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30 Pupils Write Entrance Exams.

Write at Four Valley Centres—Many Pass on Recommeudation—Two Creston Students Hope Qualify for Medal.

Entrance to high school written examinations are in full swing at four centres in the Creston valley commencing on Wednesday, and due to terminate at noon Friday. A total of 30 pupils are taking the written tests, while more than a number have been passed on recommendation. In this latter respect Principal Marriott of Creston has maintained his usual high standard, 20 of his Grade 8 pupils passing on recommendation and five are writing, along with Goldie Walker and Egon Hollm, who are taking the written examination hoping to annex the silver medal for highest marks in the East Kootenay inspectorate.

Thirteen students are writting at Creston, with Miss Hazel Hobden as supervisor. They are: Kitchener—Helen Oja, Leonard Bohan, Robert Johnson. Erickson—Margaret Bale, Stewart Currie, Marion Healey, Leona Heric. Olive Speaker. Creston—Evelyn Nastasi. Eva Phillips, Edith Johnston, Donald Fowlie, Louise Parry.

Principal Page of Alice Siding school is in charge of those writing at Wynndel centre. They are Elmer Hagen, Lillian Johnson, Gordon Martell, Winnie Moon, Jennie Pearson, Oswald Uri, Ronald Wall.

Miss Frances Knott is taking charge of those writing at Canyon They are Albert Bothamley, Joyce Clayton, Pearl Gillespie, Annie Huckluk, Harry Nelson.

At Lister those writing are in charge of of Miss Webster. They are Kitty Beard, Martha Domko, Vernon Donaldson, Raymond McKee, Manning Powers. Huscroft—Mary Ross.

The Review has not yet received a list of those passed on recommendation at the different schools, but at Camp Lister Miss Curtis has her usual splendid showing with three, and Principal Cobus ha graduated four without writing.

In connection with the high school departmental examinations seven Grade 12 students from Creston high are writing, with Miss Wade as supervisor. They are Ethel Sutcliffe, Eleanor Spratt, Doris Crosby, Charles Taylor, Harold McLaren, Clifford York and Agnes Cr ne.

Wynndel

Birth—At Creston hospital June 20th, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Gregory, a son.

Mrs. Franklin, who has been living at the coast, returned home on Sunday

C. Payette, who is employed at Nelson, spent the weekend with his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawson of Alberta are visiting with the latter's mother, Mrs. E. Williams.

Mrs. P. Andestad, who has been a patient at Creston hospital, returned home on Sunday.

Mrs. Monrad Wigen left at the end of the week on a visit with friends at Trail and Nelson.

Miss L. Reimer of Nelson and Miss Wall of LaFrance are here for the strawberry harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Apponen and daughter, Jeanette, of Corbin, were visitors with the former's brother, Gus. Apponen, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Sappala.

Miss Dorothy Payette, of Vancouver, is spending a month's vacation at her home at Wynndel.

Miss O. Hagen, who has been visiting at prairie points for the past month, returned home last week.

For the past few days the weather has been favorable for the strawberries, and they are coming along steadily

Mrs. B Murgatroyd and daughter, peggy, arrived this week on a visit with the former's father, John Bathie.

Wynndel Co-Operative Fruit Growers Association loaded out the first straight carload of strawberries on Monday.

Seven candidates from here are writing at the entrance to high school examinations being held at Wynndel, with Principal Page of Alice Siding presiding. Those writing are Elmer Hagen, Lillian Johnson, Gordon Martell, Winnie Moon, Jennie Pearson, Oswald Uri and Ronald Wall.

The basketball club are having a dance at the community hall tonight, with an admission of 50 cents to ladies and gents, which includes supper. Music will be provided by the Serenaders orchestra. The turnout should be large as the club needs the funds to wipe off debts incurred last season.

The June meeting of the Women's Institute was held at the church on Thursday last with a small turnout due the berry season being under way. Minutes of May meeting, and financial statement, were read and adopted. Instructions were given for the purchase of a five-quart ice cream freezer. The matter of adult education was left over till the next regular meeting when the attendance will be larger. It was decided to ask the department for a judge for fruit and flowers at the fall fair. An electric toaster, donated by West Kootenay Power & Light Company, Limited, will be raffled during the berry season. Dr. Helen G. Stewart was present and gave a talk on the junior library scheme, Her talk was a practical one and the proposition was approved by members present. A vote of thanks was given the speaker. Tea hostesses were Mrs. J. G. Abbott, Mrs. Packman, Mrs. P. Hagen, and Mrs. Hindley. There will be no July meeting.

Kitchener

Mr. Garnet, R.C.M.P., and Mrs. Garnet, of Kingsgate, were visitors here last week.

Allan Verch of Yahk was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hunt.

Jackie Cavanaugh of Kimberley, is on a visit with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson.

Albert Hanson of Spokane has arrived on business in connection with the Sullivan mine syndicate.

Kitchener baseball nine played Huscroft at Huscroft on Sunday afternoon, Kitchener winning 10-6.

Mr. and Mrs C. Taplin of Canyon spent the weekend at the home of their daughter, Mrs. F. Molander.

John Renzie spent the weekend at Creston on a visit with his wife, who is a patient at Creston hospital.

C. McDougall, a mining engineer, of Forte Steele, was here looking over the Sullivan mine on Wednesday last.

Mrs. B. Johnson who has been on a month's visit at Spokane, with friends and relatives, arrived home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Bowness and Miss Edith Nelson of Cranbrook were Sunday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Nelson.

Chas. Nelson was a visitor with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Art. Bowness, Cranbrook, at the weekend.

Miss Jessie White was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson a few days last week, returning to Erickson on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Molander and son, Richard; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simpson and son, Keith, were Lumberton and Cranbrook visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson and son, Robert, with Jackie Cavanaugh and Mrs. A. Lepage and daughter, Louise, were visitors at Moyie on Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Algot Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Driffil returned to their home last week. Mrs. Driffil has spent three weeks visiting at Fort William, Ontario, where Mr. Driffil has been employed as C.P.R. tie inspector for the past five months He is to be employed at Canal Flats in future.

Miss Jean McCreath, principal of Kitchener school, has three pupils at Creston this week writing on the entrance examinations. They are Helen Oja, who will stay at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. McCreath; Leonard Bohan, who will be with Mrs. Fransen, and Robert Johnson, who is with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McClaren.

Wynndel Ships First Car Berries

Went Out June 24th—Two Since that Date Rolled—Berries are Coming Rather Slowly—Creston Name Stewart, Manager.

From all four shipping houses in the valley comes the qui e unanimous report that strawberries are not coming in quite as rapidly as might be expected. The fruit is on the vine and is sizing satisfactorily but for some reason the ripening process is slower than normal. From present appearances the season will be longer than ordinarily, with raspberries coming in before the strawberries are through. Wynndel shipped its first carload out on Monday.

Creston Products, Limited, are now squared away for the season's activities. At a shareholders meeting on Monday night at which F. H. Jackson presided, officers were e ected for 1935, as follows: President, F. H. Jackson; with W. Keirn, P. R. Truscott, Frank Celli and W. J. Avery completing the board. R. H. Stewart was named manager and secretary-treasurer of the company. A start on the new warehouse has been slightly delayed but it is expected construction will be under way next week. Manager Stewart is handling shipping at present from Erickson. He reports a considerable movement in strawberries, which are in good demand at a satisfactory price.

Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange report short supplies in strawberries all week. The pre cooler will be put in operation to-morrow to take care of berries at the weekend, due Monday being a holiday. Work commenced at the middle of the week on the excavation for the foundation of their 50 x 50 foot two story addition, the contract for which has been taken by Geo. Hendren.

Long, Allan & Long, Limited, have been short all week on berries. From all their growers supplies have been uniform but on the light side considering the season is in its second week. They report a fair demand for gooseberries, and look for berry prices to at least hold their own, if not strengthen slightly as coast berries are now past their peak.

With the first car of berries rolling on Monday, Wynndel is approaching its busy season Berries are not coming as fast as would be expected, mainly, it is believed, due to cool weather and none too much sunshine. Van San growers have been shipping regularly but the British Sovereign is just coming in. Tuesday was the big day with movement of 1087 crates by car to prairie centres. Wynndel growers say it is difficult to say when the peak will be reached as climatic conditions are too variable at present. A neat compliment was paid Wynndel brries on Tuesday evening. A prairie wholesaler telephoned the Co Op. Fruit Growers at that point asking for 190 crates of strawberries. As there was no surplus that day the Co-Op. offered to get in touch with Creston shippers to see that the order was filled, if possible. But this plan did not meet with the approval of the wholesaler who declined to buy on that basis as previous experience with Creston berries had not been satisfactory in the matter of quality.

Boswell

Strawberries and gooseberries are being shipped to the jam factory. The price is five cents a pound.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Hepher had as their guests at the weekend, Mrs. Jack Annable and Miss Jean Robertson of Nelson.

Mosquitoes are noticeable by their absence this year. The sloughs in this section received several coats of oil in the spring.

Miss Gertrude Miers, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Miers, has returned to duty at Fernie General hospital.

C. Bebbington, L. Jakeman and Misses W. Bebbington, P. Johnstone, and D. Tedford attended the dance at Wynndel on Friday evening.

Fishing has been good the past week. Some large catches have been reported, quite a large number of good sized shad being amongst the catches.

The storm that caused havoc at Nelson on Saturday night spent its force before reaching the main lake. Although it was windy, it was not exceptional.

The first strawberries were picked at the weekend. A larger acreage than formerly will be yielding, and judging by the first picking a good crop may be looked for.

Rev. McKettrick of Toronto, Ontario; took the evening service at Boswell on Sunday. He is in charge of the parish, in the absence of Rev. Clyde Harvey who is holidaying in England.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allan were at home on Sunday afternoon to members Creston Masonic Lodge and their lady friends. About 70 attended and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent by all.

H. W. Herridge, C.C.F. candididate for Kootenay West addressed a well attended meeting in the memorial hall on Wednesday last. The following day, in company with F. Frisby of South Slocan, a visit was paid to local constituents.

The funeral of Alex. Mackie, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Mackie of Boswell, took place to Trail cemetery on June 18 th. He is survived by a widow and three children. Mr. and Mrs. A. Mackie and William have returned home after attending the funeral at Trail.

During the stay of the Nelson concert party at Boswell, Mrs. Marsden and Mrs. Couch were guests of Mr. and Mrs. K. Wallace, Mrs. Crosley and Miss Horstead were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Hepher; Miss MacFarlane stayed with Mr. and Mrs. C. Bebbington; Gloria Stone and Miss Graham were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Cummings: Mrs. Thain stopped with Mr. and Mrs. D. V. West.

On Thursday the Nelson concert party provided an enjoyable evening's entertainment at the Memorial hall. Solos, duetts and trios by the following artists: Mesdames Thain, Marsden, A. Crosley and Couch, and Miss L. Horstead, were repeatedly encored. The classical and tap dancing and recitations by Gloria Stone were much appreciated. Humorous recitations of Mae MacFarlane kept the audience in laughter for some time. Margaret Graham was accompanist and also gave two solos that received much applaus. Refreshments were served and there was a short period of dancing, Miss Graham supplying the music. A large number from the surrounding district attended and much favorable comment was heard on the evening's entertainment.

Sirdar

Charles Wilson is spending a few days in Nelson on business.

Mrs. Bradley of Cranbrook is here, a guest of T. Rogers and family.

Joe Lombardo of Cranbrook and Hugh Woods were motor visitors to Sirdar.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martello were Creston visitors at the end of the week.

Mrs. Bradley, jr., and Mrs. Brown of Cranbrook are visitors to Sirdar this week.

Frank Hamilton of Kootenay Landing was a business visitor to Creston the middle of the week.

J. S. Wilson has just completed the installation of a new two ton derrick at the Quarry at Atbara.

Fishing has been indifferent the past week as there are only occassional times the fish will take the bait.

Several truck loads of Doukhobor berry pickers passed through here this week for the Wynndel area.

A. H. Piggot of Wynndel, tie inspector for the C.P.P., was a business visitor to Atbara several days this week.

Chas. Moore, government road engineer, Creston, was engaged this week in laying out new work up the lake.

George Sukeroff, who is running the tie making outfit, is at present on a business trip in the Lardeau district.

It is learned that George Cam, who has not been so well lately, has had to enter Nelson hospital for treatment.

Ten cars from here were engaged in taking those who attended the funeral of Mrs. T. Rogers at Creston, Tuesday last.

Section crews are laying new ties between Sirdar and the Landing and generally bringing the line into good shape.

Miss Matilda Rohac of Tye spent a few days at the home of her father during the week returning at the weekend.

Charles Neil of Kuskanook, who recently underwent an operation in Cranbrook hospital, is reported as not feeling so well.

George Cady of the Schaefer-Hitchcock lumber Company, Nelson, was a business visitor to Atbara at the first of the week.

Lily Cam and Miss Woodward, who has been a guest of the former for a few days, left on Saturday morning's train for Nelson.

Ranchers report the various fruit crops to be coming along in fine shape with ample moisture in the ground. Strawberry picking is under way.

Work is going ahead at the Cultus Creek end of the Bayonne mine and quite a large crew is engaged in the various work under construction.

Daisy Rogers, who is an inmate of the St. Eugene hospital, Cranbrook, where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis is coming along nicely.

The water as indicated by guage at Slough bridge reads 16.30 a fall of .51 for the week. The run off is now pronounced and the high south west winds of the weekend has been an aid in this respect.

A new sawmill outfit is reported to be arranging to start operations at Crawford Bay where a stand of timber has been secured. Cecil Moore of Creston will be in charge of operations.

Tie loading operations are going ahead at Atbara. Two trucks are engaged in hauling from Goat Creek to the siding. Some extra large crossing ties are to be loaded for which a truck with trailer will be used to haul.

Legion Auxiliary Elects Officers

Mrs. W. V. Jackson Re-Elected President—Reports Show Increased Membership, Now 24—Satisfactory Year Financially

The annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Creston Valley Post Canadian Legion was held on Tuesday evening. The president, Mrs. W. V. Jackson, presided, and 21 members were present.

The correspondence included minutes of the provincial executive meeting at Vancouver, which will be taken up at the next meeting. The treasurer's report showed a bank account of $23, and was adopted as submitted. Secretary submitted the yearly report reviewing the 12 months' activities in brief. It was decided to hold meetings in July and August, and thus keeping interest alive.

C. Moore addressed the meeting, asking for co-operation from the ladies at the informal opening of the new Legion hall. The auxiliary was unanimous in helping in every way possible to make the evening a success.

Mrs. K. Knott turned in a donation from the tea held at Bide-a-Wee cabins on June 5th. The proceeds of the affair were divided between the auxiliary and Erickson Ladies auxiliary. A vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Knott.

In the election of officers most of those of last year were returned for another year, as follows:

President—Mrs. W. V. Jackson.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. G. Vigne.
2nd Vice-President—Mrs. John Bird.
Secretary—Mrs. J. E Johnston.
Treasurer—Mrs. R. Watson.
Executive—Mrs D. Ross, Mrs. C. Lowther, Mrs. W. Ferguson, Mrs. W. Cartwright, Mrs. E. Gardinar

The review of 1934-35 showed twelve regular meetings and one session of the executive, with better than average attendances. Four new members joined during the year, bringing the membership up to 24. The ladies assisted the Legion at the Armistice dance, taking over the supper arrangements. The auxiliary also handled the sale of poppies and wreatns.

Co-operation was extended at the Legion picnic in July. The auxiliary had a visit from Mrs. McDonald, provincial president of B.C. auxiliaries, who spoke on the objects of the auxiliary. There was a committee working on the king's Silver Jubilee celebration, and were successful in backing the winner of the jubilee queen popularity contest, Miss Kate Payne.

A card party and dance was held at Canyon in the winter, and a tea at Mrs K. Knott's in early June. The president thanked the members for their support and expressed the pleasure it gave her to work for the auxiliary the past year, and hoped the interest would be maintained throughout the year just starting.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. F. Putnam, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. Lowther and Mrs. M. Young.

AFTERNOON

Lawn Tea

Under the auspices of Creston and District Women's Institute, at

Mrs C. F. Hayes' Residence
CRESTON

on

SAT., JULY 6th

3.00 to 5.30 p.m.

AFTERNOON TEA

Sale of Home Cooking

EVERYBODY WELCOME!

EVENING

Lawn Social

Under the auspices of Erickson Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary at

Mrs. F. Putnam's Residence
ERICKSON

on

WED., JULY 10

6.30 p.m.

Strawberries and Cream
Hot Dogs. TEA
Dancing on the Lawn

CRESTON BAND in attendance

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The motor car age is finding its old competitor still going strong in Conway, Missouri. Thirty hitching posts are being erected in the business district to accommodate those who still drive horses.

A paper circle, two inches in diameter and cut from a plain playing card, is expected to fetch nearly $15,000. The card bears on its back a miniature portrait painted by Holbein the Younger during the reign of Henry VIII.

Evangeline Booth, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, said she will visit Canada and the west coast of the United States next September. The visit will be part of the army's "two years—two million souls campaign".

Preparation of motion picture films to be used for educational purposes in small towns and rural communities in the fight against fire hazards was discussed at a meeting of the Canadian Association of Fire Marshals in Ottawa.

All weather highway between Edmonton and Jasper, and gravelling work on the trans-Canada road between Calgary and Banff will be completed this year, acting Premier George Hoadley announced at Edmonton.

A government bill empowering the finance minister to float loans to a maximum of $750,000,000 was passed by the House of Commons. It was expected the government would enter the money market on a refunding program when it was favorable this fall.

A drop of more than $3,000,000 was shown in the total deposits of the Bank of Canada during the week ended June 12, according to the Bank of Canada statement recently issued. The reserve in United States funds for the same period declined by more than $2,225,000.

Seven-year-old Mickey Teahan of Richmond, Ont., weighs 50 pounds, and when he hooked a 48-pound muskallonge in the Ottawa river near Lake Deschenes he was almost pulled into the river. Mickey's father came to his rescue and the muskie was landed.

One Way To Save Money

Cash Register Drawer Sticks And Reveals $291 Deposit

Lawson McKague, general merchant, of Viceroy, Sask., is richer by $291. He has been putting small change into a savings bank but didn't know it.

The drawer on the cash register in his store had been balky for several weeks. It hadn't closed as it should when it was pushed shut. A short time ago a Regina traveller dropped in and offered to repair the machine. The traveller finally got the drawer open and 500 or more dimes tinkled to the floor. Further investigation revealed the register was so bunged with silver the drawer couldn't close. Several customers in the store helped him gather it up. When counted it totalled $291, mostly dimes, some nickles and a dollar bill, weighing 14 pounds in all.

The silver had slipped through a crack in the back of the till. The storekeeper had often found dimes and nickles and dollar bills but didn't know the till was "leaking." The silver had accumulated over the past ten years.

First Camp Fire Word

Scientists Discover Primitive Chinese Chose Redbud Tree

When Peking Man, earliest known human of China, chopped wood for his campfire 100,000 years ago, he chose a red bud or Judas-tree, according to botanists of the Geological Society of China after training microscopes on remains of the oldest known fire laid by human hands.

Cross-sections of bits of charred wood from Peking Man's hearth are identified by their structure as a new species of Cersis. This tree would be a redbud, akin to modern redbuds that flower with purplish-red blossoms in the spring in America and the Orient.

World Needs Peace Assurance

President Roosevelt Says Mutual Understanding And Regard Is Needed

Greatest current need of the world is "the assurance of peace—an assurance based on mutual understanding and mutual regard," President Roosevelt asserted before the graduating class of the United States military academy. "We maintain an army to promote tranquility,' the president said, "and to secure us from aggression, but it is so created and so modest in proportion as to furnish proof no threat or menace to the rights of others is even remotely intended."

London's Transport System

To Spend $170,000,000 In Five-Year Program

Thirty-five million pounds — approximately $170,000,000 — will be spent in a five-year program for the improvement and extension of London's transport system. The necessary loans will be backed by government guarantee.

The program involves the building of 12 miles of new subways, the electrafication of 44 miles of suburban railway, the double-tracking and electricfication of about 12½ miles of other suburban lines, and the substitution of "trolly buses" for street cars on 148 route miles.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

COCOA BREAD PUDDING

1⅓ cups (1 can) sweetened condensed milk
3 cups hot water
3 cups finely diced bread or sifted soft bread crumbs
⅓ cup cocoa
2 eggs
1 tablespoon melted butter
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla

Blend sweetened condensed milk with hot water; pour over dried bread or crumbs which have been thoroughly mixed with cocoa and let stand until cool. Stir in eggs, lightly-beaten, melted butter, salt and vanilla. Pour into baking dish, set in pan of hot water. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) forty-five minutes. Serve with plain cream or fruit sauce. Serves eight.

SAUSAGE STUFFED BAKED APPLES

1 pound pork sausage
4 cooking apples
1 cup sugar
1 tablespoon butter

Pare the apples and remove the centres. Stuff with pork sausage. Place in a baking dish. Sprinkle with sugar and dot with butter. Add 1 cup water, cover and bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.).

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JUNE 30

LIBERTY UNDER LAW

Golden text: It is good not to eat flesh, nor to drink wine, nor to do anything whereby thy brother stumbleth. Romans 14:21.

Lessons: Romans 14:13-21. I. Corinthians 8:9-13.

Devotional reading: Galatians 5: 16-24.

Explanations And Comments

Our Responsibility for Our Brother, Romans 14:13. "But thou, why dost thou judge thy brother?" questions Paul in the preceding verses "or thou again, Why dost thou set at nought thy brother? For we must all stand before the judgment seat of God."

"I may feel at perfect liberty to drink wine. Had I only myself to consider, and knowing that my temptation does not lie that way, I might use wine regularly or as often as I felt disposed to enjoy a needed stimulant. I may feel quite convinced in my own mind that morally I am not one whit the worse for doing so. But I cannot determine whether I am to indulge myself or not without considering the effect my conduct will have on others. There may be among my friends some who know that their temptation does lie that way, and whose conscience bids them altogether refrain. If by my example such persons are encouraged to silence the voice of their own conscience, then I incur the incalculable guilt of helping to destroy a brother for whom Christ died." (Marcus Dods).

The Important and the Unimportant, verses 17-19. For the Kingdom of God, the reign of Christ over men, is not eating and drinking; the important matters are righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit —through his indwelling.

"Religion is love and joy and peace in the Holy Ghost; the cheerfulest thing in the world; it is inconsistent with morosenses, sourness, and with what is not according to the gentleness of Christ Jesus." (John Wesley).

He who serves Christ in this way is pleasing to God and man. So then let us pursue things that make for peace, and things whereby we may improve one another, that is, let us consider what effect upon others our conduct will have.

For Better Understanding

Will Examine Relationship Between Canada And U.S.

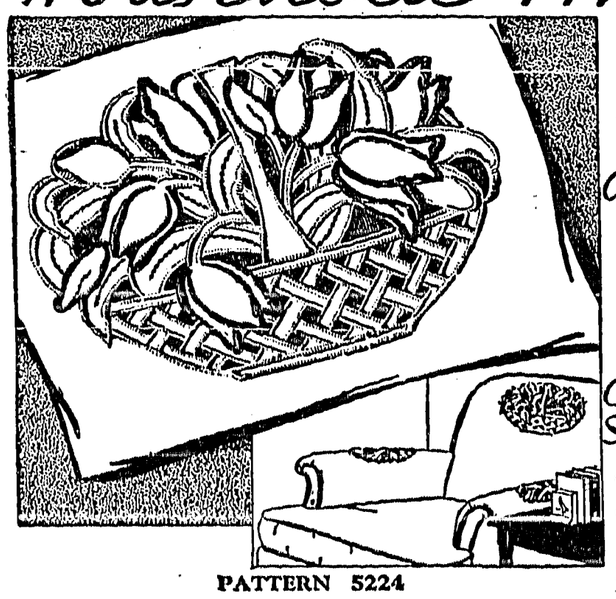
An educational laboratory for examination of the relationship between Canada and the United States was set up at St. Lawrence University. Into it will walk 50 or more prominent Canadians and Americans with the announced intention of seeking common factors for understanding and friendship.

Sponsored by the Carnegie Endowment for Internatoinal Peace, St. Lawrence University and Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., the laboratory will be known simply as "the conference on American-Canadian affairs."

The conferees figuratively will take apart the international mechanism that runs Canadian-American affairs and put it together again.

Household Arts

by Alice Brooks



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PATTERN 5224

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In pattern 5224 you will find a transfer pattern of the basket 10 x 14 inches and one and one reverse of the small pieces 6 x 10 inches; complete instructions for doing cutwork; illustrations of all stitches needed and material requirements.

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There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

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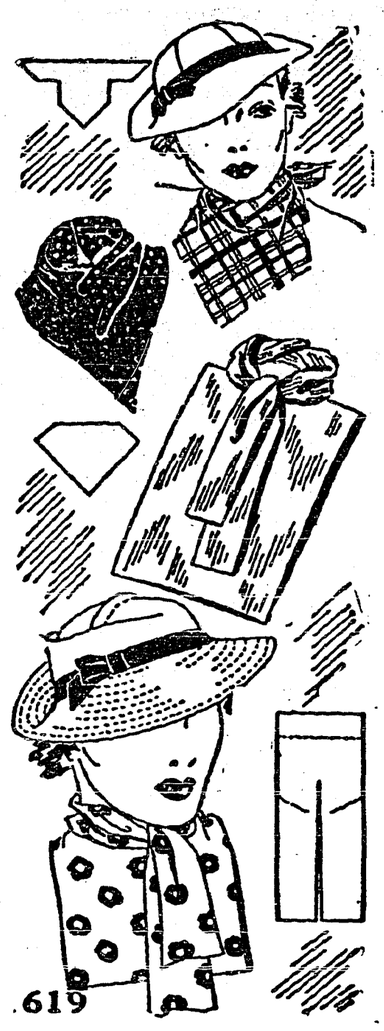

ACCESSORIES TO ACCOMPANY SIMPLE FROCKS

By Ellen Worth

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Lobster Production

Canada Provides Nearly The Whole Of The World's Supply Of The Canned Product

Off the coast of Canada's Atlantic provinces the world's greatest lobster-producing area is located, and every year more than 300 canneries draw from these resources the raw material from which they produce one of the tastiest of sea foods. In recent years an increasing part of the Canadian catch has been marketed alive—"shipped in the shell" is another way of saying it—but most of it, however, still goes into cans. In the past five years the total annual pack put up in Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island, and Quebec, has averaged, in round figures, 137,900 cases containing 48 standard-sized cans each.

Lobster canning involves a number of different operations, and Canadian lobster canneries are required by law to measure up to certain standards as to sanitation, equipment, and methods. Their operations are subject to inspection under the Meat and Canned Foods Act, which is one of the reasons they turn out so excellent a product. Canada supplies all but a very small part of the world's production of canned lobsters.

Take Pay In Water

Members of the town council of Waukomis, Oklahoma, have voted salaries for themselves—payable in water. From the city's "liquid" assets each member will receive free 1,000 gallons a month from the municipal plant. 2104

Little Journeys In Science

IODINE

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

Iodine was discovered in 1812 by the French scientist, Courtois, who obtained it from the mother-liquor of salts produced from burnt seaweed, or kelp. When the liquid was heated with sulphuric acid in a retort, a violet vapor was produced, which condensed in the form of brilliant crystals. Shortly after this discovery the name iodine was proposed for this substance because it comes from the Greek word for violet.

Iodine occurs in sea-water, in sea-plants and sea-animals, and in the thyroid gland of man and of animals. Most of the iodine of commerce is obtained from a compound called sodium iodate, which is found in small quantity in Chile saltpetre, or crude sodium nitrate.

Iodine is a shining, blackish-gray solid, which is nearly five times as heavy as water. It has a strong, rather unpleasant odour, and changes to the vapour state even at ordinary temperatures. It is quite solubie in alcohol and in a water solution of potassium iodide. We are all familiar with iodine in the form of tincture of iodine, which is nothing more or less than iodine crystals dissolved in alcohol. A very small quantity of iodine colors starch solution a deep blue and this is an exceedingly delicate test for the element.

Iodine is used in the manufacture of certain dyes and drugs which are very helpful to man. The largest consumer of iodine is the photographic industry which uses the two compounds, silver iodide and potassium iodide, in large quantities.

Iodine is an essential constituent of the body. A small gland known as the thyroid gland contained in the bunch of cartilage at the front of the throat usually designated as Adam's Apple, produces a compound known as thyroxin which contains about 9.3% of iodine. If iodine is not present in the diet the thyroid gland cannot produce this compound and hence goitre results. Iodized salt is now prepared for table use, the small amount of sodium iodide present in the salt being considered sufficient to guard against a natural deficiency in the regular food. Iodine is supplied by certain foods, such as spinach, lettuce, string beans, butter, and milk.

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CHAPTER VI.—Continued

"Sensible man! All this education business is stuff and nonsense unless it fits a boy to earn his living, which nine times out of ten it doesn't do. Look at Matthew Adam. His people scrimped and saved to send him to college. I don't say he got nothing out of it; but here he is back in Pine Ridge running a dairy ranch! Tell me, child, has your father really lost his money?"

"Most of it, I'm afraid. We're renting the city house and the family will live at Edgemere for the present."

"Where's Edgemere?"

"About twenty-five miles from town. It's Mother's old home, but Aunt Judy owns it. She won't let Dad pay a cent of rent."

"Who's Aunt Judy?"

"I forgot you didn't know all about us," replied the girl. "Aunt Judy is mother's younger sister. She lived with us for years, and took care of us children when we were little."

"And Louise, your father's sister, lives with you too?"

"Yes. She teaches in a very high-hat girls' school."

"High-hat." echoed Cousin Columbine, plainly mystified.

Nancy laughed, and explained: "That's only slang. Perhaps it's an Eastern variety that hasn't reached Pine Ridge. It means swell, Cousin Columbine — awfully stylish, you know. Aunt Louise is clever. She's earned a good salary for years."

"Well, we live to learn," admitted the old lady briskly. "High-hat! It's really expressive when you come to analyze it. So you're three families under the same roof. I should think you'd fight like cats and dogs."

The girl laughed again.

"We don't, honestly; though Aunt Louise thinks Aunt Judy spoils us, and sometimes they scrap about it—that is, as much as any one can scrap with Aunt Judy."

"It's plain to see which is the favorite aunt, my dear!"

"But you mustn't think we don't appreciate Aunt Louise," spoke up Nance quickly. "She's a dear; but Aunt Judy understands us better and takes our side. If Aunt Louise had had her way we'd never in this world have seen Pike's Peak!"

Her eyes crept upward to the snow-capped mountain, and the old lady asked: "Was it worth the journey?"

"It's wonderful! From the train it was the least bit disappointing, perhaps because we were so far away; but here it's marvelous and—and so near!"

"That's only the atmosphere. Will you believe it, tourists here in Colorado Springs have been known to start out before breakfast thinking they could walk to the base and get back in an hour! Everything looks nearer than it is—even the stars. But I like the Peak better from our side, my dear, and I think you will. Where are those boys. They're certainly taking their time. So your Aunt Louise opposed your coming? Will you explain why?"

Nance colored a little, something which did not escape the shrewd old eyes.

"She—well, she said Jack was too impressionable. I guess she thought work on a ranch—going 'round all day with rough men and boys would—would spoil his manners."

Cousin Columbine stiffened.

"Did she indeed? And what about yourself?"

These frank cross-questions were disconcerting; but the girl said honestly: "She thought I'd be homesick, and I dare say she's right; but as Mother pointed out, things wouldn't be very thrilling at Edgemere. You see, I've always spent winters in the city; and this year . . ."

"Well?" prodded the old lady, as she paused.

"I only mean," Nance hesitated, thinking it might sound foolish to an inhabitant of Pine Ridge, Colorado, "that if Dad hadn't lost his money I'd have made my debut this winter."

"Well, his losses saved you from that, anyway," was the brusque reply. "Here come the boys at last. Mark Adam, did you can those peaches yourself? You've been gone long enough."

"Not only canned, but picked 'em," he retorted. "Why didn't you let Matt cart this stuff, Miss Columbine? I'll have to tie it on the running board."

"You'll do no such thing! Put it right in here and I'll set my feet on it. There! I'm comfortable as can be. Truth is, I intended asking Matthew to get this box, but it slipped my mind when I saw he was in such a hurry to get away from us. Did you boys have a soda at the drug store? You must have been somewhere this twenty minutes?"

"It was only polite for me to give your company a treat, Miss Columbine," explained Mark as he started the engine. "What next? Do we head for home?"

"At once; and don't attempt to leave everybody else behind, even if you are the best driver in Pine Ridge. I understand you told Juanita Tubbs that you could drive up Ute Pass with one hand and blindfolded into the bargain. I was surprised, Mark Adam, to find you'd added boasting to your other sins."

Mark laughed and answered: "You know me better, Miss Columbine. That was only for Juanita's benefit. Since her cousin from Denver won the motorcycle race up the Peak last fall, that girl has put on airs."

"She'll be putting on black most likely, if he attempts to win another year," sniffed Miss Columbine. "Such races ought to be prohibited by law. We're headed right into the mountains now, Nancy. This part of town was settled before the Springs, and the Territorial Legislature met here in 1862 with nothing but a log room for their House of Representatives."

"Was there any hotel for the men to stay at?" questioned Jack, for whom the details of United States history held a lure.

"Only a tavern made of logs, not nearly big enough to accommodate them. Some had to sleep on the floor of the assembly room; and one member brought his family and set up housekeeping in a tent."

"But surely you don't remember those days, Cousin Columbine," said Nancy.

"Well, hardly!" chuckled the old lady. "But many's the time I've heard my father tell about it. One day he came down to get a look at the great men, and found a Chief Justice squatting before the fireplace frying bacon!"

"How'd they get here if they came from a distance?" put in Jack. "On horseback?"

"Most of them; but they came in wagons too, or in old-fashioned overland stage coaches drawn by mules. One member tramped over a hundred miles through the mountains, and arrived with a boot on one foot, a brogan on the other, and wearing an old slouch hat he'd slept in with the brim half gone."

"What was he supposed to represent?" Mark Adam asked over his shoulder. "A rummage sale?"

"It doesn't matter," replied Miss Columbine briskly, "because he was elected speaker of the House; and those who heard that speech never forgot it. A fine orator was George Crocker; and he came from Massachusetts, I believe. There was something thrilling about the struggle of those old days which you young folks'll never realize. See those tall red cliffs over to the right, Jack? That's the entrance to the Garden of the Gods."

"It is!"

In his excitement the boy would have stood up for a better view, but Nancy's bag across his knees prevented him.

"I remember my father bringing me down on horseback when I was a tiny girl," said Cousin Columbine. "I sat astride in front of him and we rode all through the Garden looking for cattle. It was vacant land then, and Father was so impressed with the rock formation that he considered pre-empting it, and then gave up the idea, thinking the land worthless."

"Imagine owning the Garden of the Gods!" gasped Jack. "Has it always gone by that name, I wonder?"

"It has as long as I remember; but the early settlers called the place Red Rocks. No need to encourage a stiff neck, Jack, by trying to see out of the back of your head. We'll all drive down some day and explore the Garden."

If the West had seemed wonderful from a car window, it was thrice wonderful from Mark Adam's dilapidated Ford. The young Nelsons were never to forget that ride. As they wound up the old Indian pass (a good road now, though narrow enough in spots to cause a shiver to run down Nancy's eastern-bred spine), it would have been impossible to express just what they felt. Such spectacular beauty was new to both of them. Glimpses of rushing water far below—the rocky cliffs and hillsides far above—sharp curves appearing with alarming frequency; and over everything a sky a deep, deep azure such as they had not imagined, was, as Nance wrote the family later, too wonderful for any words of hers.

"There!" exclaimed Cousin Columbine when those impressive cliffs were left behind, "that's over safely. Time was when that pass was really dangerous. It's a boulevard now compared with those days. Thanks for blowing the horn so often, Mark. I know you did it for my benefit, though my worst enemy never called me nervous. There's Matthew drawn up beside the road. Do you suppose he's had a breakdown? That truck of yours is getting pretty ancient."

"There's plenty o' life in that old truck yet," defended Mark. "All my bashful brother wants, most likely, is for us to get home first so he won't have to describe these—er—newcomers to Aurora Tubbs. Matt says Aurora takes away his power of speech when she slings questions at him. He says it's no wonder Victor Tubbs went into a decline. Hi, there, Matt! Want us to tow you home?"

The older Adam smiled a negative as they passed; and Nancy said: "Doesn't your brother ever wear a hat?"

"Not so's you'd notice it. Dad says that's all Matt learned in college—going bare-headed."

Mark turned to throw a smile at Nancy and barely escaped colliding with a rock.

"Mind your driving," ordered Miss Columbine.

"Yes, ma'am," replied the youth with meekness; and turned his head again, this time to wink.

The winter's day had seemed almost balmy to the New Englanders; but as they reached more open country and the shadows of afternoon began to deepen, Nance was uncomfortably conscious of the changed atmosphere and lack of lap robe. Thus it was a relief when Cousin Columbine announced that they were nearly home.

"Stop after you cross the track, Mark, and let them get a good look at the Peak from this side—our side, I call it. You see, I've lived in the shadow of that mountain since the day I was born, and it seems to belong to me."

Mark nodded, crossed the track, turned sharp to the left and stopped the car, while Nancy uttered a cry of genuine delight. Cousin Columbine had not exaggerated. Pike's Peak was beautiful from here, its snowy crest lifting above a forest of dark pines. Said Jack, after an awed moment: "That's great, isn't it?" And the old lady responded: "I'm glad to see that you appreciate nature, for it's all I have to offer except hospitality. This is Pine Ridge, my dears. I dare say it looks provincial to you; but it's home to me"

Home! Nancy's eyes strayed from the mountain, and with difficulty she suppressed another exclamation—one of dismay. Pine Ridge! Why it was nothing but a straggling, dusty street! Had they travelled two thousand miles in order to spend weeks, months, goodness knows how long, in such a spot? The grandeur of the mountain was forgotten in that desperate moment. All the girl saw was a row of forlorn frame buildings, their elusive fronts rising deceptively to the height of an imaginary second story, their clapboards bare of paint, their porches sagging. . . .

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How couldst thou hang upon the cross,
To whom a weary hour is loss.
Or how the scorn and scourging brook
Who shrinkest from a scornful look?

A heart unloving among kindred has no love towards God's saints. If you have a cold heart towards a servant or a friend, why should you wonder if you have no fervor towards God. If we are cold in our private prayers we should be earthly and dull in the most devout religious order, if we cannot bear the vexations of a comrade how should we bear the contradictions of sinners, and if a little pain overcomes us how could we endure a cross? If we have no tender cheerful affectionate thought and love for those with whom our daily hours are spent, how should we feel the ardor of love to the unknown and evil, the ungrateful and repulsive?—H. E. Manning.

Stamp Collector Was Lucky

Found Priceless Stamp In Lot He Bought For Small Sum

A rarity of philately—the one penny Shakespeare charity stamp issued in Great Britain—was discovered by Charles A. Davis of Dorchester, Mass., while looking through a large collection of 19th century stamps he purchased 10 years ago for a "song."

The stamp, bearing a likeness of the Bard of Avon, clean and undamaged, is virtually priceless. It is the only known copy in America, and one of few throughout the world.

It was among the British local stamps, issued by the National Carriers Co. some time between 1873 and 1875. These stamps were used by private concerns which carried mail and packages in competition with government mails, and come under the heading of "local" stamps.

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HOME BREW

The Review has had a number of enquiries as to what the council has in the back of its head in connection with membership tickets for the swimming pool. From what we could gather at the council meeting the proposal is to find out how these tickets are operated at such places as Rossland and Fernie. So far as we can learn there is no intention of curtailing swimming privileges as compared with other years but if few or many of those who patronize the pool were willing to purchase these tickets certainly the revenue so secured could be used to splendid advantage in making some very necessary improvements at the pool. In the last analysis the pool is not a village property; it is a community proposition, and membership tickets give those members of the community who appreciate the pool a fine opportunity to show their appreciation in practical fashion.

Earlier in the month the province of Ontario offered an issue of fifteen million dollars worth of bonds for sale in the usual financial circles, but due the interest offered being too low, or for other reasons, no one wanted any part of this part cular issue. Following this the government of that province decided to sell the bonds over the counters of the savings banks they operate in the bigger centres, with the result that within a week it had offers from individuals and firms for almost twenty million of these securities. The incident should not escape the attention of Premier Pattullo. Why not try a similar plan in British Columbia. Everybody is convinced the premier's policy of work and wages is what the province wants. Why not give people a chance to show their sincerity of purpose in such a laudable undertaking by giving them opportunity to loan the wherewithal to make work and wages possible.

Someone has said, "The fruit grower is the real optomist; he must be, or he would not stay with it." That there is truth to the front end of this observation cannot well be gainsaid when one recalls the unsatisfactory prices that prevailed for tree fruits, at any rate, last season, and is now told that at Wynndel the Co-Operative Fruit Growers' Association has modernized its pre cooling plant and enlarged it to an extent that gives it seven carload capacity, as compared with four cars preqiously. And now we have announcements from both Long, Allan & Long, Limited, and Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange that both are to install Cutler rotary graders—the latest in prcking house equipment— and the latter also is to erect a 50 x 50 foot two story addition to present warehouse. In addition to betokening optimistic as to the industry these developments also indicate a well deserved confidence in the Creston district, and it is to be hoped that with one year's experience to profit by the new Tree Fruit Board wlll not give the local orchardists cause to regret the progressive steps they have taken. This year let's have at least two cents a pound—and none on the ground, either.

Orchardists will have five to choose from in electing the 1935 tree fruit board. In addition to Messrs. Haskins, Hembling and Barrat of the retiring board, other aspirants are Roger F. Borrett of Kelowna and G. B. Ford of Okanagan Mission. After reading the proceedings of the board convention at Kelowna last week, the Review is still of the opinion the former members of the board will be returned. And with such an outcome Creston will have no quarrel. If the tentative agreement ror handling the Creston deal in 1935 entered into when the old board was here at the end of May is made effective this district can look forward with some confidence as to this year's crop handling. In view of this quite satisfactory arrangement it is to be hoped that there will be but few conscientious objectors to using the signed ballot which will be used in electing board members this year.

The matter of containers for shipping the 1935 fruit crop is still in the air insofar as the jumbo crate is concerned. Earlier in the year it looked as if 'this package had gone permanently into the discard but at the Tree Fruit Board meeting at Kelowna last week it was to the fore. The discussion showed the retailers and the small independents favored it, but the old line jobbers wanted nothing but the lidded box. The Kelowna meeting disposed of the matter with a resolution "urging the Tree Fruit Board not to practice discrimination against any type of package that would help in effecting an economical distribution of B.C. apples." Judging by Okanagan newspaper reports of the gathering no opposition was offered to the resolution. "That the Board give serious and sympathetic consideration to the request from Creston that one licensed shipper be given the sole right to load trucks either by barter or cash sales."

Now that all danger of the dykes going out has been removed one cannot help but think that the trouble encountered handling the truckers last year will be greatly minimized the present season at least insofar as the prairie visitor who brings in wheat and other grains. With the Reclamation Company area producing its first crop it is but natural to expect there will be be a considerable quantity of feed grain, and in most every variety judging from the different grains that are being given a tryout. Too, in previous years when the Reclamation farm was in crop the operators there had an abundance of wheat for local sale, in quality and price that would make tough opposition for grain that had to be hauled in. For this year the vendor of flour, millfeeds and other manner of store will have the local field sa usual but with both dyked areas contributing a crop from 16,000 acres in 1936 it begins too look as if the trucking situation is in a fair way to solve itself.

Hospital Auxiliary Meets

The June meeting of Creston Hospital Women's Auxiliary was held on Thursday asternoon, with Mrs. R. Stevens, president, in the chair. There was a turnout of 26 members. Mrs M. J. Beninger reported for the visiting committee, and Mrs. Hayes for the buying committee. One sewing meeting has been held, and a large amount of work done at home by members. Donations were: Feathers, from Miss Hatson; flour sacks, from Mrs. Archibald. Flour sacks and white rags are needed. Mrs. T. Goodwin and Mrs. C. Murrell were named visiting committee for the next month. A meeting of the newly formed district executive of women's auxiliaries was set for June 21st at Mrs. Steven's. The community auction sale originally arranged for June 8th, has been unavoidably postponed until early fall. Means of raising money were discussed and several plans presented. The tea hostesses were Mrs. W. K. Brown. Mrs. W. H. Crawford. Mrs. T. Goodwin and Miss M Hamilton. The freewill offering was $2.30.

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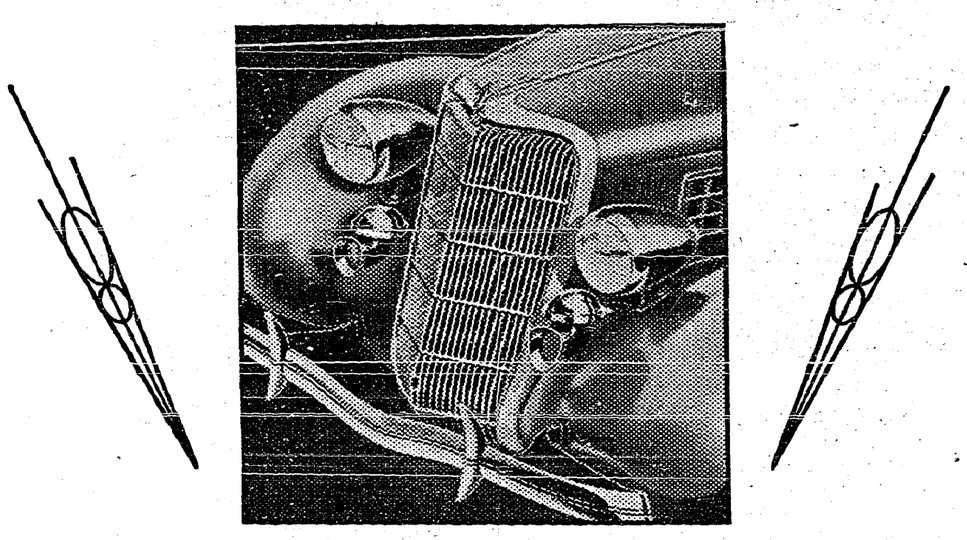

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The different committees of the Knights of Pythias who are in charge of Creston's Dominion Day celebration are putting the finishing touches on the day's programme and if the weather is favorable it now seems certain that they will live up to their promise of a bigger and better celebration in every department.

Creston br ss band has been secured for the day and in addition to heading the parade to the grounds have also kindly consented to play during the afternoon. The parade is the opening feature and is to move off from the orchard service station at 12 noon. Prizes are offered for the best boys and girls fancy costumes as well as the best girls and boys comics, and the best decorated bicycles. These are worth while cash prizes and should attract much competition. All children in the parade are to get a free ice cream cone on arrival at the grounds, while a 4 p.m. it is proposed to give every youngster at the celebration a free hot dog and bun.

The big list of childre 's sports will get under way on the arrival of the parade at Exhibition park. A feature to the sports at the swimming pool is the cash prizes to boys and girls who can negot ate the greasy pole walk.

The softball match between Creston Wildcats and Sirdar is to start at 1.30 p.m , and this will be followed by a baseball game between Bonners Ferry and Creston which should commence about 3 p m. Admission to the grounds is 25 cents, and holders of lucky tickets are due to win $5, $3, and $2. There will be some new features to the midway, which will be operated as usual. The Pythian Sisters will operate refreshment boot s at the grounds all afternoon, and will have charge of the supper at the dance in the evening.

The local orchestra will play for the dance, which commences at 9 p.m., with an admission of 50 cents, which includes supper. Those in charge of the dance promise some new features, one of which will be the shower of Confetti, along with other novelties throughout the evening.

Canyon

Birth—At Rossland, to Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Davis, nee McRobb, a son.

Alfalfa cutting is under way this week. The crop is both short and light in most fields.

Jock McRobb is at present a patient at Creston hospital, where he is progressing nicely.

J. B. Lobb, who is here on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. Halstead, is spending a few days in Nelson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ridd and H. Young were at Boswell on Sunday for a Masonic gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen.

Mrs. W. L. Houle and Jock McRobb, jr., of Kimberley, were here at the weekend visiting their father who is a patient at Creston hospital.

Strawberries from Canyon are now moving, but the area planted to this fruit is very small. The Gartland and Hoglund ranches are the principal ship pers.

The year-end report of Canyon high school i cludes the list of successful candidates in the June examinations. The full list of promotions follows: From Grade 11 to Grade 12—Anne Gartland 74, Minnie Huscroft 74. Grade 10 to Grade 11—Margaret Huscroft 88, Frank Clayton 80, Raymond Humble 70, June Browell 70. Bruce Niblow 67, Burton Huscroft 58 Grade 9 to Grade 10—Douglas Sinclair 80, Grace Bond 75, Charlie Kolthammer 75, Florence Spencer 75, Jessie Hook 73, Earl Browell 69, Cecil Burn 67. In connection with the years work special mention is due Douglas Sinclair, a student from Lister, who in addition to heading his class never missed a day all year and was only late on two occasions. Considering some 24 below zero weather encountered late in January the showing is exceptionall creditable.

Death, on Thursday, claimed a well known Canyon resident in the passing of William H. McQueen, at the hospital at Cranbrook, where he had been a patient for the past month, the end coming after an illness of about three years. Deceased, who was 54 years of age was a native of Gold City, Mich. He came to the Edmonton, Alberta, district in 1912, where he homesteaded and in 1919 he moved to Canyon where he was employed with the former Canyon City Lumber Company, Limited, and later purchased the orchard property of Lou Hussack, on which he has resided ever since. The funeral took place from Holy Cross Church, Creston, on Monday afternoon, with interment in Creston cemetery. The funeral service was taken by Father Hartmann, and the pallbearers were A. Bond, A. Berggren, A. Wesling and H. Young, with many from here out to pay their last respects. Deceased is survived by a sister and niece, resident at Gold City.

Hilton--Murrell Nuptials

A wedding of wide interest in Creston and district was solemnized at Christ Church Friday morning when Miss Joan Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs and Mrs. W. H. Hilton, was united in marriage with John F. eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. F. Murrell. Rev. M. C T. Percival officiated, the edifice being prettily decorated for the occasion.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father to the strains of the wedding march played by A. A. J. Collis She was attired in white silk taffeta dress floor length with veil and orange blossoms. She carried a boquet of roses and fern. Her only ornament was a pendant, the gift of the groom. The bridesmaid, Miss Margaret Blinco, was gowned in pale yellow organdie with white accessories, and carried a boquet of pink carnations. The groom was supported by Tom Crawford, jr. The flower girl was little Miss Dorothy Hilton, sister of the bride, and was attired in pale blue with white hat, and carried a basket of pansies and fern.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home where a buffet luncheon was served and was attended by just the relatives and immediate friends. The newlyweds left the same afternoon on a trip to Nelson and points west, the bride wearing a travelling outfit of blue crepe with white accessories.

The groom remembered the bride and bridesmaid with pendants and the gift to the best man was a pair of cuff links. The flower girl received a silver bracelet. Mr. and Mrs. Murrell will make their home in Creston and the many friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

Alice Siding

Birth—On June 18th, to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Marshall, a son.

Bob Parkin is home from a short holiday with relatives in Michel and Natal.

G. E. Payson of Moosejaw, Sask., was a visitor with W. G Armstrong a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips have returned from a three week's visit with friends at Kalispel, Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Pease are back from a short holiday with their son, Clarence, at Princeton.

Alfalfa cutting is in full swing. The crop is not up to the usual standard either for quantity or quality.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, jr., are moving into their new residence in the Lakeview section this week.

Mrs. Mike Halkow of Michel arrived at the first of the week on a visit with her sister, Mrs. Frank Travis.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reed of Ymir are visitors this week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Schade.

Fred Payne, who has been working with the C.P.R. out of Nelson for the past six weeks, arrived home on Tuesday.

Principal Page of Alice Siding school has been at Wynndel since Wednesday presiding at the entrance to high school examinations.

Harry Webster was a Cranbrook visitor on Saturday, writing on a civil service examination in connection with the position of assistant customs agent at Rykerts

Mr. and Mrs. Floers, recent arrivals from Saskatchewan, who have been occupying the Beytz place for the past six weeks, are this week moving to Canyon, where they have purchased a place from Mrs. Whiteside of Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Armstrong and daughter, Betty Ann of Elkwater, Alberta, and Mrs. J. F. McLaughlin of Irvine, Alberta, arrived on Sunday for a few days visit with the former and the latter's brother, W. G. Armstrong.

In the report last week of the first year high school examination at Creston we were in error in stating Gordon Smith had passed in all subjects but arithmetic. Gordon was successful in all subjects and was one of the ten who passed on recomendation.

Lister

Alfalfa cutting is under way in the Lister-Huscroft section. The first cut is not up to the standard of other years.

Mr. and Mrs. Bird with Mrs. Powers and daughter, Margaret, are Wednesday to Friday visitors with friends at Cranbrook.

Lister-Huscroft baseball team ran into a 10-6 beating in a game with Kitchener ball tossers at the Huscroft recreation grounds on Sunday.

Mrs. W. Lindhorst is now home from Cranbrook hospital where she underwent a serious operation earlier in the month, and is making a nice recovery.

Seven tables were in play at the military whist given at the Huscroft school on Saturday night by the Deer Lodge Club, with John Bird as master of ceremonies. Table Scotland won first prize, and was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sinclair and Mr. and Mrs Chas. Huscroft. Consolation honors went to table Ireland at which were Mr. and Mrs. F. Hollaus, Gordon Hurry and John Stick of Porthill. There was a short dance after cards, along with the usual lunch.

Ben Byer, who has been employed at the Rodgers logging operations at Glenlilly, is off work and is at Creston recovering from a sprained ankle he sustained on Thursday last.

School closed for the summer vacation on Tuesday. Trustees Mrs. McKee and John Bird were present to help with the presentation of honor rolls and the ribbons won at the valley schools' track meet.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bird were Boswell visitors on Sunday for a Masonic sociable at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan that afternoon. They were accompanied by Cecil and Miss Curtis who spent the time at Lockhart creek.

Our K. B. O. Broadcast

The Courier says Cranbrook gas firms report a 20 to 40 per cent better demand for maps and touring information than in normal years.

At the Three Lakes fur and fish farm, near Bonners Ferry, work has started on the harvest of 22 carloads of aspagnummess pads. These are made from blocks of moss gathered at these lakes.

The News thinks the Vernon district will have an average crop of prunes, but the set of cherries is disappointing when compared with the blossom.

A convention to name a Liberal candidate in East Kootenay is looked for shortly. Cranbrook has just elected its delegate to attend such a gathering.

The recent cut in freight rates on grain out of Bonners Ferry area will mean possibly a saving of $12,000 to the farmers if the crop is an average one.

According to the Courier the total disappearance of snow off the high peaks at Cranbrook is but two days later than in the early season encountered in 1934.

Cranbrook Courier: Attention has been brought to the provincial police of this district to cases of stealing and killing cattle out in the St. Mary's prairie vicinity.

To All Registered Fruit Growers

We have been honored by being nominated as candidates for eleltion to the B.C. Tree Fruit Board and solicit your support on the following grounds:

We consider the Natural Products Marketing Act extremely valuable to the fruit industry, and believe that to promote the continued usefulness of the Act it is necessary to secure the co-operation of all departments of the industry as well as the co-operation of the general public. While insisting upon a 100% enforcing of the regulations of the Board, we would avoid antagonisms which might become organized opposition.

As a member of the Executive of the Growers' Stabilization Committee, Mr. Borrett has fought for a new deal for the grower. As Secretary of the B.C.F.G.A., he has had considerable general experience in the industry.

It is essential that steps be taken to maintain continuity of the Board. We consequently urge:

1. That one member of the Board, at least, retire each year. Voting arrangements can be amended so that, of the three members standing for re-election, the one receiving the least number of votes is automatically retired, and the ones receiving the largest number of votes are re-elected regardless of their standing in relationship to the total votes polled.

2. That, instead of paying the members of the Board an attractive salary, they should be paid at the rate of $10 per meeting, with a maximum not to exceed $200 per month.

3. That an experienced busin ss manager be appointed to conduct the routine business of the Board.

We recognize the special problems in connection with Creston, Nelson, Grand Forks and Kamloops, and suggest that these be solved by a meeting of delegates from these districts. Special regulations cannot be issued applying to these districts which are definitely injurious to the whole deal, yet it is useless to ask them to comply with regulations made impossible by lack of cold storage facilities or unusual production problems.

All regulations of the Board must be arrived at by regularly called meetings at which the privilege of attending would be extended to the Advisory Council.

The Cartel would be the basis of regulation. In the minds of all growers is the ambition to have a net price named on their products before shipment; with the Cartel as a basis it is possible to work towards this with considerable hope of success.

To enlarge upon the details necessary to carry out these ideas would require considerable space. We are prepared to carry out the business of the Board with economy and with fairness to everyone, co-operating with and making use of all of the experience and ability possessed by the various departments of the industry.

By voting for us you indicate that you wish:

In place of extravagance, business management;

In place of high levies, lower levies;
In place of antagonisms, co-operation;
In place of a political body at a large salary, a rotating Board at nominal pay;

A one hundred per cent enforcement of the Act in favour of the grower.

Respectfully submitted,

ROGER F. BORRETT,
Fruit Grower, East Kelowna.

GERARD B. FORD,
Okanagan Mission

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Erickson

Mrs. T. Mercier has returned from her visit at Cranbrook.

J. Mermet of Salmo is spendihg a few days at his home here.

Mrs. E. Kopenick returned last week from a visit at Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sorodnick were Bonners Ferry visitors, Saturday.

Mrs. Cobus left at the end of the week on a visit at her home at Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Swain were renewing acquaintances at Bonners Ferry on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Cochrane and children were Cranbrook visitors at the end of the week.

Public school inspector Manning was on an official visit at the school Thursday last.

Miss Lavera Brondgeest of Vegerville Alberta. is a visitor this week with her aunt, Mrs. F. Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Lockerbie of Baldur, Man., and three children, Gladys Aileen and Herchel, were weekend visitors with their nephew, T. W. Bundy. They are making a tour of British Columbia.

Entrance to high school examinations commenced on Wednesday with the local pupils writing at Creston. Five are taking the written tests, Leona Heric, Marion Healey, Olive Speaker, Margaret Bale and Stewart Currie. Principal Cobus has passed four on recommendation, Margaret Bundy, Yvonne and Gwen Putnam and Lawrence Leadbetter.

Fraser's Bakery Enlarged

W. Fraser is this week putting the finishing touches on an enlargement of his bakery and dining room. The whole building has been completely renovated. An addition has been erected at the rear which is now used as the bake shop. The addition in adaition to being roomy also expediates the work in the bake shop. An electric cake mixer has been purchased which still further helps operations. The kitchen has been rearranged lightning the work of the staff which includes Mrs. Fred Murray, cook; and Misses Edith and Letty Couling in the dining room. The main dining room has been enlarged about ten feet and four booths have been built in—two on either side. A wash room for men has been added and a large sitting room is now available upstairs for ladies, with washing room in connection. With these improvments backed by the services of an experienced staff the Fraser bakery is now in a splendid position to cater to everyone in bread, cakes and pastry as well as ice cream and dining room. The remodelling was done by A. D. Hendren.

REX THEATRE

Bonners Ferry

Friday - Saturday

June 28 - 29

Doors Open 4 p.m.

Local and Personal

FOR SALE—Light Bennett wagon. Morrow's Blacksmith Shop, Creston.

For the holiday weekend Corrie & Sons have a list of interesting specials this week.

The swimming pool is now open for business, being filled for the first time on Monday.

Miss Ruby Palmer of Nelson arrived on Tuesday on a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Palmer.

With the berry shipping season in full swing the local telephone central is now open until 11 p.m.

Mrs. E. Martin of Sirdar is a Creston visitor this week with her parents, Mr and Mrs. W. T. Simister.

PIGS FOR SALE—White Yorkshires, will be ready June 18th. R. Stewart & Son (Alice Siding), Creston.

W. H. Watcher, who has been under the weather for the past couple of weeks, is at pres nt a patient at Creston hospital.

Mrs Keith Kettlewell of Trail is a Creston visitor this week, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, Victoria Avenue.

LOST—Shephard dog, dark tan with white ring around neck 1½ years old. If found notify Carl Klockmann, Porthill, Idaho.

FOR RENT AND SALE—Two room furuished house. Ten acres of land at West Creston on which is a cabin. W. K. Brown, Creston

M. and Mrs. Jack Wilson and Miss Braithwaite of Fernie were weekend visitors at Creston, guests of Mr. and Mrs. A S. Dickinson.

Legion members are reminded that the July meeting will be held the second Tuesday, 9th, instead of on the usual first Tuesday in the month.

A patriotic service will be held in Trinity United Church on Sunday evening when Creston band will attend and contribute several selections.

Mrs. J. W. and Misses Marjorie and Phyllis Hamilton left at the first of the week on a motor trip to Portland, Ore., and other Pacific northwest points.

V. M. Vasseur is busy with the erection of an implement warehouse on the two lots he recently purchased at the corner of Fourth street and Park road.

W. McL. Coooper, manager of Creston Co-Operative Fruit Exchange. is a business visitor at the whelesale centres in Alberta and Saskatchewan thss week.

Monday is Dominion Day—a statutory holiday, and all places of business in town will be closed. The wicket at the postoffice will be open from 10 to 11 a.m. only.

The community auction arranged by Creston Hospital Women's Auxiliary has been postponed until early fall. Members and friends are asked to bear this in mind.

There was a fair turnout for the United Church ladies' aid tea and sale of cooking at the home of Mrs. H. Wilks on Saturday afternoon at which the intake was about $25.

Mrs. O. Gaspers of Hollonquist, Sask., has arrived to spend a few months with her daughter, Mrs. V. Brixa. She made the trip by auto, making the whole distance in one day.

The stream flow on the Goat River continues to decline. Yesterday the depth of the flow over the dam at the canyon was 1.2, as compared with 2.3 one week previous.

Mrs. M. R. Joyce, with Kathleen and Murray, left on Thursday on a two months' holiday visit with friends at Owen Sound, Toronto and other points in Ontario.

Another thing to be thankful for in connection with the Reclamation Company project. Mosquitoes are not nearly so numerous as in the days before the dykes went up.

At the meeting of the shippers through Creston Products, Limited, on Monday night, F H. Jackson was elected president, and Ron. H. Stewart is manager and secretary-treasurer.

Creston and District Women's Institute are having an afternoon lawn tea at the home of Mrs. C. F. Hayes Saturday, June 6th, 3 to 5.30 o'clock. Afternoon tea and sale of home cooking.

Members of the Legion and Auxiliary are cordially invited to attend the informal opening of the new hall at 8 p.m., Thursday, July 4th. Dancing and cards will be the order of the evening.

School closes today for the summer holidays, and will resume operations on Tuesday, September 3rd. There will be two new teachers at the high school to replace Miss Smith and O. Sestad, and one at the public school succeeding Adam Robertson

Creston basketball talent will be out in full force tonight for the dance at Wynndel under the auspices of the basketball team at that point, who are needing some funds to clear off some unpaid bills in connection with the Wynndel team's appearance in the local league last winter. The admission is 50 cents. Serenaders' orchestra music.

PHONE 19 — Quality First — P.O. BOX 31

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DAILY SHIPMENTS OF McGAVIN'S BREAD

At the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to Creston Valley Post Canadian Legion on Tuesday niaht, Mrs. W. V. Jackson was re elected president. The auxiliary now has a membership of 24.

FOR SALE—17 young geese. Price is right. J. W. Handley, Erickson.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Four room house, good location. A. Anderson, Victoria Ave.; Creston.

KOOTENAY BAY FOR HOLIDAYS—Summer cottages for rent. No mosquitoes, good beach. good bathing and fishing. Apply Storekeeper.

Creston band has been, engaged to play at the lawn social under Erickson Ladies' Hospital Auxiliary auspices at the home of Mrs Frank Putnam, Wednesday evening, July 10. Dancing on the lawn will be a feature.

The rather cloudy weather that obtained most of the week is slowing up strawberry shipments somewhat, and the peak of the season is not expected until next week. Wynndel Co-Op. Fr.t Growers rolled the first carload on Monday, and had anot er on Tuesday and Thursday.

B. Morabito, who has been undergoing treatment at the Shaugnessy military hospital in Calgary, Alberta, for the past three months, taking treatment for a painful foot ailment, returned on Friday and is again giving his usual careful attention to business at his shoe repair shop.

Creston Dyking Company, Limited, dragline has just completed putting up an extra two feet at the top of Creston Reclamation Company, Limited, dyke between the Goat River diverson and the Dow ranch. If the floods on the Goat this year can be taken as average high water then the dykes along that stream are just seven feet higher than the 1935 Goat rise.

An interested group were at the town hall on Thursday evening last to hear Dr. Helen Stewart speak on the union library service, which appears to be a very practical scheme. F. P. Levirs was chairman. Creston board of trade, K.P., public school and women's Institute were represented. Dr. Stewart plans returning in September when she will give a public demonstration of the library plan. The Women's Institute, in the meantime, will try to get the co-operation of other organizations.

Sirdar

Mrs. I. Lewis was a visitor to Creston at the beginning of the week.

The number of cars passing through here is well maintained, with out of province cars in the majority. U.S. cars on the increase.

A truck load of supplies was taken into the camp between Gray Creek and Crawford Bay where road construction is in progress.

Although the crew engaged on road construction work east of Sirdar has not been large for the past ten days good progress is being made in the widening of the road.

A three-year old cow on the Musial farm, near Natal, has just given birth to triplets—two bull calves and one heifer. Their weights were 33,35 and 40 pouuds.

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PHONE 21

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207,000 Boxes Apple Estimate

Initial Report Places Crop Below 1934 Shipments—Cherry and Plum and Prune Crop Lighter —Pears are Less.

The first estimate of the Creston valley apple crop has just been made by C. B. Twigg district agriculturist, in his letter to the provincial horticulturist under date of June 24th. The present outlook is for an apple crop of 207,000 boxes, which is less than last year when the total shipments were 236,920 boxes. Crabapple are placed at 3000 boxes as compared with 2889 shipped in 1934 Pears are estimated at 8000 boxes in contrast with 12,600 marketed last year. There is a drop to 9000 crates in cherries from 17,603 a year ago, and plums and prunes are down from 13,259 crates in 1934 to 5000 in 1935. On the general crop outlook Mr. Twigg writes as follows:

"The past two weeks have been cooler, windy, part cloudy, with a general rain in the earlier part. Recently thunder storms with high winds have occurred in the neighboring hills quite frequently but but the rainfall has been quite local and of short duration.

"Plant growth has proceeded more rapdly and early vegetables and fruit have appeared on the local market, all pastures and meadows benefitted greatly from the general downfall of rain.

"Strawberries made their appearance with a rush on the 12th. inst. and have been increasing since rapidly in volume. First carload is ready to-day at Wynndel and one can be expected every other day for the remainder of the week. Next week the shipping should be at its height as Arrow Creek will be starting to ship its first berries in a few days. On the whole the weather conditions of late have been very favorable to the producer as the berries have been coming in with very little loss, showing good color and quite firm.

"Raspberries are forming and sizing rapidly, early pickings may be expected the first week of next month from southern exposures. There is an increase in acreage which will offset the loss from winter injury, so about the same total yield can be expected for the valley's output

"Bushfruits will be plentiful, more gooseberries than enough to fill orders. Currants are sizing and will be soon showing color.

"Winter injury affected all stone fruits and the set has been very disappointing in comparison with the quantity of bloom that was in evidence. Cherries, Bings especially, suffered more severely, even the tree itself did not escape damage as the bark on the trunks in many instances has split and curled wide open, affected limbs after blossoming their leaves wilted and subsequently died. Higher situations are not so badly affected but only about a half of last year's record crop can be expected.

"Plums set very poorly in the low areas and in some instances the tree also damaged. Prunes seem to be hardier and give better promise. The total yield will be light, less than half of last year's bumper crop.

"Pears are light as Bartlett and Anjou varieties set poorly, about two-thirds of a crop can be expected.

Early varieties of apples are off, winters promise a heav'er crop, fruit at present is very free of scab. Growers just finished putting on their last spray. cover crops in many instances have been mowed down and let lye thinning operations will soon start as the June drop is about over.

"All vegetables are growing rapidly as they benefited greatly by the recent rains. Heat demanding ground plants are well established but develop slowly but will soon show improvemens when the nights become warmer.

"Alfalfa's first cutting is in the cock in many places and will be under cover shortly. only a fair yield was realized as the spring was dry, chilly, and too windy. Up to the present the dykes have held on the Kootenay Flat and the grain is up nearly a foot in height.

ARTIFICIAL BARRIERS BLOCK OUR PROGRESS

BRITISH Columbia, though probably the richest province in Canada, is suffering under disabilities that must be removed. Adverse freight rates and tariffs have created an unfavourable trade balance with eastern Canada averaging more than fifty million dollars annually for the past five years.

This province, upon entering Confederation, surrendered its control of customs and excise and received in return a per capita grant of eighty cents per head of population. This per capita grant was intended to make ample provision for the cost of local services, such as administration of justice, education, hospitals, and so forth. These services now cost the province eight million dollars annually, while we receive a per capita grant of less than six hundred thousand dollars.

From Confederation to March 31st, 1934, the Dominion has collected in customs duties in British Columbia $347,000,000 dollars, while we have received a total in subsidies and per capita grant of $27,000,000.

The Dominion also has been steadily encroaching upon fields of provincial jurisdiction.

For the purpose of removing the disabilities with which this province has been handicapped, we propose to make representations to the next Dominion-Provincial Conference along the following lines:

1. That there should be a commission to consider and determine the claim of the province for readjustment of its relation to the Federal Government in respect to matters arising out of the Terms of Union and developments since Confederation.

2. Redefinition of jurisdiction over sources of revenue and taxation.

3. There must be a refunding of capital obligations to secure lower interest rates.

4. Redefinition as to exclusive jurisdictions in all matters possible in order to prevent conflict. Agreement also as to co-operative effort in all matters of common concern to the provinces and the Dominion, particularly in the marketing of products and upon what may be termed "social and welfare legislation".

5. Necessary capital for development of natural resources and public works should be made available to the provinces at lowest possible cost.

6. Absorption of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway into the Canadian National system.

7. Regional tariff adjustments or compensation in lieu thereof.

8. Adjustment of freight rates upon a basis of equality.

9. A permanent policy in the problem of unemployment. Primary responsibility for unemployment relief rests upon the Dominion. A national council should be set up with which the provinces, and through the provinces, the municipalities could co-operate.

PRIME MINISTER
OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

MC 4

SAVE

WE'VE heard a lot of that word "save" in the past few years. For some time now the question of saving our pennies and dimes has not only been important—but imperative.

Also, it may be noted that everyone who is in the business of selling merchandise to the public has devoted his attention to pointing out how much you, the customer, can SAVE by dealing with him, to the exclusion of others. Which is perfectly all right, too, in its way, except that it is advisable for a customer in his own interests to be sure that the savings that he is getting are real and not simply over enthusiasm on the advertiser's part. In other words to save where it's SAFE to save—to save, for instance at EATON'S, where value means not simply cheapness—but quality at a price—and where every claim regarding merchandise is backed by an iron-clad guarantee of satisfaction that makes every purchase doubly safe. It's natural to want to save—but it's wise to remember that "It's SAFE to save at EATON'S."

EATON'S

Our K. B. O. Broadcast

At Bonners Ferry the 1935 school tax rate is 18 mills.

The Hospital Women's Auxiliary at Kaslo has 150 members.

230 male citizens of Penticton are playing league softball this year.

Another beer parlor is to be opened at Cranbrook—in the Venezia Hotel.

About 2000 people saw the Barnes circus at Grand Forks one day last week.

In Vernon district the maggot is doing considerable damage to the onion crop.

The Observer reports the Salmon Arm hay crop as large, and of good quality.

The Star is reviving the agitation for the incorporation of Golden as a village.

Penticton will experiment with shale to replace wornout wooden sidewalks in that town.

W. G. Ternan is commencing his 21st year as president of the board of trade at Rossland.

The Courier states that tent caterpillars are unusually numerous in Cranbrook and district.

Softball is making a great hit at Bonners Ferry. Each of the four lodges in the town has a team.

Cranbrook tennis club has just spent $600 putting in two new courts. The club is 26 years old.

The alfalfa harvest is under way at Bonners Ferry. W. T. Jamrs counts on 120 tons from 35 acres.

For the first half of the year Trail smelter shareholders will be paid a dividend of $1.25 per share.

At Penticton the prospect is for a half crop of cherries, peaches and apricots as compared with 1934.

The Kootenaian says reports are conflicting as to the extent of frost damage to Kaslo's cherry crop.

The new liquor store at Bonners Ferry will handle 183 different brands of hard stuff, according to the Herald.

Kelowna council has just made very substantial cut in the rates charged for both commercial and residential „juice."

The nurses' home in connection with St. Eugene hospital, Cranbrook, has just been renovated at a cost of almost $1000.

The Gyro Club at Cranbrook had nearly 500 at their hayloft dance at the McCrindle dairy farm near that city one night last week.

Unless more tariff protection is given processed cherries the industry will be ruined in the Okanagan. To compete with the Italian product Okanagan growers could not get more than two cents a pound.

The big sawmill of the B.C. Spruce Company at Lumberton, has commenced sawing. Only one side of the plant is operating, turning out 150,000 feet of lumber per shift.

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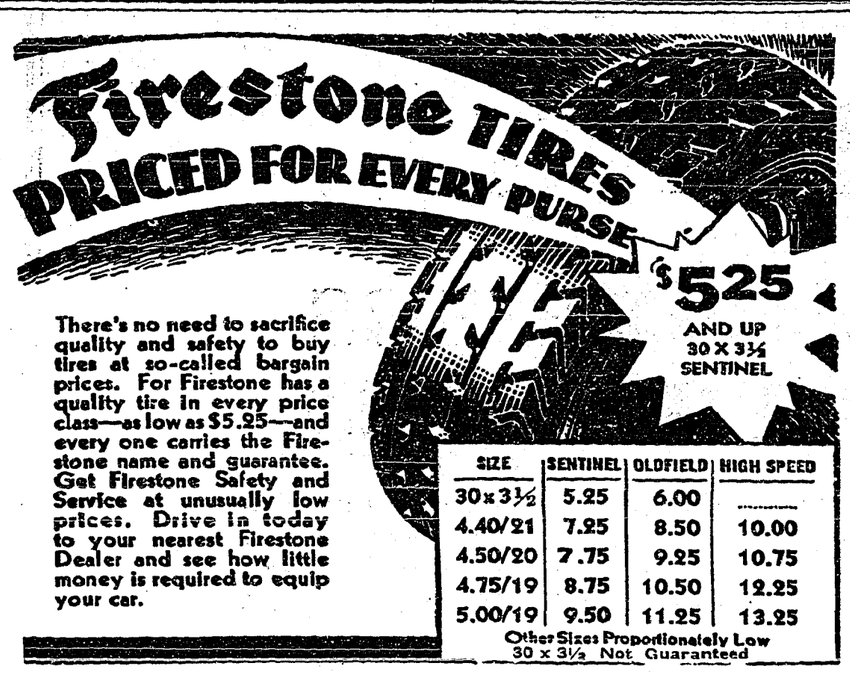

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Look Ahead And Prepare

Conditions in Western Canada, considering the whole area of the prairie provinces, present a changed picture this year to that of several years past, and the change is almost entirely due to the Weatherman. With the exception of comparatively small tracts, the great grain producing area of southern Saskatchewan which in recent years has suffered a lack of moisture has been favored with copious falls of rain, and Nature has thus largely solved a problem which all Governments and individuals, despite the expenditure of tens of millions of dollars, could barely cope with and certainly could not solve.

At the time of writing—which is ten days or so before this will appear in print—prospects are not only favorable for a normal, possibly an above normal, crop, but the big problem of feed and fodder for livestock seems solved as the soil is again saturated with moisture, sloughs and creeks filled with water, and grass again covers the ground. Admittedly it is too early yet to assume that present favorable conditions will not suffer some setbacks, and it would be a mistake to take too much for granted in a country where conditions change so quickly. At the moment, however, prospects are bright, and the foundation laid by May and June rains is such as to make a decided improvement almost a certainty.

Confidence in the country is being restored and hope is returning to many who had nearly abandoned hope and were on the verge of giving way to despair. Nature has thus provided an object lesson of how puny is man, notwithstanding his really marvellous achievements, when it comes to what are, after all, the deciding factors in the prosperity of any people or country. Man may plan, and should plan within those spheres where the decision and the control rests in his own hands, but all his planning will fail if it is not in conformity with natural laws, and takes into account what we erroneously term the vagaries of Nature.

With the experience of the past four or five years of drouth, dust storms, almost complete absence of feed and fodder, seed for a new season's sowing, and an absence of reserves accumulated in good years to tide over the poor years which always come sooner or later, what is going to be the attitude of people in this and, it is to be hoped, even expected, future better years? In those districts where there is now an abundance of moisture will the lessons of the past be remembered and steps proceeded with to conserve the surplus wherever possible and feasible? Or will people quickly forget and again live only in the present without taking thought for the future?

If Western Canada is blessed with a bountiful crop, plenty of hay and grasses, large quantities of wild fruits, vegetables, etc., will people, profiting by the past, begin at once the building up of reserves against a future day when Nature may not be quite so generous in the bestowal of gifts? As Western people now look over their green and promising fields, are they planning, if the promise of those fields is fulfilled in the harvest, to conserve a little something, as much as they possibly can, as an insurance for the future? Or will they quickly forget and dispose of their last resource, trusting to the future to again take care of itself?

It is no particular criticism of any person, or class of persons in this country to say that, in many respects, we have been a wasteful people, and have not practised that frugality which would have been the part of wisdom. Practically speaking, all of us have been more or less wasteful. We have employed our resources in satisfying the desires, the ambitions, the pleasures of the moment, without giving sufficient thought to the future. In above-normal prosperous years, instead of providing some reserve in a more or less liquid form to meet future needs, we have dissipated them, or locked them up in some concrete way, or used them to expand our operations beyond what was necessary or wise. Thus seeming assets have been found to be heavy liabilities.

All have made this mistake—farmers, merchants, industrialists, financiers, municipalities, provinces, and the Dominion as a whole. Nobody can well point an accusing finger at any other person. But if we are wise, if we are capable of learning anything from past experience, surely we will now as a people, individually and collectively, recognize our past mistakes and not merely resolve not to repeat them, but proceed now to follow a different course, and, like Joseph of old, in the years of plenty put by to carry us and our country through years of scarcity.

Some people in the last year or two became almost convinced that drouth and dust storms and crop failures had become a permanent condition. Those of riper experience knew better. They knew that the world has always experienced periods of plenty and periods of scarcity; that this is one of Nature's ways of maintaining an equilibrium, a safe balance. There is reason to hope that the recent period of drouth and scarcity has passed, and that a more fruitful period is at hand. But other periods of drouth and crop failures will inevitably come; now is the time to prepare for them because surely no person who has suffered through lack of the necessities of life in this recent period desires to pass through the same experience again.

Now is the time to take new heart, but it is also a time to think and act coolly, to keep sane, to take thought of and prepare for the future and insure oneself to the fullest extent possible against whatever misfortunes or setbacks may lie ahead.

Matter Is Settled

Science Service Estimates Superior Is World's Largest Lake

A year or so ago the News-Chronicle entered into a discussion of the comparative sizes of Lake Superior and Lake Victoria Nyanza in Africa. Someone, including some school teachers, advising their pupils, had declared the African lake to be larger.

Using all the information it could obtain from atlases and encyclopedia, this paper proved, to its own satisfaction at least, that Superior was the larger and thus the largest lake in the world. This was definite if depth were considered, for it appears that large portion of Victoria Nyanza's surface is only a foot or so above the bottom and much of it filled with reeds and grasses.

We now find the following paragraph among those issued by a science service for use in newspapers as something "Interesting to know."

"It is estimated that Lake Superior exceeds in size its nearest fresh water rival, Africa's Lake Victoria Nyanza, by a thousand square miles."—Port Arthur News-Chronicle.

COULD NOT SEW A BUTTON ON

Her Hands Were Helpless With Rheumatism

At one time she thought she would lose the use of her right hand. But "a blessing"—in the form of Kruschen Salts—put her right again.

"I was sure in a bad state," she writes. "In fact, I could not do my housework, I was so bad with rheumatism in my arms and hands. I could not sleep at nights, and I thought I would lose the use of my right hand. I could not hold anything, nor could I sew a button on. My arm would go dead. I was advised to try Kruschen, and inside of three weeks I found such a change. I have kept on taking it, and now I sleep all night—thanks to Kruschen's help and relief."—(Mrs.) J. H.

Two of the ingredients of Kruschen Salts have the power of dissolving uric acid crystals, which are responsible for rheumatic agony. Other ingredients of these salts assist Nature to expel these dissolved crystals through the natural channel.

Germans Challenge Record

Bremen and Europa Will Make Attempts With Reserve Power

According to hints from German shipping quarters, the North German Lloyd liners Bremen and Europa will take up the battle for the "blue ribbon" of the Atlantic, which has been won by the French liner Normandie.

Open expression of this determination was given by the Boerzen Zeitung in a dispatch from Hamburg.

"It is not unlikely," the dispatch said, "that the Rex (Italian liner) or Bremen or Europa have still some horsepower in reserve with which they may give the Normandie a surprise.

That the two German vessels have never used their top speed in their regular runs and have been holding back for just such competition as the Normandie or the Cunard-White Star Queen Mary is a story that always has been believed in Germany—with what justification remains to be seen.

Town Seeing Double

Contest In California Brought 500 Pair Of Twins

Five hundred pairs of twins answered the call when Long Beach, California, announced a twin contest.

Youngest were Patricia Gale and Gale Patricia La Forte, 11 weeks.

Oldest were H. E. and A. L. McArden, hale and hearty at 85.

A twin judge performed a twin marriage ceremony attended by 11 pairs of twins as bridesmads and another pair as flower girl and ring bearer.

The town is still seeing double.

A Swedish geologist concludes that the South Island of New Zealand had a warm, almost sub-tropical climate no longer ago than about 1000 B.C., after which the climate became much colder for reasons not fully understood. 2104

Queen Likes Natural Folks

Not Reserved If People Chat With Her Freely

In the Jubilee number of The Manchester Guardian a contributor writes about Queen Mary this way:

The Queen's mind is powerful rather than quick. She once said to a friend, "I find it a great effort to think of something fresh to say to everyone I meet." The friend replied, "Oh, your Majesty should not try. If I were in your place I should think of something nice to say when I got out of bed and say it to everyone I met that day." But the Queen replied, "Oh no, you would not. The press would get hold of it and say that you were insincere." Whatever else anyone said of the Queen it would be impossible to call her insincere.

At a first meeting people often leave all the conversation to her Majesty and so find her difficult to get on with and think her reserved. A very slight acquaintance, however, helps them to realize her extraordinary kindness of heart and the way in which she never forgets anyone she has ever met or misses a chance to do a kindness. If she has been interested in any case of suffering or want, and meets the person who brought it to her notice again, it may be 20 years after, she will at once say, "And how is So-and-so? I hope everything is going on well."

In fact, anyone who will chat freely with the Queen as he would with any other lady, relying on her kindness and sympathy, will find her at once easy to get on with and charming. Her wide knowledge of the subjects that do interest her, her readiness to say when she is not an authority on any subject, her ready humor and her sincere kindness make a conversation with her a thing to remember. Her chief interest in life now is undoubtedly the little Princess Elizabeth. She is wrapped up in her, and no wonder; for a more charming little girl or one more completely unspoilt by her high position, it would be impossible to meet.

Charged With Writing Anti-Italian Articles

Italy Has Expelled Rome Correspondent Of Chicago Tribune

The Italian government press bureau has expelled David Darrah, the Rome correspondent of the Chicago Tribune. Darrah and his wife were forced to leave immediately. The reason for Darrah's expulsion was given as the writing of anti-Italian articles.

The bureau also issued an order banning until further notice the entrance of copies of the New York Times to Italy as a result of an editorial entitled "Baldwin and Mussolini."

The editorial appeared in the Times after recent speeches of Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin of Great Britain and Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy.

The action against the New York newspaper follows a similar one against a group of English newspapers, including the Manchester Guardian, and the lifting of a ban against German newspapers, including the Nazi organ, the Voelkischer Beobachter.

The human scalp has approximately 1,000 hairs to the square inch, the average head containing 110,000 hairs. Women have a higher average than men, while red heads average only 90,000.

What are the mild leaves saying?

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BENNETT WILL CONTINUE TO LEAD THE GOVERNMENT

Ottawa.—Definite assurance only a breakdown in health will prevent him continuing as leader of the government was given by Prime Minister R. B. Bennett at a complimentary banquet tendered him by Conservative members of the House of Commons and the senate.

It had been expected Mr. Bennett would take this occasion to convey to his parliamentary colleagues some intimation of his intention with respect to the leadership in view of the anxiety created by his recent illiness.

The banquet was private and the guests confined to members of parliament who support the government.

J. Earl Lawson, Dominion organizer for the Conservative party and member for the Toronto constituency of York West, in a statement at the conclusion of the banquet, said: "Despite the fact it may mean great sacrifice of the prime minister's health, his sense of duty to the Conservative party and to his country will induce him to carry on as leader of the government."

The banquet was the first occasion on which the prime minister has met his colleagues in a body outside the House of Commons since his illness. No caucues have been held since his return to active participation in parliamentary affairs.

When he first returned, Mr. Bennett abated his customary long hours of work and did not attend evening sessions of the house. During the past 10 days, however, he has been a constant attendant at both afternoon and evening sessions, spending the mornings in his office, and he has held a cabinet council every week day since his return from England.

Essay Winner

Edmonton Girl Student To Receive Free Trip To Australia

Toronto.—Grace B. Pattullo, 18-year-old student at Eastwood high school, Edmonton, wins the free trip to Australia offered for the best essay on that country by a Canadian high school student. Announcement of the awards was made here by L. R. Macgregor, Australian trade commissioner to Canada.

The $50 prizes offered for the best essays from each of the other provinces include:

British Columbia (tie), Grace Walton, North Vancouver, and Marcelle A. Jabour, Prince Rupert; Saskatchewan, Margaret McGregor, Nutana collegiate, Saskatoon.

Miss Pattullo, the all-Canada winner, is expected to accompany Hon. F. H. Stewart, M.P., and Mrs. Stewart to their home near Sydney, Australia, this autumn.

Senate Rejects Bill

Newspapers Will Not Have To Publish Shareholders' Names

Ottawa.—Marking its seventh failure in 10 years, the bill of T. L. Church (Cons., Toronto East) to compel newspapers to publish names of their shareholders was thrown out by the senate. With Senator James Murdock (Lib., Parkdale) sole dissenter, the upper house adopted the report of its banking and commerce committee rejecting the measure as "ineffective to attain its purpose."

Change Was Approved

Ottawa.—The House of Commons took less than two minutes to give second and third readings and consideration in committee stage of a technical change in the delinquency laws. The bill originated in the senate and was requested by children aid societies. A bill making a companion change in the criminal code also was passed.

Duke Will Head Council

London.—The Duke of York will be chairman of the advisory council which his brother, the Prince of Wales, is forming to assist in administering the king's jubilee trust, it was announced.

Charge Discrimination

Denial Is Made That Canada Is Unfair To U.S. Trade

Canton, N.Y.—A spirited reply to an American charge of tariff discrimination was given at the conference on Canadian-American affairs by John W. Dafoe, editor-in-chief of the Winnipeg Free Press, and two Canadian educationists — Professor Frank A. Knox, of Queen's University, and Professor Robert McQueen, of the Universtiy of Saskatchewan.

Dr. Dafoe said the charge of Prof. Jacob Viner, of Chicago, that Canada, with its three-tariff system, was discriminating against the United States, had not been proved.

"Under our system of main, intermediate and empire tariff schedules," he said, "we go to other nations and offer them the intermediate rate on their goods in exchange for a prefered consideration of our wheat. The Americans with a single tariff, argue we have been unfair because we have three tariffs, and the United States is not favored by our intermediate tariff. It is our contention, however, concession should be given for concession," which has not been done under the inflexible single tariff system.

Dr. Dafoe said he believed the difficulties between the two countries could be composed if the United States did not have a single tariff system, but had variable tariffs.

Would Unite Dionne Family

Ontario Government Outlines Plan For This Purpose

Toronto.—Chief guardian of the Dionne quintuplets, Hon. David A. Croll, Ontario minister of welfare, disclosed that when he attended the babies' birthday celebration in Callander, May 28, he outlined to Oliva Dionne, their father, the government's plans to reunite the Dionne family in one large home.

"I invited Mr. Dionne to ponder the plan for a few days, then come to Toronto," said Mr. Croll. "I have not since seen Mr. Dionne."

"I want to see the Dionne family reunited and hereby ask your permision to erect for you, out of the fund accumulated, a house sufficient for yourselves and your whole family in which the quints may be properly accommodated," said Mr. Croll in the letter he wrote Oliva Dionne, June 5.

"The present hospital may then be used as a schoolhouse for all your children," he continued.

The offer carried only two conditions—government control of business affairs of the children and retention of Dr. Allan Roy Dafoe as the babies' physician.

May Visit Canada

Ramsay MacDonald May Pay Social Visit To Friends In Dominion

London.—Ramsay MacDonald, lord president of the council and former prime minister, was disclosed to have under consideration an invitation to pay a social visit to friends in Canada.

It was not learned who issued the invitation, but it was recalled the diplomatic correspondent of the Daily Herald said Mr. MacDonald might go to the United States as a special representative to discuss with Washington authorities possibilities of Anglo-American co-operation in world affairs.

Decrease In Fire Losses

Since 1934 Amount Has Decreased By Twenty Millions

Ottawa.—Fire losses in Canada in 1934 decreased by more than $20,000,000 as compared with 1930, George F. Lewis, O.B.E., Toronto, president of the Association of Canadian Fire Marshals, revealed in opening the annual conference of the association here. While fire losses as a whole had decreased in number and amount, it was disturbing to note, Mr. Lewis said, fires in dwellings have increased from 16,943 with a loss of $7,000,000 in 1924 to 32,436 with a loss of $9,957,000 in 1934.

Archeologists in Germany have uncovered a knife with a folding blade estimated to be at least 10 centuries old. 2104

SIR ARTHUR ROSTRON

Veteran commander of the Mauretania for 11 years, who could not bear to see the auctioneer selling off the furnishings of the famous liner so did not attend the sale. He prefers to remember the great liner as he knew her at the height of her fame.

Fills Seven More Posts

Premier Baldwin Appoints Many Former Government Members

London.—Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin filled seven more posts in his government, announcing the following appointmets to posts of non-ministerial rank:

Minister of mines—Capt. H. F. C. Crookshank.

Minister of pensions—R. S. Hudson.

Under-Secretary for the home office—Capt. Euan Wallace.

Financial secretary for the admiralty—Sir Victor Warrender.

Civil lord of the admiralty—Kenneth Lindsay.

A member of former Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald's Little National Labor party, Lindsay has never held office before. Crookshank has been under-secretary for the home department, Hudson parliamentary secretary for the minister of labor, and Wallace civil lord of the admiralty.

Leslie Hore-Belisha, former minister of transport, and Sir Thomas Inskip, former attorney-general, were assigned the same posts in the new government.

Held Without Trial

British Subject Claims He Was Kept Prisoner For Four Years

Port of Spain, Trinidad.—Colonial authorities heard the story of George Weeks, a British subject, who declared he had been held in a Venezuela prison four years without trial, uuder threat of torture.

A native of Trinidad, Weeks signed a statement he had been refused right of communication with British consular officers during confinement.

It was understood authorities were considering a claim for damages against the Venezuela government.

Suggests New Commission

President Of Canadian Radio League Presents His Views

Canton, N.Y.—Graham Spry, president of the Canadian Radio League, told the conference on Canadian-American relations the Canadian Radio Broadcasting Commission has failed and suggested a 15-point constitution for a new broadcasting system in the Dominion.

Mr. Spry proposed appointment of a 12-member commission by the Dominion government in consultation with the leader of the opposition and representatives of smaller groups. Three members, he said, should represent the National government and nine the provinces.

The commisioners, he said, "should not be active members of any political parties, but should include men or women sympathetic toward or generally representative of the broad principles of the three political groups."

Mr. Spry said all political parties should be given use of the national network without charge at various times during the year, and that during election campaigns, national, provincial or local, they should be offered similar free time, having the option to buy additional time if they wished.

Investigate Relief

Hepburn To Visit Ontario Municipalities For This Purpose

Toronto.—Within two weeks Premier Mitchell F. Hepburn will visit various Ontario municipalities and personally investigate conditions of homes of relief recipients, he announced after 15 Ontario hunger marchers had conferred with him and cabinet members for nearly three and one-half hours.

Beyond this announcement and the statement he would hold another conference wtih the marchers, Mr. Hepburn made no further comment on the lengthy interview.

To Accept Memento

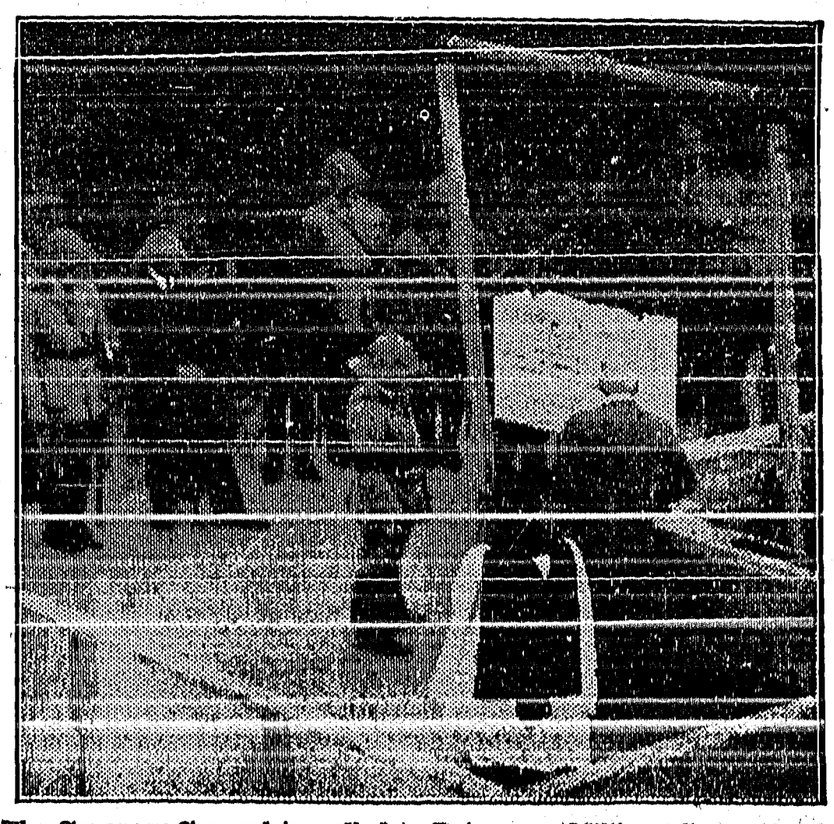
Women Of Canada To Present Gift To Countess Of Bessborough

Ottawa.—Women of Canada will be given an opportunity to take part in presenting a farewell gift to the Countess of Bessborough. At a meeting held here, over which Lady Perley, wife of Sir George Perley, presided, it was announced that Lady Bessborough had consented to accept a memento of the happy years she has spent in Canada. A movement to present such a gift was launched at the meeting.

Muskrat Ranches

Winnipeg. — Division of 11,000 square miles of marsh land in the Saskatchewan river delta east of The Pas into areas suitable for muskrat ranches was ordered by Manitoba Natural Reources Minister J. S. McDiarmid. Lands will be available for leasing by autumn.

EARL OF BESSBOROUGH AT PETAWAWA



The Governor-General travelled to Petawawa Military Camp, Pembroke, Ont., a few days ago to perform the ceremony of laying the corner-stone of the new Administration building. In the picture His Excellency is putting the cornerstone in place. —Photo Artona Studio.

REFORMS MUST BE MADE IN A LEGAL MANNER

Ottawa.—The government has gone to the extreme limits of parliamentary power to redress the wrongs uncovered by the mass buying commission, Premier R. B. Bennett declared in the House of Commons.

The prime minister was replying to attacks on the government's mass buying legislation by Hon. H. H. Stevens, former cabinet minister, who dubbed it anaemic, ill-considered and ineffective.

"My own view," Mr. Bennett said, "is the constitution of this country must be changed." But it could not be accomplished in a day nor by parliament over-stepping its legal bonds.

"If the people of this country," the prime minister warned, turning and facing his former cabinet colleague, "have been led to believe this parliament can pass any sort of legislation it likes, the age of lawlessness is on us. Let there be no mistaking that."

If reform is to take precedence over revolution, Mr. Bennett said, changes must be made legally. "It can not be right to induce the people to believe parliament has the power but will not exercise it through obstinacy or fear."

It was the first time the two Conservatives, who once sat chair-to-chair around the council table, have clashed in the house since Mr. Stevens' resignation.

Amid applause from all over the chamber, Mr. Bennett repeated his asertion Canada would never become a "welcher" on its obligations. It would be the ruin of the country if the public credit was shattered and this referred to public and provincial debts as well as dominion.

The former trade minister appeared nervous and halting when he started his speech, but warmed up as he proceeded. He claimed he remained a Conservative, and, because he believed insufficient attention had been paid to the dominance of credit reservoirs and industrial monopolies, he would speak to his fellow-Conservatives in the house.

"I stand by what I then said," said Mr. Bennett, referring to his radio speeches. "The legislation we have submitted to the house, subject to what I shall say later, does implement, in so far as the powers of this parliament extend, the report of the price spreads commission."

"My view is," Mr. Bennett said, "the constitution of this country must be changed." But it was a result of compromise and could not be changed in a day. There were many considerations that must be borne in mind.

Attempts had been made in the past, by his government and the King administration, Mr. Bennett said, to obtain agreement among the provinces to constitutional changes, but no tangible results were reached.

It was futile, Mr. Bennett proceeded, for any member to argue that parliament could name anything a crime under the criminal code, because the courts had ruled otherwise. "Whether we like it or not we must consider that point."

"To the limit of the power of parliament," the prime minister said, "we have invited parliament to give redress within our competence."

Trotzky Again Disappears

Entire Party Drops Out Of Sight In Norway

Oslo, Norway. — Leon Trotzky, famed Rusian exile, staged another mysterious disappearance here, dropping out of sight shortly after he arrived from Antwerp.

Trotzky, his wife and two secretaries went from Oslo to Hoenefoss, town of 3,000 population, where they were expected to spend six months. The entire party disappeared, however, and efforts to locate it were unavailing.

London.—The Daily Herald said Leon Trotzky, Russian exile who entered Norway is "ridden with advanced tuberculosis," and his journey to the north was "a matter of life and death."

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PIGS FOR SALE—Choice stock, $4.50 each. Ron. H. Stewart, Creston.

Creston lost to Troy, Montana, by a score of 13-11 in Sunday's baseball game at Exhibition Park.

HOUSE FOR RENT—Four room house, good location. A. Anderson, Victoria Ave., Creston.

KOOTENAY BAY FOR HOLIDAYS —Summer cottages for rent. No mosquitoes, good beach, good bathing and fishing. Apply Storekeeper.

Rev. M. C. and Mrs. Percival are holidaying at Destiny Bay and services at Christ Church and the other appointments are withdrawn for the next two Sundays

Maurice Anderson arrived from Tadanac on Sunday and has taken on the work of assistant C.P.R. agent, replacing Art Nichols, who has been messenger the past few months.

FOR RENT—Large house, partly furnished, 4 bedrooms, hot water, bath, etc., one minute from Boswell wharf. Grand place forholidays. Also one room frame cabin. Apply Wallace, Boswell, B.C.

Misses Kate Payne and Margaret Blinco left on Tuesday for Salmon Arm where they are representing Christ Church Junior W.A. at Kootenay diocese conference of junior Women's Auxiliary workers.

The Rodgers box factory completed the make of strawberry crates and cups at the end of the week, and a start has been made on the raspberry crates and hallocks. Orders placed would indicate a lighter raspberry crop than in 1934.

About twenty members of the local Masonic lodge, accompanied by their wives and lady friends, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan at their home at Boswell on Sunday for tea and an afternoon of sociability which all very much enjoyed.

R. J. Forbes got back on Monday from Vancouver where he had been attending a conference of managers of branches of the Bank of Commerce in British Columbia, on the occasion of a visit to that city of S. H. Logan, general manager of the bank.

Out of Grade 8 class of 25 at Creston public school, 20 have passed on recommendation and five are taking the departmental exam., which commenced on Wednesday, in charge of Miss H. Hobden Those writing are Evelyn Nastasi, Eva Phillips, Edith Johnston, Donald Fowlie, and Louise Parry. In addition to these there are three pupils from Kitchener and five from Erickson.

An examination of candidates for the position of assistant customs officer at Rykerts was held at Cranbrook on Saturday with a Mr. Legg of the superintendent's office, Calgary, Alberta, presiding. Tests were both written and oral and the following took the examination: R. Sinclair Smith, R. M. Chandler, Harry Miller, Harry Webster, Corrie Celli, Syd Rogers Arthur Couling, Jack Payne, Bob Crawford and Bus Ross. Results of the examination will likely be known this week.

The business section has been further improved of late by the addition of a fully modern bakeshop to the Palm bakery and confectionery, which new business was opened here early in December. The new shop is at the rear of their new store and is 24 x 18 feet, with a three-quarter basement, the addition being the work of W. Currie. A new Hubbard oven of 150-loaf capacity was put into operation on Thursday. An electric bread wrapping machine has also been installed. With the transfer of the bake shop to its new quarters the space made available will be used for candy manufacture in charge of A. Walde. Along with these improvements the sales staff has been enlarged with the taking on of Miss Dot Palmer.

A central executive for the valley hospital women's auxiliaries was formally organized at a meeting of those directly interested at the home of Mrs. R. Stevens on Friday night. Mrs. S. G. Parker of Canyon was chosen chairman, and Mrs. C. H. Hare of Creston is secretary The other members are Mrs. E. Botterill, Erickson; Mrs. J. G. Abbott, Wynndel; and Mrs. A. Mackie, Boswell. The object of this executive is to prevent as far as possible, overlapping or conflict of effort in promoting the welfare of Creston hospital.

Grand Theatre

SAT., JUNE 29.

THE PERFECT CRIME —MAYBE!

Phil Vance never tackled a tougher job! But he's debonair and gay even when face to face with his craftiest foe! S. S. VanDine's greatest mystery becomes perfect screen fare!

Casino Murder Case

with

PAUL LUKAS
Alison SKIPWORTH
DONALD COOK
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SUNDAY, JUNE 30

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Tents!

1 second hand Wall Tent complete with poles. Size 6 x 8 by 2-foot wall.

I also have several other styles of new Tents as well as Slumber Sleeping Robe for that vacation of yours.

Complete stock of Pack Sacks as well as the Alpine Ruck Pack Sack.

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QUALITY FOR THE TABLE —at BIG SAVINGS!

Corn Flakes, 3 pkgs. .22

Sugar Crisp, Toy Cutouts.

READYMEALS, Chef Brand, 2 tins Irish Stew, Hot Pot and Lamb Fricassi.	$ .29
PALMOLIVE SOAP, 4 cakes	.19
KIPPER SNACKS, 3 tins	.23
COCOA, 1-lb. cello packages	.14
OLIVES, Stuffed and Queen, 11 oz. bottle McLaren's Mixed.	.29

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Large stock to choose from.

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