen Beard, Stella Beard, Harold Daus, Bernice Dent, rnest Dent, Mary Domke, Theodore Domke, Bernice Donaldson, Oscar Herman, Harry Herman, Gerhard Meyer, Dorothy Millner, Mary Millner, Arthur Sommerfeld, F ed Strelive, Nick Strelive, William Strelive, Theodore Kilgren, Marjorie Kilgren, Albert Kilgren Mildred Kilgren.

Erickson

The report of Erickson school for December shows an average attedance of 97.6 per cent. in Div sion 1, with the following taking high standings: Grade 8—Margaret Bundy, Yvonne Putnam, Lawrence Leadbetter. Grade 7—Aileen MacDonald, James Carr. Grade 6—Mildred Fraser, John Richardson. Grade 5—Helen Goodwin, George Goodwin, Norma Bundy.

In Division 2 the awards for proiency were awarded as follows Grade 4—Annie Tomolin, Tony Holder and Alice Healey equal. Grade 3—Joan Langston, Harold Beam. Grade 2—Hazel Botterill, Eddie Gatzki. Grade 1—Earl Tooze, Jack Goodwin.

Half a dozen of the Bonners Ferry unemployed will be employed for two months trapping predatory animals in that section this winter.

Unless a settlement can be made with holders of Fernie city bonds and the city's contributions to relief greatly lessened Fernie council may have to levy a 1935 tax rate of 100 mills.

THE SAME TO YOU AND MANY OF THEM

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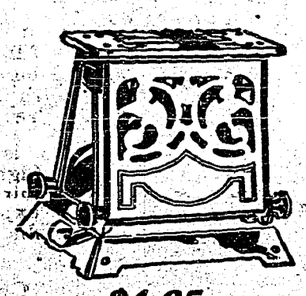

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Toasts evenly, two pieces at a time. Merely lowering the sides causes the toast to turn. A popular Christmas choice.

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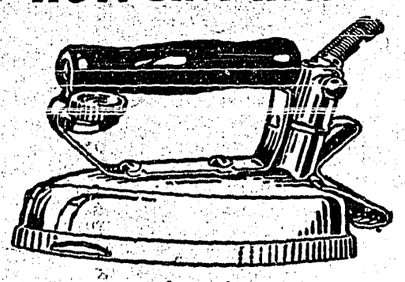

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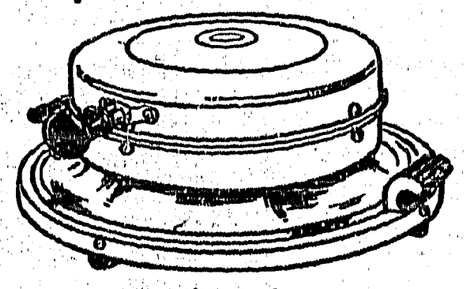

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This model gift makes crisp, golden brown waffles in the twinkling of an eye. Beautifully designed.

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DECORATIVE LIGHTS will make your home and Christmas Tree reflect a bright, cheery glow of the festive season.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The British house of lords are considering a government bill which would authorize the lending overseas of pictures represenative of British art now in the National gallery.

Leonard Walsh, 27, son of Stephen Walsh, former under-secretary of war in the first MacDonald (Labor) cabinet, was killed when he fell through the door of the Manchester express.

The Alberta provincial seed fair will be held in Edmonton on dates tentatively fixed as February 14 to 16, inclusive, it was decided at a meeting of the Alberta seed board in Calgary.

Opposition to the idea of equipping the League of Nations with armed forces was expressed at a meeting of the League of Nations union by Sir Austen Chamberlain, former foreign secretary.

Citizens of Rolling Fork, Miss., received an early Christmas present in 1934—being an announcement by Mayor Sam Rosenthal that 1935 will be the fourth consecutive year in which no taxes will be collected.

In the four months ending Nov. 30 last, a total of 13,585,720 bushels of wheat, barley, oats and rye was exported to the United States, compared with 2,477,109 bushels in the same period last year.

Italy's 93rd province, Littoria, reclaimed from the Pontine marshes, was inaugurated by Premier Benito Mussolini, with 150 marriages and a speech. The new province comprises 30 communities with a population of 13,000 inhabitants.

The king and queen for the first time have seen a boxing match on the stage, the occasion being the annual matinee in aid of King George's pension fund for actors, always one of the most brilliant events of the season.

The German cruiser Karlsrube will visit Canadian and United States ports during its forthcoming American cruise, it has been announced. The warship will visit San Francisco, March 10; Vancouver, March 15-21; Houston, Texas, April 24, and Charleston, S.C., May 10-20.

Little Journeys In Science

FERTILIZERS

(By Gordon H. Guest, M.A.)

Plants take carbon dioxide and a small quantity of oxygen from the air, but otherwise they depend largely on the soil for nourishment. Mineral matter and organic matter are the chief plant foods contained in the soil, and because they are being continually drawn upon by the growing plants, it is necessary that they be replaced from time to time.

This process is known as fertilizing the soil, and the three chief substances used are: Phosphates of calcium, nitrogeneous matter, and compounds of potassium.

The phosphates of calcium come chiefly from rock phosphates, 70% of which are composed of phosphates of calcium. These rocks are ground up and treated with sulphuric acid before being suitable to be used as fertilizers. Ground-up bone is another source of calcium phosphates, and in addition it contains nitrogen, giving it added value. However, the supply is not sufficient to meet the demand and so the rock phosphate remains the chief source of the product. "Slags" which appear in the production of steel are a further source of phosphates and are used for the soil.

The nitrogeneous matter is obtained from various chemicals containing nitrogen and from decomposed animal matter. Nitrogen is also put into the soil by the production of legume plants (alfalfa, beans and peas) which return nitrogen to the earth.

Potassium compounds are found in natural deposits in France and Germany, but are rare on this continent.

Most commercial fertilizers are a blend of these three substances, the proportions varying according to the needs of the soil, and the nature of the crop. Wheat and other cereal crops need a soil rich in phosphates, while potatoes require more potassium.

Agriculture And Weather

Dominion Meteorological Service Gives Data Daily And Monthly

The Dominion Meteorological Service is desirous of assisting agriculture, Dr. J. Patterson, of Toronto, Chief of the Service, told the Conference of Dominion Entomologists recently assembled at Ottawa. In his address he outlined the nature of the data his service compiles daily and monthly for the use of agriculture, navigation, airways and other national enterprises. Dr. Patterson emphasized the relation of weather forecasts to agriculture generally and particularly in regard to the study of insects and diseases affecting field crops. In the discussion that followed it was urged by several of the entomologists that the service of an agricultural meteorologist, who could devote all his time to the study of weather in its relation to agriculture was of paramount importance. Dr. Patterson agreed, and admitted that if the necessary funds could be provided he would be very pleased to have his service enlarged in this way.

FASHION FANCIES

SPRIGHTLY NEW! SIMPLE TO MAKE!

By Ellen Worth

Sort of dress that goes shopping in morning—to "bridge" in afternoon.

A dress like this is a happy model to help stretch your budget. It will answer so many "dates" for you carried out as the original in black pebbly crepe silk with white starched lace frill. Rhinestone buttons decorate the attractively cut belt.

It's also fascinatingly lovely in satin-back moire with self frill and in bright shade as ruby red, Kelly green, purple, etc., so smart 'neath your fur coat.

Wool crepe or velvet is still another choice.

Style No. 710 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18 years, 36, 38 and 40 inches bust. Size 16 requires 3⅓ yards of 39-inch material with ⅓ yard 35-inch contrasting for jabot and ½ yard 35-inch contrasting for vestee and trimming.

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Enclose 20c extra if you wish a copy of our Fall and Winter Fashion Magazine. Pattern and magazines are mailed post paid.

"How to Make Better Dresses" booklet, a helpful guide to sewing, is obtainable for 20c. Whether you are a beginner or quite adept with the needle, we think it would pay you to obtain a copy.

Water For Hay Fields

Dams to flood large flats for hay-growing purposes are being built by the Surprise Valley municipality in southern Saskatchewan. Farmers are allowed credit on relief for work done. It is hoped to provide water to give 1,000 extra tons of hay.

Young Wife—"Guess what I've cooked for your dinner."

Young Husband—"I'll try. Let me see it."

Italy's Record Still Stands

Wiley Post Failed To Reach Necessary Altitude

Wiley Post was informed by the bureau of standards that he failed to reach an altitude of 48,008.36 feet, necessary for setting a new world's altitude record, in his recent flight.

The record of Lieut. Renato Donati of Italy, 47,352.02 feet, still stands, the world flyer said. Post explained that according to the word he received from Washington he would have had to exceed the Italian airman's record by 200 metres to claim the record.

The bureau of standards, Post said, failed to inform him the exact height he reached.

Post said he undoubtedly would make another attempt at the record.

Must Register Stores

Irish Free State Is Trying To Protect Owners

All retailers in the Irish Free State will be compelled to register their places of business if the recommendations of the Free State Commission on Shops are adopted. The general registration of all stores is recommended to prevent the undue multiplication of retailers, to facilitate control in the public interest, and to protect the owners themselves. A feature of Irish retail trade is the Travelling Shop. These shops are motor vehicles which travel about the country bring to the farmhouses domestic requisites, and at the same time purchasing from farmers their eggs and butter. These shops pay no taxes and can select the places where custom is best, leaving to fixed places of business only the dullest days to make profits out of which rent, taxes, and wages have to be paid. Therefore the travelling shop, it is urged, should also be registered.

Science does not yet definitely know how the craters, planins, and mountains on the moon were formed.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

DECEMBER 30

TESTS OF A CHRISTIAN

Golden Text: Whosoever believeth that Jesus is the Christ is begotten of God: and whosoever loveth him that begat loveth him also that is begotten of him. 1 John 5:1.

Lesson: 1 John 5:1-12.

Devotional Reading: John 15:12-17.

Explanations And Comments

The Victory of Faith. verses 1-5. Faith in Jesus as the Christ is the sign of the birth from God; and every one who loves God loves the children of God. Love to God and love to the brethren go together. When we love God and do his commandments—when our love of God is genuine — then our love of our brethren is genuine also. Each—love to God and love to the children of God—is the test of the other. The keeping of God's commandments is the proof of love to God. And his commandments are not difficult.

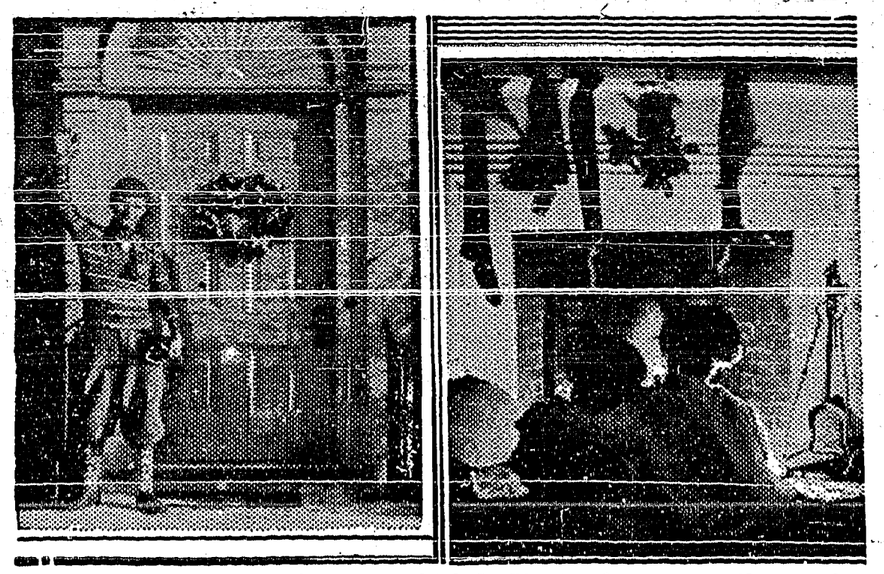
"This indispensable thing in religion is obedience. Some seem to think that the seat of religion is in the imagination. It is in their slight wholly æsthetical, the poetry of life. Others argue as if good and beneficent affections constituted virtue. Others, as if the whole duty of man was a round of ecclesiastical ceremonies. But, as Vinet writes: "Obedience alone constitutes moral good. It has not pleased God to be worshipped without being obeyed. Religion is always a law and a prohibition.' 'Walk', 'keep', 'do'. We have not to sound depths of mystery, but to do as we are bid." (W. L. Watkinson).

For whatsoever is begotten of God overcometh the world. The "world", as used by John, stands for all that is opposed to love. He who is born of God has within himself the power to win the victory over all selfishness, lawlessness, evil. What, then, is this being born of God? This is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith. And who is he that overcometh the world, but he that believeth that Jesus is the Christ?

"In the radical change that transforms one who has surrendered himself to Jesus Christ comes the implanting of faith, the faith which is not merely the mind's belief, but the handing over of the whole man in love and trust."

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

SNAPSHOOTING CHRISTMAS



Two typical Christmas shots. At the left, Big Brother starts off to try his new skates. Right, the youngsters are all set to grab Santa.

The only trouble with making pictures of Christmas doings is that the day goes so fast. Before we know it, chances for rare shots have come and gone—gone, some of them, never to return, next year or ever. For babies will grow up and friends will move away.

To do the job up brown, you'll probably need to call all of your snapshooting talent into play. For there'll be interiors as well as outdoor shots, daytime and night-time pictures, close-ups and long shots.

For example:

Holly wreaths at the door and in the windows. Shoot them from the outside, at night, with lights arranged to bring out their full importance. A time-exposure from the outside, shooting in through the window at the lighted room, will give you a fine silhouette of the wreath in the window. Ask one of the youngsters to stand very still at the window during the exposure; that will add the necessary "human interest".

Trimming the tree. This will probably be a long shot, taken from far enough away to show the whole tree and the busy decorators. In all likelihood, a photoflash-type bulb will be your best reliance for this one.

Hanging the stockings at the mantel. A photoflash or photoflood type lamp in the fireplace (the fire itself, we hope, being out) will illumine the figures of children as they hang up their hopeful stockings. Be sure that the direct rays of the light do not strike your camera's lens.

A close-up of the piled-up gifts, before the children—or the grown-ups, for that matter—attack them. This will be another photoflood picture. If there are no people in the picture, you can close down the aperture of your lens and give a longer exposure than usual—half a minute or so, depending on the amount of the light and its distance from the centre of the picture.

Then, of course, a picture of the beautiful confusion of present-opening time. Don't let the tidy housekeeper deter you from getting the scene as it actually is. The more littered, the better.

If there are children, get a snap of each surrounded with his gifts. And there's no reason why every other member of the family shouldn't have the same treatment. If Sister has a new wrist-watch, see to it that it shows very plainly.

If yours is a neighborhood where the folks make much of outside decorations, with illuminated trees and such, you'll find that time-exposures of a minute or so will give you excellent pictures of the various lawn displays. Here, as in practically all shots, a tripod will come in very handily.

And if carol singers come your way, get a shot of them busily carolling away. A photoflash type lamp, in a hand-battery holder, will make this shot easy.

No—you needn't spend the whole time with camera in hand. But a few, well-chosen snaps will be very much worth the few minutes they require. Far better to spend those few minutes than lose the fleeting, unique opportunities altogether. Right?

JOHN VAN GUILDER.

British Columbia Superlatives

By FRANK GIOLMA

The largest dry-dock in Canada is at Victoria, British Columbia. British Columbia is, per capita, the richest province in Canada. The largest hotel in British Columbia is the Empress in Victoria. Della Falls on Vancouver Island is the highest waterfall in Canada. The largest park in British Columbia is Strathcona on Vancouver Island. The largest astrophysical telescope is at Victoria, British Columbia. Mount Robson, the highest mountain in Canada, is in British Columbia. Victoria's trade is the largest per capita of any city in Canada.

British Columbia is the greatest producer of silver, lead and zinc in Canada. The largest smelter in the British Empire is at Tadanac, British Columbia. British Columbia's commercial fisheries are the greatest of any Canadian province. The oldest golf course on the Pacific coast is Macaulay at Victoria, British Columbia. The per capita purchasing power of British Columbians is the greatest of any province in Canada.

The province of British Columbia is the great producer of lumber and saw-mill products in Canada. The largest salmon caught in Canadian waters are taken off the coast of Vancouver Island, British Columbia. British Columbia has the largest per centage of taxpayers in proportion to population of any Canadian province. Victoria, British Columbia, has the mildest winter in Canada with an average daily winter temperature of 42 above zero. The greatest stand of timber in the British Empire is in British Columbia, more than half being on Vancouver Island. The largest indoor salt water swimming pool on the North American continent is at Victoria, British Columbia. Victoria, British Columbia, is the only city in Canada where golf is played on green courses every day in the year.

Beef On The Christmas Sideboard

Beef Provides A Welcome Variety To The Menu at Yule-tide

While turkey may be regarded as the piece de resistance of Christmas dinners in Canadian homes, it is not necessarily the only meat which can be provided. For example there is beef—graded beef. Probably no other food is more attractive to the appetite of man than a good piece of beef with its enticing aroma, its delicious flavour and its highly appetizing appearance. As roast or steak, or in some of the many varied forms in which it can be served, beef will provide a welcome variety during the Christmas festivities, and find a handy place on the sideboard or in reserve in the pantry or refrigerator.

But the popularity of beef has a much deeper foundation than simply its appeal to the palate. Recent experiments and research have shown that man's natural fondness for meat is based upon sound scientific grounds as a body builder and as an aid to digestion when eaten with cereals and vegetables. In no other country can better beef be found than in Canada. Beef graded under the supervision of the Dominion Department of Agricluture is guaranteed as to quality and wholesomeness, the "Choice", or red brand, representing the finest quality, and the "Good", a fine grade that carries the moderate amount of fat necessary to protect the beef in handling and cooking, and render it tender, juicy, and of good flavour. Over one hundred different recipes for cooking meat are given in the bulletin on beef and how to choose and cook it, issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture which also publishes a beef chart of the retail and wholesale beef cuts, and diagram of cutting.

New Idea In China

A new form of anti-Japanese activity has begun in Shanghai with the organization of the "National Soul Begging Corps." This novel organization consists of anti-Japanese workers who, instead of bombing shops or confiscating Japanese-made goods, go in groups to Chinese-owned shops dealing in Japanese goods, and then kneel down in the doorways and pray loudly for the shop owners to "Save the National Soul!"

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THE TENDERFOOT

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CHAPTER VII.—Continued

"You said not a word about it," said Crewe suspiciously.

"I had a reason. I believe a good one If I had come back and told what I saw, hell would have broken loose and no good could have come of it. I tell you, you've got to have the evidence printed out and bound in calf-skin to land that man Dustin where he be'ongs. I'm slowly gettin' that evidence, I hope. Let me alone. . . ."

"You workin' for the Cattlemen's Association?" demanded Crewe.

"Nope. I'm like that fightin' man that Sir Walter Scott wrote a book about—Henry of the Wynd. I'm fightin' for my own hand. Let me alone a bit, Crewe, and I'll come clean."

Crewe eyed him keenly.

"I'll do just that," he said. "You were talkin' about findin' two of Dustin's men up Red Water way. Tell me what you saw. . . ."

Stone told him at length and, when he told how he made Gray and Corse cut the mesquite branches and flog each other, old Crewe, who had a sense of humor, roared with laughter till he was helpless. Suddenly he stopped laughing, wiped his eyes and sat up.

"You'd have saved time an' trouble if you'd shot 'em right then," he said. "Of course you realize that it'll come to that. They'll lay for you in such a way that you'll have to do some shootin' in self-defense. . . . Only they'll make it look like it ain't self-defense Why didn't you make just one flog the other? Then it'd have been a mutual killin' bee?"

"I didn't think of it," said Stone frankly. "I was so damn eager to see Dustin's men punish each other that I didn't think of it. Think we'd better tell Mr. Carr?"

"No. . . ." Crewe shook his head. "We're in a bad enough mess as it stands. 'I'm manager. I'll handle it.' Carr would only go on the prod. He'd shoot Dustin, and whoever shoots Dustin it mustn't be Carr. We've got Edith to think of."

Stone realized in a flash that since he had come to the Hour-glass there had been few moments, sleeping or waking, in which he had not been thinking of Edith, but he could not say that to Frank Crewe. He nodded and rolled a cigarette thoughtfully.

"Let the other side do the talkin'," went on Crewe. "The man who talks most has got least excuse for what happens."

He rose, pocketed his pipe and strolled into the house, and Stone went off to the bunk-house where he was greeted with a shower of hot words. Lee, who had been sent to straigten up the stables, came back incensed.

"Your darned saddle was all over the place, Duro," he said. "I shifted it to another peg." He whispered something to Baines that made him look askance at Stone and presently a roar from the ranch-house brought him to the door. It was Crewe shouting for him.

"You, Stone," he shouted. "Mr. Carr wants to see you right away."

Stone stormed up the steps. Crewe met him with a grave face and motioned to a chair while old Carr fretted and fumed across the desk.

"Sit down, Stone. . . ." Carr eyed him balefully for a moment. Then: "I took you on my pay roll on trust," he said. "I didn't know a damned thing about you. I didn't ask for references. Look at this. . ."

He flung on the table the little red notebook that Stone had picked up after Corse and Gray had their set-to. Stone took it and examined it carefully. He knew it had been in his saddle-bags two hours before. It ought to be there now. But what did this coil mean about a notebook that didn't even belong to him? Carr went on and talked himself into wrath as men do.

"Lee shifted your saddle-bags to-night and that book fell out," he said. "Where'd you get it?"

"It belongs to old man Kane . . ." began Stone.

"I know that. I know, too, that Kane is being financed by Dustin of the Broken Spur. You can't carry water on both shoulders, Stone. If you run with Kane, you can't trail with us. What have you got to do with Dustin of the Broken Spur? Have you lied to me?"

"You see, Stone," said Crewe amicably, "we know old Kane. He's a harmless old desert rat who's been tryin' to make a livin' in the hills for twenty years. The only thing against him is that he's been mixed up with Dustin. If you're mixed up with Kane . . ."

"Wait a minute. I'll show you just how much I'm mixed up wtih Kane and Dustin." Stone thrust a hand into his pocket, pulled out an envelope and flung it before Carr. The old ranchman opened it and read and his eyes bulged.

"By God," he said sharply. "This letter is to me from my partner, Gerald Keene. . . . Where'd you get this?" he demanded sharply. "If you had this letter of introduction from my parnter, why didn't you give it to me before this?"

"It's a letter recommending me for a job," said Stone coolly. "I got the job so I didn't need the letter. If you'd refused me the job, I'd have given you the letter."

"We've been tryin' for a long time to find young Keene," said Carr. "We haven't been able to get his address. Can you give it to us?"

"Yes. I can tell you where to reach him. I will do better than that. I'll send him a wire that'll bring him here sure. In fact . . ."

Stone stopped short of disclosure. Something might yet turn up that would make that disclosure premature. Better wait till the very last. It could always be done. He felt, too, that Edith might feel that he was a spy in their camp. He turned to Crewe.

"I'd like it understood," he said. "I've talked more to you than I have to Mr. Carr or even to Miss Edith. I found that notebook up in Red Water canyon. I have never laid eyes on old man Kane and I don't know a thing about him. If he's a partner of Dustin, that damns him with me. You both know how I stand with Dustin. Mr. Crewe, if you'll ride in to Seco with me, we can send a telegram to Keene that'll put him on the job as soon as he can get here."

"Get the horses," said Carr shortly. "Crewe'll ride with you."

In ten minutes Stone was back with the horses and they took the trail at a gallop that ate up the miles. They came into Seco as the sun was dropping and during that ride Stone thought much but spoke little. It was time indeed, he felt, for him to take his own personality but . . . there was very little on which to base a charge against Dustin. Sam Dustin was known throughout the valley. Men, even those who did not like him, would rather espouse his cause than that of a stranger. Carr, by fencing Soda Springs, had alienated much of the affection he formerly commanded. No. Decidedly this was no time to drop his disguise. Let them think he was Duro Stone till Gerald Keene should come.

"It's a mighty poor day for any Hour-glass people to be in Seco, I'm thinkin'. . ." Crewe jerked a finger toward the Silver Dollar saloon, where Stone recognized some of the Broken Spur men. "It's pay day on the Broken Spur," said Crewe. "If you meet up with any of 'em you look to your shoein'. They'll make any excuse for a scrap. First we'll go to the telegraph office."

At the office Hoskins, the operator, grinned feebly as Stone wrote his message and slid it across the counter. That message simply said:

"Come at once. Your services needed."

"How long till you can report service on that wire?" he asked.

"In an hour if the party is at that address," said Hoskins

"Good. I'll be at the Silver Dollar saloon. I'll be sober, too." Stone grinned, pocketed his change and strode over toward the Silver Dollar with Crewe following him.

The Silver Dollar was the biggest and the worst-reputed in Seco and that night it was running full-blast. They thrust into the crowded barroom and realized at once that it was pay day, not only for the Broken Spur but for a half-dozen others of the ranches above the valley. Roulette wheels, chuck-a-luck and faro tables were running full-blast and a score of men lined up at the bar nodded greeting. At the far end of the bar Stone saw three men whom he knew as Broken Spur riders. Corse stood between two others and his eyes lit redly at sight of Stone. Behind Corse, Dustin stood toying with an empty glass. Neither man gave any sign of recognition and that itself was a warning to Stone. He glanced once at Dustin and then furtively scanned Corse in the big bar mirror. He could see how carefully Corse was studying him and listening to Dustin, who was speaking without moving his lips. Corse's little pig's-eyes focused on his "boss" and he was listening intently. Just behind him stood the faro table where the dealer in his high seat ruffled is cards, and Mary Wilson, who kept cases for him, studied the scene before her. From time to time her eyes swept the room but always came back to Corse and Dustin.

Mary was an innovation in Seco. For more than six months she had held her job, tending cases at that faro table for Holly, who owned the table and paid a ten per cent. commission to the house. She was more than merely pretty and no word of scandal had ever attached to her till Dustin picked her out as an object for his attentions. From that day tongues had been busy with her name till all Seco knew her as "Dustin's girl."

She resented it bitterly. Not openly, because she supported an old mother on her scanty earnings. She dared not quarrel with that job till a better one should offer and none would offer as long as she was at that faro table. Sam Dustin had got her talked about; Sam Dustin had, by his questionable attentions, made it impossible for her to get any other place and she hated him with the keen feelnig one can have in private but cannot show openly. She knew of Duro Stone by talk only. From time to time jokes, flung by the Broken Spur men, came to her and she wondered what the man was like. Then she heard about his trouble with Dustin and she almost loved him for it. Instinctively she knew the cause to be Edith. The moment she saw Dustin and Corse at one end of the bar and Stone and Crewe at the other she was sure trouble was at hand.

Her quick eyes caught a covert movement of Dustin's hand. She saw the eyes of both men focused on Stone and the unwinking stare with which Dustin regarded him. She knew what it meant and she meant to warn Stone, whom she knew not at all. A quick flip of her pretty hand sent a wooden counter of the faro game straight at Stone and it hit him on the hand. He glanced up. That counter, used to "copper" bets, could come from only one place. He looked at the case keeper. A quick backward nod of her pretty head toward Dustin and Corse won a nod of thanks from him and she sank back on her high stool with a little sigh of thanks. She had warned him at least.

But outwardly Stone gave no sign. Crewe, talking to Benton, a stockman from Amargo, saw nothing and Stone never depended on others for what he could do for himself. He relaxed every muscle and waited for what was to come with eyes fixed carelessly on the long mirror behind the bar. In that mirror he saw Dustin fumble under his left arm and hand something to Corse, who slipped a full hand into his coat-pocket and slouched forward to the bar, where Stone lounged across the edge.

Duro cast one covert glance at Corse and tilted the whisky bottle till his glass was brimful and stood toying with it. The next moment Corse stumbled up against him and deliberately drove an elbow into his ribs and thrust him aside. A man, seeing the intent in Corse's eyes, gave back with an oath. Corse meant to drive Stone to go for his gun. Corse would shoot and it would be a plain case of self-defense. But Stone did no such thing.

He reeled back from the vicious thrust that nearly caved in his ribs and the next moment the contents of that full glass, whisky so potent that it was said to "make a rabbit spit in a bull-dog's face," was flung into Corse's eyes. It burned like fire and it stopped him in his tracks. No man can go for his gun with his eyes full of liquid hell-fire. The next moment a steel-shod fist shot out and Corse went down across a cuspidor. He half-stumbled to his feet, swearing and wiping his eyes as Stone stepped across him and faced Dustin.

"Here. . . ." He "broke" the pistol that he had snatched from Corse, dropped the cartridges into his pocket and handed the empty gun to Dustin. "I saw you give it to him. Try it yourself next time. You're a damned dirty dog, Dustin. Next time we meet you look to your brandin'. . . ."

The next moment hell broke loose in the Silver Dollar.

For ten minutes, Dustin, clawing wildly for Stone's eyes, was rocketed about the place. For ten wild minutes the faro table spun down the room on two legs and settled on its side atop of two mild-mannered gentlemen who fired indiscriminately at the crowd from under it. For full eight minutes the bartender kept up a barrage of bottles to cover his own retreat. At the end of that time Crewe, who knew nothing of the initial cause of the "ruckus", drew Stone aside.

"Come on," he said. "Let's go. A pleasant time was had by all. I got a thumb 'most chewed offen me and I like to tore Holly's scalp lock loose. Apart from that nothin' much happened. What the hell hit you? I warned you that man Dustin would lay for you. . . ."

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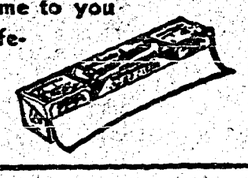

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Prisoners Demand Repairs

It's bad enough to have to be in any kind of jail, but life in a run-down one is too much to expect. That is what the inmates of the jail at Bida, Nigeria, told the district officer. They appeared before him in a body and declared that if the prison was not repaired they would not stay.

"Mamma," said a little boy, who had been sent to dry a towel before the fire, "is it done when it is brown?"

Little Helps For This Week

"But now saith the Lord that created thee O Jacob, and He that formed thee O Israel, Fear not for I have redeemed thee, I have called thee by thy name and thou are mine." Isaiah 43:2.

Thou are as much His care as if beside
Nor man nor angel lived in heaven or earth;
Thus sunbeams pour alike their glorious tide,
To light up worlds, or wake an insect's mirth.

God beholds thee individually, whoever thou art. He calls thee by thy name, knows and understands thee. He views thee in thy day of rejoicing and in thy day of sorrow. He interests Himself in all thy anxieties and in all the rising and falling of thy spirit. He compasses thee around and bears thee in His arms. Thou canst not shrink from pain more than He dislikes thy bearing it, and if He puts it on thee it is as thou wilt put it on thyself if thou art wise, for a greater good afterwards.—J. H. Newman.

Self-Rule For India

Motion Approved In British House By Large Majority

The British House of Commons adopted a motion approving the government's plans for a new constitution for India, involving self-government with safeguards. The motion for approval carried by an overwhelming majority, 410 to 127.

The motion approved the report of the joint select committee which investigated the Indian situation.

The commons first rejected a Labor amendment by a vote of 491 to 49. This amendment urged that the India bill should be based on the report of the Labor members of the joint select committee, in order to provide for eventual dominion status for India.

The next step will be introduction of the enacting legislation.

New Act Working Well

Extremely gratifying results are being obtained from the Farmers and Creditors Arrangement Act in every part of the country, according to Hon. Grote Stirling, minister of national defence. Before he left Ottawa, Mr. Stirling told an audience at Calgary, he had seen 3,000 agreements sent in by official receivers for approval. Of these, he added, 300 had been accepted and awaited only final acceptance in Ottawa.

Planting trees is regarded as a recognized way of attracting rainfall. Another good plan is to wash the car.

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Local and Personal

S. G. Clark and so , Glenn, are spending Christmas at their home in Wycliffe.

It looks like a white Christmas. There was a two inch all of snow Monday morning.

Mrs. R. B. McKay of Corbin is here for Christmas, a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Christie.

FOR SALE—Set single horse bobsleighs, good as new, shafts included, $20 cash. Bert Young, Erickson.

244 pupils were in attendance at Creston public school for December, as compared with 247 in November.

Col. and Mrs. Mallandaine are Christmas visitors with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Irvine, at Fernie, leaving on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Belanger of Jaffray are here for Christmas with the latter's parents, Mre. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson.

Mis Edith Truscott of Blackfoot, Sask., is here for a Christmas visit, with her brothers, W. J. and P. R. Truscott

Art Nichols, who is at business college, Nelson, is home for Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reid of South Slocan, arrived on Sunday to spend Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Schade.

Rember Wednesday, 26th—Boxing Day—is a public holiday. The general delivery wicket at the postoffice will be open from 10 to 11 a.m.

Miss Hazel Hobden, teacher in Division 5 at the public school, is spending Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Sam Whittaker, at Cranbrook.

Jim Cherrington, who is attending Alberta University, Edmonton, arrived on Saturday for the yuletide vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Cherrington.

The community sale conducted by auctioneer J. W. Harvey on Saturday afternoon, was well attended, and a considerable quantity of articles were disposed of.

Creston Valley Post Canadian Legion report a very satisfactory sale of raffle tickets to secure funds for their Christmas hampers supplies. The holders of the lucky tickets were Carcass of pork, Godfrey Vigne; half carcass of muttons, J. T. Oakely and Bud Lowther; turkey, Doug. Putnam. Mr. Oakely very kindly donated his supply of mutton back to the Legion and it was used to good advantage in the hampers.

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