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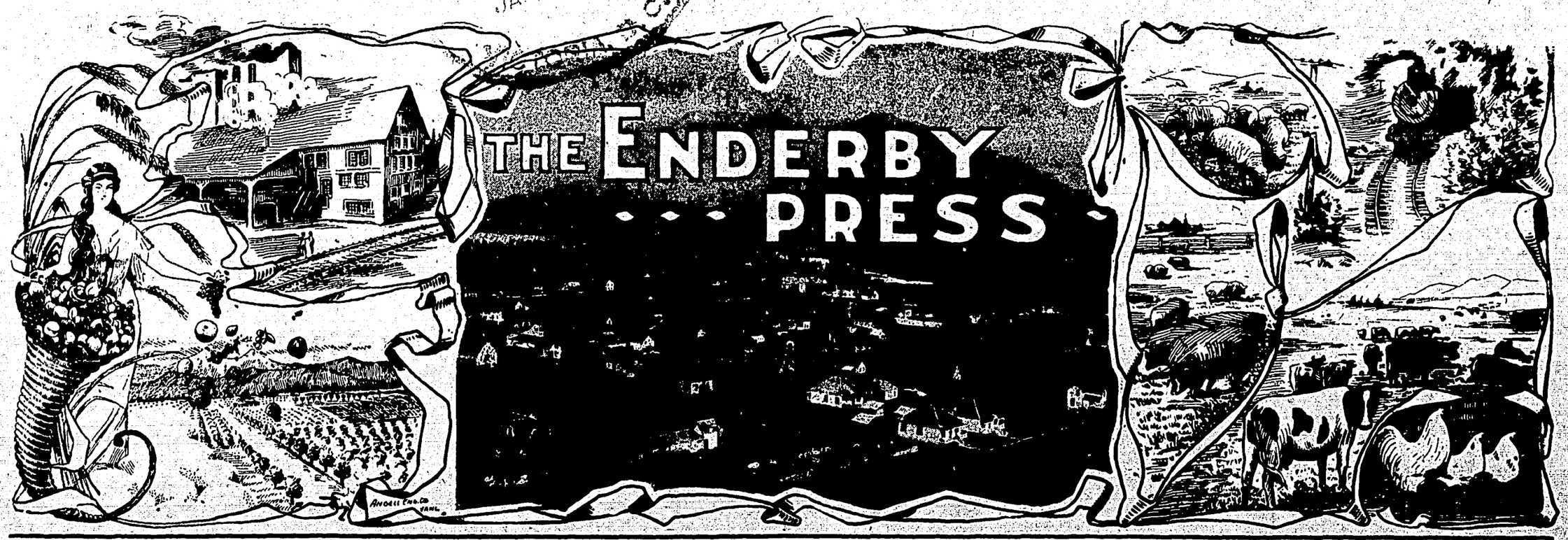

Enderby, B.C., December 31, 1914 AND WALKER'S WEEKLY Vol. 7; No. 44; Whole No. 346

News in Brief of Enderby and District of Interest Far and Near

Born—On Dec. 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Connors, Grindrod, a son.

Married—On Wednesday evening, Dec. 23rd, at the home of the bride's parents, Miss Pearl Cameron to Mr. Wesley LaRoy, by the Rev. J. A. Dow.

Mr. White won the cake at Joe's on Wednesday: 13 1-4 lbs.

Lieut. Roy Wheeler will return from mobilization camp this week.

Fred McKay has been with the Murrin Hardware Company the past few weeks.

Miss Kate Graham spent Christmas week at her Enderby home, from Revelstoke.

Mrs. Merrick has established her Elite Millinery Parlors in the Bell block, next the Postoffice.

The annual Christmas tree services by the Presbyterian Sunday school children, will be held this (Thursday) evening in K. of P Hall.

Frank Pearson is spending the Chirstmas holidays at his Enderby home, returning to Vancouver on Saturday to continue his university studies.

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[illegible] has been engaged as organist in the Anglican Church at Vernon, and Mr. and Mrs. Chapman will move to Vernon this week.

The annual meeting of the Hospital Auxiliary will be held in the City Hall, Thursday, Jan. 7th, at 3 o'clock. Election of officers. A full attendance is requested.

The postponed Christmas tree for the children of St. George's Church will take place on Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 5th, in the Parish Hall. Tea at 4 o'clock; tree at 5.30.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and daughter returned to Enderby on Wednesday, Mr. Thompson having taken over the billiard rooms adjoining the Enderby bakery.

The first games in the curling schedule were played Monday evening, on slow and heavy ice. The various rinks are shaping up well for a good season's play, and there promises to be a very interesting series of games.

With development of the alfalfa meal business by the Alfalfa Products Co., and the promise of its growing to very large proportions, there is an assured market right at home for all the alfalfa that this district can raise.

Special evangelistic services during the week of prayer, beginning Jan. 3rd, will be held in the Methodist Church, starting each evening at 7.45. A special preparatory service will be held to-night (Thursday) at 7.30. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and join in the services.

Mr. A. McPherson's Brahma bantams carried off 1st cockerel and pullet and 1st pen prizes at the Provincial poultry show at Vernon recently, and his prize pigeons netted 1st in their class. With a few fancy birds Mr. McPherson won money prizes that exceeded the winnings of some of the big exhibitors.

There was a very happy Christmas dinner party at the King Edward last Friday evening—much larger than on previous occasions of the same character—and Mine Host Murphy more than sustained the reputation of the house by the excellence of the dinner. New Year's day dinner will be served as usual, which means that it will be as good as the best.

Parish of Enderby, 2nd Sunday after Christmas: Holy Communion, 8 a. m.; Mattins and Litany, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7.30 p.m. Special prayers, intercessions and hymns on behalf of a speedy and lasting peace. On Thursday, at 11.30, a midnight (watchnight) service will be held, consisting of hymns, prayers and address.

Methodist Church services, Sunday, Jan. 3rd: Morning subject, "Spiritual Stock-taking." The evening service will be taken by Rev. T. D. Hall. Service at the Ashton school at 2.30.

A proclamation has been issued by the King setting forth Sunday, Jan. 3rd, as a day of prayer and intercession on behalf of the cause of the Allies in the great European war, and special services are to be held in the Anglican, Presbyterian and Methodist churches as appointed by the King.

The officers of the Enderby branch of the Okanagan Ambulance League have received acknowledgment from the head office in Toronto of the last shipment of clothing etc., forwarded from here. The need for more is urgently expressed in the acknowledgment; and the Enderby League ladies are hoping that there will be a generous attendance at the New Year's dance given in aid of the fund, tomorrow (Friday) evening in K. of P. Hall, to enable them to purchase another supply of material to be [illegible] payments for the am-

[illegible] comes direct from the heart of England, and says that, while the feeling is general that the war will be prolonged far beyond all previous calculations, there is the calm of assurance throughout England. Only by a slow process of attrition can the war be carried on to a successful issue. Capt. Cameron left Enderby at the opening of hostilities to join the engineer corps, and was in active service up to six weeks ago, when he became ill and was unable to take up the work again owing to the state of his health.

A very enjoyable Christmas entertainment was given by the school children of North Enderby in the school house last Wednesday evening. The attendance was large and the performance of the children greatly pleased the parents and visitors. The great success of the entertainment was largely due to the untiring efforts of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron who left undone nothing that would add to the pleasure of all. The school trustees provided for a present and Christmas fruit for each child. It is said that the progress of the North Enderby school has been very encouraging. They expect to have 24 children on the roll the ensuing term.

IT ISN'T YOUR TOWN—IT'S YOU

If you want to live in the kind of town
Like the kind of town you like,
You needn't slip your clothes in a grip
And start a long, long hike.
You'll only find what you left behind,
For there's nothing that's really new.
It's a knock at yourself when you knock your town:
It isn't your town—it's YOU.

Real towns are not made of men afraid
Lest somebody else gets ahead;
When everybody works and nobody shirks
You can raise a town from the dead;
And if while you make your personal stake
Your neighbor can make one too,
Your town will be what you want to see:
It isn't your town—it's YOU.

WAR NEWS UNIMPORTANT

The war news of the past week has been unimportant. There was no cessation of hostilities for Xmas. On the contrary, on both fronts the armies of the Allies and the enemy met in many desperate encounters, but the net gains have been slight on either side.

Seven British seaplanes supported by cruisers and submarines made an attack on the German sea coast at Cuxhaven, and of these seven, four were lost in the encounter with German aircraft and shore batteries. The comparative ease with which English airmen reached Cuxhaven has driven home to the people of England the idea that a retaliatory visit would not present any greater difficulty.

From latest reports from the Russian frontier it would seem that the Russians have this week succeeded in getting the upper hand, though no great movement has been made by either side. Petrograd reports one thing and Berlin another. It is apparent, however, that despite the fact that the Russians have had to give up their investment of Cracow and retreat fifty miles to the rear, they have been able to check the German-Austrian advance and are in stronger positions of defense than heretofore. In their new position along the Bzura and Rawka rivers they have been able to check the German advance on W[illegible]

[illegible] Telegraph press [illegible] cedes the importance of the trenches taken from the Allies by the enemy south of Ypres, and it is pointed out that the strategic value of these trenches has been emphasized in a despatch from Sir John French. They command an important crossing of the Lys river to which the Germans have been holding tenaciously, and the taking of these trenches gives them a stronger foothold.

The Daily Telegraph concludes a Christmas review of the war situation with these words, "In Poland, as elsewhere, all goes well with the Allies."

IT'S UP TO THE PEOPLE

For the past week or two Mr. S. Polson has been strenuously canvassing for support and stating that he was intending to run for Mayor. Just what success Mr. Polson has achieved in the way of pre-election promises no one can say. But the problem is before the people of Enderby and it must be faced. And just at this time it is most important for Enderby to have at the head of municipal affairs a man of sober, tried business capacity. The past year has been a difficult one to finance. Businessmen have found it difficult to collect the amounts due them, and have had to curtail expenditures all along the line. The city has been placed in a similar position. Taxes have not been paid as in previous years, and with no money coming in the city has been compelled to put a stop, so far as possible, to money going out. It has been a year of "marking time." If the war is prolonged, next year conditions will be much the same.

It is therefore up to the people of Enderby to say who they will have to represent them in the handling of the public business. In the enforced absence of Mayor Barnes on military service, Alderman Murphy has handled himself in the capacity of acting mayor most creditably, and to him should go the office if he will take it. We know Mr. Murphy does not seek the office. If the ratepayers and business people desire him to stand it will be up to them to requisition him.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends who in any way helped us during our time of sadness and bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. POUND & FAMILY.

An opening for Enderby small boys—a hole in the ice.

Summary of Recommendations of Agricultural Commissioners

The complete report of the Royal Commission on Agriculture, appointed on December 4, 1912, under the Public Inquiries Act, has just been issued by the Department. It is a very voluminous document, and on the recommendations contained therein will be based the bill which will be presented at the forthcoming session of the local Legislature, which will convene in three weeks' time.

The report now published is divided into two parts, the first dealing briefly with the findings and recommendations which were presented at the last session of the Legislature; the second part supplies more details of the information obtained which influenced the findings and recommendations, and other particulars bearing upon the subject of the inquiry.

Some of the more important conclusions arrived at by the Commission are: That it should be the duty of the organizations under the commercial branch of the Department of Agriculture to conduct educational work in the different districts in the direction of co-operation, and to advise the proposed agricultural credit commissioners on the feasability and soundness of [illegible] to [illegible] marketing and co-operation there should be established a commercial branch of the Department of Agriculture.

That the Minister of Agriculture be relieved from the charge of any other department.

That it is desirable to promote co-operation among the producers and also among the buyers of agricultural products.

That the Government adopt a system of direct agricultural credit on the lines of the system in force in New Zealand.

That, as another means of attracting to the province a very desirable class of settlers, viz., lads and young men intending to become agriculturists and with means to do so, government training farms should be established, in which fees sufficient to cover the cost of operation would be charged.

That systematic experimental work be done by the government in land clearing.

That registration and licensing of all persons, companies or corporations doing real estate business in the province, and the furnishing by them of bonds, would tend to reduce the evil of real estate misrepresentation, and would certainly be of service to injured parties in obtaining redress.

That, at as early a date as possible, improvements on farm lands be exempted from taxation, and that the basis of valuation of land for taxation purposes be made as nearly as possible the price that a willing purchaser would pay for it if the land were in a state of nature.

DECREASE IN SHIPMENTS

There was a decrease of 238 carloads in the shipments from Enderby in 1914 as compared with those of 1913. The decrease was largely in lumber shipments. The hay shipments of 1914 exceeded those of 1913 by 19 carloads. Following are the carloads sent out:

Lumber	419
Fence Posts	9
Cordwood	1
Hay	80
Flour and feed	18
Ties	137
Live stock	3
Brick	4
Settler's effects	3
Potatoes	1
	675

In the lumber shipments were included four carloads sent to U.S. points for transhipment to the Old Country.

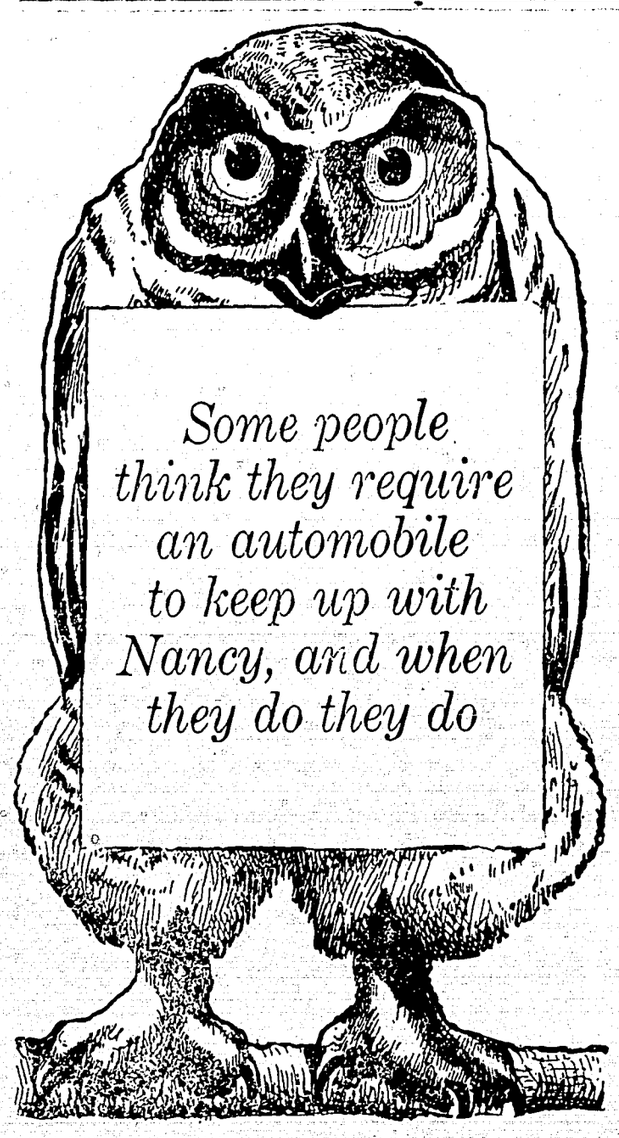
LITTLE DO[illegible] POUND DIES

For [illegible] while Little Dorothy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Pound, suffered the pains of inflammatory rheumatism coupled with phneumonia. A weak heart made treatment most difficult, but she showed many signs of improvement under the skillful treatment administered by Dr. Keith, and had sufficiently recovered to be able to enjoy the many Christmas gifts bestowed upon her. On the morning of the 27th, however, she was suddenly taken with severe coughing, and, this ended, the heart ceased beating, and the child was at rest. Dorothy was nine years of age, and a child of charming disposition and great affection. Her death came as a great shock to all who knew her, and the sincerest sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Pound in their great loss.

Interment took place on the 29th from St. George's Church, Rev. C. Reed officiating. Beautiful floral pieces were received from the teachers and children of St. George Sunday Sshool, and the rector, organist and choir; from Mr. F. S. Stevens, Miss Kathleen Polson, Mrs. Warwick and family, Mr. and Mrs. Turner, Misses. Carlson, Masters Folkard, Miss Cissy Sparrow and the Home.

First Curling Schedule

		Won by	Score
Dec. 28		Dow	15-7
Dow-Walker	Evans-Prince	Prince	17-6
Dec. 29		Murphy	18-1
Murphy-Stevens	Keith-Mack	Mack	10-9
Dec 30		Dill	13-4
Dill-Murphy	Scott-Evans	Evans	12-4
Dec. 31			
Stevens-Dow	Prince-Keith		
Jan. 4th			
Walker-Dill	Evans-Keith		
Jan. 5th			
Murphy-Dow	Mack-Scott		
Jan. 6th			
Stevens-Dill	Prince-Mack		
Jan. 7th			
Stevens-Walker	Scott-Prince		
Jan. 8th			
Murphy-Walker	Mack-Evans		
Jan. 11th			
Dow-Dill	Scott-Keith		
Jan. 12th			
Winners	Winners		



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HAPPY NEW YEAR, ALL !

Here's good luck, good fortune, good health and good friends to all for every day of the year 1915. May every sigh of yours be for others and every smile be one that is shared by all your friends. And at the end of the year may we all look back upon it as gladly as we will look forward to the next—with the world once more at peace and wars and rumors of wars unheard of in all the land.

TAKE HEART !

The year 1915 opens bright and promising for Enderby and district. We see in the future a greater prosperity and greater promise than that of the past. Big things are soon to open up, and greater development along industrial lines is already taking shape. We expect to see Enderby's pay roll doubled within the next year. The past season of depression has held back development, back to a point where men are compelled to think twice before venturing. This has been a good thing, and cannot but lead to a more permanent, fuller development when the tide turns the opposite direction, as it must turn sooner or later—sooner, we believe, than most of us now anticipate.

There should be no downheartedness. The period of depression is waning. There are many indications of a better growth than Enderby and district has ever had. The real estate hobby-horse and rider have been, or are being laid away. No more will they be fed at the expense of the legitimate investor—the man who honestly endeavors to build up himself by building up the town. It was the sorest blow Enderby ever had when this blighting influence became a resident of the community. And it will be the best thing that could happen the community when this "something for nothing" bubble is shot to pieces, and we get back to the good old policy of "value received, dollar for dollar."

We have done with the real estate gambler. The man who ties up property on the small first-payment plan and does nothing to improve it. And that spirit of gambling is rapidly disappearing, if it has not already vanished. We start the New Year on a better foundation, not only in this respect, but in the various business lines also.

LOOKING FROM FRUIT TO THE COW

The business people and farmers of Kelowna and vicinity have determined to have a creamery established there, and much effort has already been taken to get such an organization under way. Of course, he first thing necessary is to have the cows. Without these it is impossible to interest creamery capital. It is interesting to note that the people of Kelowna recognize the advantages of a creamery community over a fruit community, for Kelowna fruit growers are supposed to have succeeded above those of other sections of the Okanagan. And yet, we see them looking from fruit as an industry to dariying, and they declare they are determined to make the dairy proposition "go."

It is most encouraging to see the various sections of the Okanagan becoming interested in the cow. The Press has endeavored to show the advantages of dairying, poultry raising and hog raising over fruit raising as a commercial proposition for several years. Without attempting to discount the splendid opportunities here for the practical fruit man, we are convinced that, as a commercial proposition, fruit growing in the Okanagan does not offer the ordinary man who desires to "get back to the land" one-half the opportunities for money-making that dairying and its side-lines offer.

We understand the question of a creamery for the Enderby district has been taken up by local men, and has progressed in some measure—to a point where it is now a question of whether or not it shall be a co-operative proposition, with the shares held and money provided by local ranchers. Here it rests. Nevertheless, there is a conviction prevalent that the creamery must soon come, either as a co-operative proposition or a private business proposition. The number of cows in the district is steadily increasing, though slowly, and sooner or later the proposition must command the attention of our people. There must come combined effort in these matters of development if the industry is ever to reach the point of successful achievement, and the only way it can be handled successfully is along the same lines that have proven successful in other countries and other sections—through combined effort.

The Kelowna Record gives this rough draft of of the plan it is proposed to follow there: "The idea is to incorporate under the Agricultural Associations Act with a capital of $40,000, of which 20 per cent. would be paid by the shareholders, and 80 per cent. loaned by the Provincial Government. Building and equipment are estimated at $5,000; $5,000 could be reserved for working capital, leaving $30,000 with which to assist the farmer shareholders in purchasing cattle.

"There are at present in the Kelowna district 300 mature cows available for supplying a creamery. Suppose with the $30,000 a purchase was made of 300 good two-year-old grade heifers, and these alloted to the shareholders in the proportion of three cows to every four shares held, with the payments spread over five years, by deducting a certain portion of the cream returns due each week. In five years the cows would be paid for and they and their progeny would have increased in the meantime to a value several times the original cost, and the creamery would have $30,000 of the government loan repaid.

"Assuming that there are now 300 cows in the district, and that another 300 were brought in, even a conservative estimate of the increase in five years presents some startling figures. Allowing 50 per cent. of the progeny to be heifer calves and 50 per cent. bull calves, at the end of five years there would be the following stock: Cows, 1,860; two-year-old calves, 700; yearling calves, 900; bull calves, 2,580. Valuing cows at $100, two-year-old heifers at $50; yearling heifers at $25, and bull calves at $8, these would have a value of $264,140, or an increase in five years of $204,140."

PROVINCIALISM IN JOURNALISM

The Revelstoke Review draws attention to a phase in the handling of the war news by our Canadian newspapers that The Press has frequently referred to. "We have noticed," says the Review, "that our Canadian papers always paint the rosiest side of this war in their headlines. It would seem that unless they have not some good news to tell they will let an item of real news slip by with little notice. This is not good newspaper work. Neither is it fair to the people. In a sense it is a slur at the intelligence and fortitude of our people. No matter what the reverses may be we are not children and can stand to hear about them. It is not doing our cause any lasting benefit to keep the people in ignorance of the exact condition of affairs. When the people of Great Britain realize the enemy are striking hard they in turn will strike all the harder.

"We are strong enough to face the swaying fortunes of a great war. Otherwise we would not be strong enough to wage it. Why cannot the daily newspapers tell the facts as they happen? People get tired of always hearing about the successes, with very little mention made of the reverses."

There is a great deal of truth in these remarks of the Review. The war correspondents have told us nothing but about Russian victories on the Eastern fighting line and victories of the Allied troops on the Western fighting line. Of course, all are pleased with this news, so far as it goes and can be believed, but the question arises in the mind of any thinking person why, in face of all these reported successes, have not the Russian troops and the Allied troops made better progress in driving back the enemy to the borders of Germany? This question is only natural in view of the ever repeated reports of daily reverses to the enemy, and must eventually, if not already, greatly weaken the confidence of the people in anything sent from the censor's table.

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The people of Canada are asked to celebrate with devout thankfulness the celebration of the 100 years of peace between the United States and Great Britain in an appeal issued Christmas Eve by Mr. Edmund Walker, president of the Canadian Peace Centenary Association, and C. F. Hamilton, honorary secretary. "We address this appeal," their statement reads in part, "to your memory of the history of our continent in a solemn and moving time. No such happy fortune has befallen the continent of Europe.

"But while the battle cloud hangs low, while our gaze is riveted on scenes of suffering, we must not forget that North America presents a spectacle which is at oice a contrast and a promise. We invite the gratitude of the Canadian nation for the merciful dispensation of Providence which has bestowed upon our lonapre-our.yl 0gcforouc peace upon our land. For one hundred years the sword has been sheathed upon the border between Canada and the United States. Two peoples, energetic, active, anxious to make the most of their possessions, have dwelt side by side and have avoided armed strife. Occasions of difference have arisen; conflicts of interest have disturbed their harmony, but always the voice of reason has been heard and the disputes have been adjusted.

"Firmly as we British people have grasped the sword, resolute as we are not to sheathe it except with honor and with a new security we are convinced that the dealings of the great Empire and the great Republic afford a noble example to the rest of the world. They remain as our ideal international relations, and, coming as the centenary does at so troubled and absorbing a time, we urge the Canadian people to celebrate it with devout thankfulness and as a pledge for happier times to come."

THE MEASURE OF CANADA

Responding to a request from the editor of The Ottawa Citizen for a Christmas message for publication from the Premier of British Columbia, Sir Richard McBride sent the following:

"While the Empire is at war and Canada is involved in the issue to the measure of her resources, Canadians—men and women, old and young—shonld be strong of purpose resourceful in emergency, eager for opportunities of industrial expansion, thoughtful of neighbors, generous towards debtors.

"The war may be long, but, long or short, the outcome is as certain as that right must ultimately prevail. The attitude of the French people, as indicated by Premier Viviani, that they are ready to make all sacrifices, must be the attitude of Canada.

"If the Allies ares truggling to the end for the liberty of Europe, it means also that we are struggling for the existence of the British Empire, with whose destiny Canada is bound up, and for the maintenance of British institutions and time-honored traditions of British liberty and enlightenment."

THERE CAN BE BUT ONE ISSUE

"There can be but one issue to this war," said Hon. R. L. Borden in an address at Toronto recently, "but do not expect that it will be a speedy issue. I have reason to know that the results hitherto attained haveb een all that were anticipated by the Allies; but so far as can be foreseen there is a long struggle before us.

"The justice of the Allies' canse is generally understood and recognized among our kinsmen in the great neighboring nation, and we are proud of their sympathy. A representative of the German Government in that country has recently thought it necessary to discuss the Monroe Doctrine as it may effect Canada. That doctrine, as you know, does not embody any principle of international law, but is a policy proclaimed nearly one hundred years ago by the government of the United States. For the reason that it is a policy of the United States that country alone has the right to determine its scope and its limitations. As the policy of a greas friendly nation, the Monroe Doctrine is entitled to every respect, *but Canada does not seek shelter behind it in this war. The people of this Dominion are eager and determined to take part in a struggle which involves the destiny of their Empire, and, indeed, its prepared and willing to assume all responsibility which that action involves, and they have a reasonable confidence in Canada's ability to defend her teritory.*"

CONTEMPLATE A RAW FUTURE

Captain Persius publishes in The Berliner Tageblatt a curious appeal for a better appreciation of the facts regarding the British navy. He says that, while hitherto the wish has often been the father of the thought, the approach of "raw winter" makes it desirable for Germans to reflect more calmly and so, "armed in confidence," to make themselves able to "contemplate a raw future." He proceeds:

"One of our chief mistakes was to under-estimate our opponents. In many cass the activity of the British navy was disposed of with a contemptuous gesture. It was said that the whole behavior of the English forces gave evidence of a serious weakness, and that there could be no talk of a navy supremacy of Great Britain. It seems advantageous to reduce this view to a more modern proportion. It is, of course, easier to win applause with high-sounding phrases, but does that serve our interests? After nearly four months of hard struggle it is permissible to appeal to cool judgment of reason."

After discussing various details, Captain Persius says: "With the exception of a few small and old ships, the whole navy withdrew to the protection of its ports—much to the disappointment of our submarines, which derive sympathy because they find no more valuable targets for their well-aimed torpedoes. It would be a mistake to criticise the British navy on this account. It will, perhaps, be said that in view of its enormous superiority its tactics are feeble. But England never pursued a policy of sentiment, and there can be no doubt that the tactics which have been followed are technically right. The moment for throwing in battleships and batile cruisers has not come. The situation is similar for us."

AN EDITOR'S LOVE LETTER

Dear Darling Delinquent. Our precious subscriber in arrears: You are so shy: Don't think we have sold out and gone. No little sugar plum; we could not get away if we wanted to. We are still at the same old stand dishing out advertisers on sweet promises and bright expectations. They make an excellent diet, darling, with a little pudding flavored with a word of encouragement to serve as dessert. We are waiting and watching for thee, our turtle dove. We long to hear the ring of happy dollars in our office. Dear one, we feel unusually sad and lonely without you, dear. Now little pie crust, come through. Do we hear you say in a voice so sweet and beguiling "I'm coming?" or is it only the winds that around our office roar? We pause for further developments.

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If you can keep your head when all about you
  Are losing theirs and blaming it on you;
If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,
  But make allowance for their doubting, too;
If you can wait and not be tired by waiting,
  Or being lied about don't deal in lies,
Or being hated don't give way to hating,
  And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise;

If you can dream—and not make dreams your master;
  If you can think—and not make thought your aim;
If you can meet with Triumph and Disaster
  And treat those two impostors just the same;
If you can bear to hear the truth you've spoken
  Twisted by knaves to make a trap for fools,
Or watch the things you've given your life to, broken,
  And stop and build 'em up with worn-out tools;

If you can make one heap of all your winnings
  And risk it all on one turn of pitch-and-toss,
And lose and start again at your beginnings,
  And never breathe a word about your loss;
If you can force your heart and nerve and sinew
  To serve your turn long after they are gone,
And so hold on when there is nothing in you
  Except the will which says to them: "Hold on!"

If you can talk with crowds and keep your virtue,
  Or walk with kings—nor lose the common touch;
If neither foes nor cooing friends can hurt you;
  If all men count with you, but none too much;
If you can fill the unforgiving minute
  With sixty seconds' worth of distance run,
Yours is the earth and everything that's in it,
  And—which is more—you'll be a Man, my son!

—Rudyard Kipling.

SUNSHINE SERMONS

Cheerful Guidance to a Happier, Healthier Life
By the Philosopher-Physician
GEORGE F. BUTLER, A. M., M. D.

Most people overdo the matter and overeat with the result that they suffer from indigestion and clogging up of the system with "ashes" or waste matter. Occasionally a person suffers from mental indigestion from overstudy or reading, but rarely does this occur, while stomach indigestion is very common.

It is a wise practise for the majority of women and for all sedentary persons and for invalids to stop eating before they are quite satisfied; in other words, to leave off hungry.

It is scarcely possible that any person of even a moderate share of force of character and intelligence could practise for a single week the habit of rising from the table a little hungry thrice a day, and then comparing his general feeling of healthfulness with those experienced from the contrary habit of always overloading, and not be overpoweringly convinced of the beneficial effects as to resolve that for the remainder of his life he would eat temperately, not fill to his utmost at any meal.

The answer to the question how much to eat, must depend largely on the circumstances of age, sex, season, latitude and employment. The following rules will perhaps meet all cases as to general habits. Eat at regular specified times, and at no others. Hard workers who are most of the time out of doors may eat as much as they want of breakfast and dinner. Sedentary persons who are indoors most of the time should never eat full as much as they want.

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LAW ENFORCEMENT

"What are they moving the church for?" asked the tenderfoot in a Western town.

"Waal, stranger; I'm mayor o' these diggin's, an' I'm fer law enforcement. We've got an ordince which says no saloons shall be nearer than 300 feet from a church. I gave 'em three days to move the church."

BEFORE CUTTING ICE

Before cutting ice for domestic purposes it is necessary to obtain a permit from the local Board of Health, the Provincial Government Agent, as there is a penalty provided under the Health Act if this is not done.

All women are riddles, but most of them guessable.

SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS

Coal mining rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and a portion of the province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2,560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or sub-Agent of the district in which rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee for $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated, such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee may be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10.00 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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CITY OF ENDERBY

NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the City of Enderby that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, Enderby, B. C., on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing persons to represent them in the Municipal Council as Mayor and Aldermen.

The mode of Nomination of Candidates shall be as follows: The Candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p. m. of the day of nomination: the said writing may be in the form numbered 5, in the Schedule of the Municipal Elections' Act, 1908, and shall state the names, residence, and occupation or description of each person proposed, in such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate; and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1915, at the City Hall, Enderby, of which every person is required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualifications for a person to be nominated and elected Mayor are: That such person is a male British subject of the full age of twenty-one years: is not disqualified under any law, and has been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the city of the assessed value, on the last Municipal Assessment Roll, of one thousand dollars, or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who is otherwise duly qualified as a municipal voter.

The qualifications for a person to be nominated and elected as an Alderman are: That such person is a male British subject of the full age of twenty-one years: is not disqualified under any law, and has been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner, in the Land Registry Office, of land or real property in the city of assessed value on the last Municipal Assessment Roll, of five hundred dollars, or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who is otherwise duly qualified as a municipal voter.

Given under my hand at the City Hall, Enderby, B.C., this 31st day of December, 1914.

GRAHAM ROSOMAN,
Returning Officer.

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ENDERBY

NOTICE

Public Notice is hereby given to the Electors of the School District of Enderby, that I require the presence of the said Electors at the City Hall, Enderby, B.C., on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1915, at 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of electing a person to represent them as Trustee on the Board of School Trustees of Enderby in the place of Thomas Robinson, whose term has expired.

The mode of Nomination of Candidates shall be as follows: The Candidates shall be nominated in writing; the writing shall be subscribed by two voters of the Municipality as proposer and seconder, and shall be delivered to the Returning Officer at any time between the date of this notice and 2 p.m. of the day of nomination: the said writing may be in the form numbered 5 in the Schedule of the Municipal Elections' Act, and shall state the names, residence, and occupation or description of each person proposed, in such manner as sufficiently to identify such candidate; and in the event of a poll being necessary, such poll will be opened on Thursday, the 14th day of January, 1915, at the City Hall, Enderby, of which every person is hereby required to take notice and govern himself accordingly.

The qualifications for a person to be nominated and elected as a School Trustee are: That such person is a British subject of the full age of twenty-one years, actually residing within the School District, and has been for the six months next preceding the day of nomination the registered owner, in the land registry office, of land or real property in the city school district, of the assessed value on the last municipal assessment roll, of five hundred dollars or more, over and above any registered judgment or charge, and who is otherwise qualified to vote at an election of school trustees in the said School District.

Given under my hand at the City Hall, Enderby, B C., this 31st day of December, 1914.

GRAHAM ROSOMAN,
Returning Officer.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that, at the expiration of Thirty (30) days, application will be made to the Board of License Commissioners for the transfer of the License for the sale of Liquor by retail in and upon the premises known as "The Enderby Hotel," situate in the City of Enderby, upon the lands described as Lots One (1) and Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4), Block Eleven (11), Map Two Hundred and Eleven "A" (211a), and part of Lots One (1) and Two, (2), Belvedere Townsite, to Morgan O'Brien.

RICHARD ELI BEST,
By H. G. Davies, Attorney.

Dated this Ninth day of December, A. D. 1914.

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NOTICE

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