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N. B.

At the evening service Greenwood the Sacrament of the Lords Supper will be observed. An invitation to join with the congregation in this Holy Sacrament is freely extended to all who possess a true interest in Christ and the work of His Kingdom; to all who are sensible of the want in their lives of such communion as is found in this Sacrament and who feel the urge to rededication in Christ and the call for a new departing from all iniquity.

The Sunday School will not meet again until Sept. 3rd, but the children are invited to attend the church service every Sunday evening.

Church of England

Rev. E. A. St. G. Smyth

Services during August will be as follows:

August 13th

11 a.m. Bridesville. 7.30 p.m. Midway

August 20th

11 a.m. Kettle Valley.

7.30 p.m. Greenwood

August 27

11 a.m. Greenwood. 7.30 p.m. Midway

FOUND—On wagon road at Kettle Valley, Sunday the 6th inst, Ladies bracelet with initials N.B. Owner may have same by apply to R. E. Norris, Kettle Valley, B.C.

Around Home

Summer is more than half over.

Life on the farm just now is one job after another.

Mrs. Walter Murray, of Trail, is the guest of Mrs. Hugh Murray.

Bob Mitchell left for Hedley on Monday where he will seek employment.

H. L. MacKenzie, barrister, of Grand Forks, died in that city last week.

Miss Lottie Haw, of Grand Forks, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Keir.

Make visiting auto parties welcome to town. They are profitable visitors.

The Granby mine at Phoenix is overflowing. It has taken over two years to fill up.

John Benson has returned from Hedley where he had been employed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buckless are in town from their ranch on the Main Kettle river.

Howard Smith, of Westbridge, was the guest of Mrs. G. S. Walters on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Acoam and son, of Spokane, were visitors in town on Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Wilson and three children, of Meyers Creek, are visiting Mrs. T. Rowe.

Frank Peterson who has been spending a few days in town left for Creston on Monday.

Albert Haw has returned to Grand Forks after spend a holiday at the Keir ranch.

About the only thing more unlovely than a cold fried egg is a wilted collar after a picnic.

Weather warm!
Fishin' good!
Water fine; come on over!

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lee and Miss Georgina Lee returned on Saturday from a motor trip to Spokane.

Miss Evelyn Tye is spending a few days at "Mountain View" the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Hoy.

Rev. Father Cocola, of Grand Forks, held service in the Catholic church on Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. I. Thompson returned to Trail on Monday after being the guest of Mrs. Geo. Clerf for a few days.

Weasels are getting quite common amongst the chicken coops this season to the dismay of the farmer's wife.

Miss R. Madge and Miss E. O'Donnell, of Rock Creek, were the guests of Miss Mary Kerr during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McMillan, of Trail, are spending a few days in Midway, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kerr.

Mrs. W. H. Docksteader, Wilfrid and Velva Docksteader left on Sunday morning for a month's holiday in Vancouver.

Miss Gladys McCreath returned to Vancouver on Sunday after spending her vacation with her sister Mrs. H. Thomas.

LOST—A green and black mackinaw coat near Fretz' ranch on the Eholt road. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at THE LEDGE office.

R. L. McAllister and family, of Rossland, and A. H. Webster and family, of Grand Forks, were in town on Monday enroute to the Okanagan for a holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. McArthur returned to Trail on Sunday after spending a two weeks holiday, the guest of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kerr in Midway.

To a fish fly a day must seem a long time. In fact it is a whole life time. The fish fly has nothing to do with the rearing of its own young. It produces the eggs and that is all. Intercourse with its own babies is denied it. It knows nothing of family life. It misses the happiest part of human life, when the babies are growing from infancy to manhood. In comparison with this period in the life of a man, nothing else is worth while. Without doubt if this piece were left out, human life would not be worth living. A contemplation of this fact makes the distance between human and insect life more profound.

Miss Annie Eustis, of Vancouver, was the guest of Miss Priscilla Kerr on Tuesday and Wednesday, enroute to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Eustis, at Trail.

Word has been received from P. B. Freeland, M. E., that he will be in town on Thursday the 10th. Those mentioned in the mining article are requested to be in attendance at the Board of Trade rooms on Thursday evening at 7.30 prompt to meet Mr. Freeland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bannerman of Los Angeles, were renewing acquaintances in town on Monday. Years ago Dave was in the livery business in town and sold out to Frank Buckless.

The boys and girls have forgotten all about school and books, their minds being centered on getting as much enjoyment as possible out of the midsummer holidays. What is more, as a rule they just know where the fun is.

Miss Ethel Ferguson, of the staff of the Enderby school, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. R. Dewdney, in Penticton for the past month, arrived in Midway last week on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Van Wagenen and two children, of Copper Mountain, and Mrs. Whitmore and son, and Miss Ward, of Denver, Col., called on Mr. and Mrs. G S. Walters on Monday on their way to Nelson. The party will return on Friday.

The trout fishing is wonderful this year. These fish are not only numerous, they are also large. Last year it was feared that our fishing grounds were being depleted, but now the experts are confounded and do not know what to think. All they can do is to join with the sportsmen in the general rejoicing over the revival of the old time trout fields.

The tendency to cry down a small town is universal. It is a trait of human nature. The bargains to be procured in other towns were constantly in our thoughts and on our tongues. Our information concerning these things is seldom authentic, but if no one talked until he was on sure ground the English tongue would soon be forgotten. We must be constantly saying something in order to keep alive the trick of speech.

Thomas Jenkin, sr., of Chewelah, Wash., father of Thos. Jenkin, of Greenwood, died last Friday at the ripe old age of 75 years. He had been ill for sometime and death was not unexpected. Mr. Jenkin was a well known and prosperous farmer and was highly respected by all who had the privilege of his acquaintance. He leaves three sons to mourn him, Henry, Joseph and Thomas. The funeral was held on Sunday under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. of which he was a charter member. Interment took place at the Chewelah cemetery.

Distinguished and well known visitors to town this week were Dr. Sidney S. Oppenheimer, Mrs. Oppenheimer and son, Maurice. Also Mr. and Mrs. I. Breslauer, all of Spokane. They are on a motoring trip in the Boundary. Dr. Oppenheimer, who at one time practiced medicine in this town, has still great faith in the district and owns the City View mineral claim near the Prince Henry, and the Salamanca Fraction in South Deadwood camp also some city property. Mr. Breslauer was a prominent business man in Greenwood in the early days being proprietor of the Greenwood Trading Co., with headquarters on the corner where P. Burns store now stands. They left on Tuesday for Christina Lake.

During noon hour on Wednesday some thoughtless person threw a match or cigarette end near the base of the old store next the Pacific Hotel. Fortunately the blaze was noticed by R. Taylor and a few buckets of water sufficed to extinguish the fire which in a very short time would have caused a conflagration of a magnitude hard to realize. Some people don't know the danger from carelessness in handling matches, etc., especially in the vicinity of places as this mentioned as the footing of this building is as inflammable as tinder and in addition the risk to adjoining property is so great as to be a continual source of anxiety to the owners.

Mining News

Great interest has been taken in the work, now completed, of unwatering and sampling the Barbara mine and the Republic groups as will be shown by the following list of subscribers and workers. T. M. Gulley and G. S. Walters have devoted much time and energy in connection with this project and have received whole hearted support from everyone interested. Terms have been obtained on three other claims in addition to the ones above mentioned. Mr. P. B. Freeland, the Provincial Government Resident Mining Engineer, under whose supervision the work has been done, will be in town in a few days and give a detailed report on the operations and there results. It is hoped that all who have given their donations of money and work so liberally and willingly will be in attendance at the meeting notice of which will be given in due course. Messrs. Morrison and McGillis were employed to undertake the work although much of their time was put in voluntarily.

Lew Bryant	Volunteer work
Harry Bidder	" "
Billy Bryant	" "
Geo. Clerf	" "
A. N. Docksteader	" "
Robert Lee	" "
James Hallett	" "
Jerome McDonell	" "
Joe Price	" "
Ola Lofstad	" "
James Kerr	$10 00
Geo. S. Walters	10 00
T. M. Gulley	10 00
Andrew Sater	10 00
Hooker & Wightman	10 00
J. H. Goodeve	10 00
James McCreath	10 00
Lee & Bryan	10 00
Jas. Muir	10 00
V. S. Newton	10 00
Taylor & Jenkin	10 00
A. N. Mowat	10 00
H. McCutcheon	10 00
John Meyer	10 00
Geo. Sutherland	10 00
G. W. A. Smith	10 00
Charles King	10 00
Dan McGillis	10 00
H. C. Medill	10 00
A. J. Morrison	10 00
L. Portmann	10 00
J. L. White	10 00
Hon. J. D. MacLean	10 00
D. D. McLaren	2 00
John Boltz	2 00
E. Pope	5 00
Alex Greig	5 00
J. N. Paton	5 00
Arthur Legault	5 00
Alec McKenzie	5 00
R. O. Fisher	5 00
E. F. Keir	5 00
J. Keady	5 00
W. Elson	5 00
D. R. McElmon	5 00
W. H. Bryan	5 00
R. Forshaw	5 00
C. Patsworth	5 00
Geo. H. Gray	5 00
J. R. Jackson	5 00

Hugh McGillvray and H. M. Stramberg recently took a four year lease and bond on the White Star owned by Mark Christensen near Boundary Falls. The lead on this property is from 8 to 10 feet in width and resembles the Bay mine which carries gold and silver. Former picked samples assayed 120 ounces in silver and $6 in gold, with average assays at $38 and $48. Mr. McGillvray is sending out samples for assay this week to Nelson and if returns are satisfactory a 30-ton shipment will be made to the smelter in the near future.

Clement Vacher, A. Bravard and Claude Gidon are doing development work on the New Jack of Spades in Central camp. The property is owned by Mr. Vacher and the ore values are in gold and silver.

Joseph P. Acoam, a mining broker of Spokane, inspected the Republic group and Helen mine this week. He took samples from these mines with the assistance of A. J. Morrison. The properties are owned by O. Lofstad.

C. E. Bartholomew, of Springdale, Wash., is doing some work on his claims in this vicinity. Mr. Bartholomew staked the Providence, Spokane and Combination mines 32 years ago.

Morrison and McGillis will do some development work at the Bay Mine, work to commence in a few days.

City Council

The City Council held a lengthy meeting on Monday evening, Aug. 7th in the City Hall, Mayor Gulley presided and all Aldermen present. Bylaw No. 2 was given final reading and passed without any dissentient.

A matter relative to improvements on the sidewalk on Long Lake St. was turned over for action by the streets committee.

The report of the water committee was presented and discussed. The repairs on Twin Creek reservoir are proving the salvation of water supply as no leakage whatever is taking place. The whole of Twin creek is now turned into the resevoir and by judicious use on the part of consumers, the city from Kimberley Avenue to the South end of Silver St. should be well supplied. Repair work on the wooden mains from Lind creek is still proceeding and the intermittent supply of water to the people south of Silver St. will soon be remedied. Three cases of disregard of the sprinkling hour from 6 to 7 were brought to the notice of the council but as the informants did not wish to have their names disclosed no action could be taken, but the premises of the ones mentioned will be closely watched and all water service immediately cut off at the instance of any member of the council or city officials who discover the delinquents. The council expressed its determination to support the water committee in its efforts to prevent wastage and to ensure a reasonable supply for the rest of the season.

Copy of a notice of application for a water right on Twin Creek by Mr. W. Jenks of the Phoenix Rd. was referred by the water committee to the whole of the council. The City Trustee had already instructed the committee to oppose such application and this was endorsed by the council who are taking no chances of the supply of water for the city being jeopardized.

The pound committee recommended that a telephone be installed in the residence of the pound-keeper, and this matter will be decided in the very near future. It is very probable that summonses will be issued against the owners of refractory animals which remain in the city after the pound keeper is unable to handle them.

Dr. Oppenheimer, of Spokane, formerly of Greenwood, and still a property owner here, called on the Council during its session and expressed his appreciation of the efforts being made to keep the city in such good shape during the hard times. He spoke in the most optimistic manner of the future of Greenwood and mentioned instances coming under his notice recently of enquiries being made regarding the Boundary country, and his confidence in the place was enough to compel him to hold his property and pay his taxes regularly and promptly. The members of the Council were gratified with the visit of the well known doctor who announced his intention of paying more frequent pleasure visits to the city and district.

Anaconda School

The Anaconda School will be kept open if there are six or more regular pupils, according to a letter received by T. Hartland from the Department of Education. On Monday August 7th a meeting was held in the school house with E. F. Keir in the chair and school matters were thoroughly discussed. S. Bombini, J. Keady and Mrs. F. Maletta were elected Trustees and Mrs. Maletta was appointed Sec.,-Treas. It was shown that there would be more than the required number of pupils attending and the school will be open next term.

Notice

Owing to bush fires near Rossland burning the power line of the South Kootenay Power and Light Co., and from which THE LEDGE gets its power to run the presses, this paper has consequently been delayed.

The Short Work Day

Many things which are fine in theory, and in support of which seemingly incontrovertible arguments can be advanced, do not come up to expectations nor prove a success when the acid test of actual experience is applied. All right in theory, they are failures in practice.

Since the war, and in the topsy-turvy period which has been one of the aftermaths of the great struggle, quite a number of ideas over which people theorized have been given a trial. Russia has gone the limit in socialistic experiments, confiscating property, placing a ban on capital, and generally attempting to run the country on plans never before attempted, but which had for years been lauded and advocated by certain theorists. The world knows the result—Russia ruined, an outlaw among the nations, her people starving by the hundreds of thousands, her lands untilled to a great extent, and her great industries idle and useless.

In other countries, including Great Britain, United States, Canada and Germany, the experiment of greatly reducing the daily number of hours of work is being tried out with, as yet, no appreciable results of a beneficial character resulting to the workers, while the effect on industry and commerce generally, and on the living costs of all people has been disastrous.

Germany probably reveals the best example of the results of this experiment. Under the old autocratic form of monarchial Government, the workers of Germany had to work long hours. Following the revolution and the abdication of the Kaiser, a Workers' Government came into power. Hours of labor were greatly reduced, the old nine and ten-hour days being replaced by an enforced eight-hour day for all occupations, and to seven and six hours for certain arduous occupations. The experiment has not been a success, and, although Germany still has a Workers' Government, it is now proposed to add one or two hours to the workday. This policy is not one being forced on the workers; it is the labor leaders themselves won see the necessity for the longer workday.

The theory back of the much shortened workday is that the free time thus provided for the worker is to go into the family life, recreation, study—in short, to enable the workman and his family to cultivate qualities valuable to the family, society and the coming generation, to improve health and generally enable the worker to devote more attention to his home and self-improvement. Germany, however, is learning by experience that shortening of the workday below a certain figure develops into a problem of disposition of the free time.

It is pointed out by a writer in The Saturday Evening Post that when a twelve-hour workday is shortened to ten hours the disposition of the two hours does not constitute a problem, but when this free time is extended from two hours to four or even six hours a day a civic and economic problem arises. It has been found that this free time is devoted to a marked extent to one form or another of waste. The waste, it is pointed out, is often economic, in that the free time is devoted to trivialities that reduce the family income for necessities. In a word, the fact is that the free time has, with many, not been devoted to social, cultural, or economic ends, nor even to recreation, but has been worse than wasted, resulting not in an improvement of the condition and health of the worker, but in all round loss to him and his family.

German labor leaders are awakening to the fact that their old theory that with a shorter workday, the output per hour would be increased is not working out in actual practice; that the physical condition and morale of the worker has not improved; and that the only way to increase production and thereby enable Germany to pay her debts and rehabilitate her industries, is to increase the workday. They realize that the present salvation and future hope of Germany depend upon increased production, and that this can only be achieved by longer hours of labor.

Germany does not stand alone in the need for increased production. The whole world suffers from the same need, and particularly industrially developed nations like Great Britain, the United States and Canada. If the shorter workday had resulted in the physical and intellectual improvement of the worker and his family, then the gain would have offset the loss in production, but when there is no gain in that direction, but only loss to add to loss, it is becoming increasingly evident that the extreme short workday is a mistake economically, both for the nation and the individual.

What France Fears

May Be Unable to Demand Reparations If Armament Reduced

It is not so much the fear of invasion—at any rate of immediate invasion—which governs the French attitude; it is the fear that she may in the end be left powerless to extract the demand for just reparations which has been repeatedly endorsed by this country and, indeed, by the commonsense and equity of the world. Against such a contingency she is entitled to adequate guarantees, that is to say, to a relatively high ratio of land armaments. She can demand this logically on much the same sort of ground as we demand a high ratio of sea power. If any reasonable concession to her wishes in this matter can win her assent to a practical scheme of disarmament the concession ought to be made.—London Daily News.

Baron Byng Given Klondike Welcome

Governor-General Finds Dawson Citizens Out in Full Force

A Klondike welcome awaited Lord and Lady Byng when they stepped ashore in Dawson from the steamer White Horse. The Governor-General and his party had come up the river to visit this outpost of Canadian life. He found its citizens awaiting him with cheers and hearty handshakes.

Returned soldiers turned out in force, drawn up in military formation. They presented His Excellency with the colors of the Second Yukon Motor Machine Gun Brigade. After a formal reception from the Yukon Order of Pioneers, the colors which were carried to France by the brigade were permanently deposited by Baron Byng in the Yukon exhibit hall, with the usual ceremony.

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Germany's New Hate Hymns

France Justified in Her Fear of Another War

The parallelism between recent articles in the Berlin Deutsche Tageszeitung and the magazine published in America by George Sylvester Viereck is striking.

The theme is the same in both cases—namely, France, its character and its conduct. The Tageszeitung raises the question of whether a Frenchman more resembles a tiger or a gorilla. It reaches the amiable conclusion that he is a mixture of both. France, we are told, has a poisoned race soul and is addicted to the crucifixion of human beings. A Frenchman, it appears, is never so happy as when engaged in nailing a tortured fellow creature to a cross. As fierce as a tiger and as cunning and fiendish as a gorilla, the Frenchman is presented as a vile monster the gentle German is unhappily compelled to tolerate as a neighbor. The Tageszeitung appeals to the friends of Germany throughout the world, especially those in America, to spread knowledge concerning the true character of France.

Viereck does his utmost to comply. He begins by saying that "France is the Cain among nations." "Her international manners," he declares, "are those of a pig, a pig clad to the snout in shining armor." Further we learn: "The French may be human beings. Rational beings they are not." And so on and on. Viereck hymns a hate more passionate than that of Lissauer.

Formerly it was the Briton who was to be cursed with every breath. Now there are oily smiles for John Bull and much deprecatory scraping and blowing as he draws near. France has become the abominable one.

Germans, whether in the Fatherland or in other lands, doubtless deem their new propaganda subtle and convincing. If the amazing things about the amazing German mind nothing is more amazing than the German inability to understand how other folks think.

Yet for Germany so to spurt venom is not all a joke. It impedes world disarmament. It makes almost impossible further reduction of the French military establishment. It justifies French fear that Germany still has a will for war. In every way it postpones reconciliation. Yet, blind with rage, organs which pretend to express German opinion devote themselves to fanning German hate.—From the New York Tribune.

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When America First Appeared on Map

New World Designated by Italian Artist in 1514

"America" first appeared on the map of the world drawn by no less an artist than Leonardo da Vinci, and Major, the expert on the science of map drawing, explains the circumstances as follows:

"The first map known to exist with the new world delineated upon it is that drawn by Juan de la Cosa, the pilot of Columbus on his second voyage. This map is dated 1500. Juan de la Cosa was with Ojeda and Vespucci, and afterward with Ojeda on his last and ill-fated expedition.

"In May, 1507, just the year after the death of Columbus, a man named Martin Waldseemuller wrote a book to which was appended a Latin account of the four voyages of Vespucci. In this book, published at St. Die in Lorraine, Waldseemuller proposed that the name 'America' should be given to the new world, in honor of Vespucci, whom he erroneously supposed was the discoverer of the continent.

"In 1508 the first engraved map containing the new world appeared in an edition of Ptolemy, printed at Rome; but this does not bear the name 'America.' But in 1509 this name appears as if it were already accepted as a well-known denomination in an anonymous work, entitled 'Globus Mundi,' published at Strasburg.

"The map of the world of Leonardo da Vinci, presumably issued in 1514, has the name 'America' across the South American continent as well as the North—thus a Dutch author and an Italian artist contrived, possibly without malice, to rob Columbus of at least some of the fruits of his courage and perseverance."—Detroit News.

British Firms for Canada

The campaign of Canada's Trade and Commerce Department to attract British branch factories to the Dominion is now being brought to a close. The net results are that representatives of four important British firms are actually in Canada for the purpose of locating sites, while fifteen other companies have the matter under consideration. Of these latter nine or ten are expected to send men to look over the ground in the course of the next year.

Poison in Mushroom Cap

Animals usually know what is good for them and squirrels will consume the stalks of poisonous mushrooms without any apparent ill-effects. The cap of the plant is left. This suggests that the poison may be contained in the rejected portion, the escape of the feeding squirrels not being due to any special immunity. But the subject requires careful investigation.

Mlle. Jeanne Lamar, France's champion boxer, stopped her male opponent in a three-round bout held in Reading, Pa., recently.

French Deserter Was Foolhardy

Arrested on Swiss Frontier After Defying Police for Years

A wealthy Frenchman, F. Bertrand, described as a deserter, has been arrested at Geneva at a moment when he had practically one foot on either side of the Swiss and French frontier line, in a cafe that straddles the border. The cafe is in the village of Saint Julien on the international boundary. Part of the building is in Switzerland and part in France.

Early in the war Bertrand settled in Geneva where, his accusers aver, he made a large fortune trading with Germany. He bought a villa and several automobiles, and led a life of pleasure. He said he was more French than German, and took pleasure in speaking against France, particularly in the cafe at Saint Julien where, safe on Swiss territory in one of the drinking rooms, he could be overheard and even seen by the French police in the rooms on the French side.

There the French listened to his annoying talk but, unable to catch him on the French side, they could not arrest him. Bertrand boasted that—when there was no police about—he would enter France and return without a passport.

Bertrand, after dining well, crossed the border by going from the room on the Swiss side to greet some friends. At the instant he passed the line into France he was pounced upon by two French gendarmes. He put up a fight, but was quickly subdued, handcuffed and carried away.

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Clothing the British Army

Nearly a Thousand Million Yards Used to Clothe Soldiers During the War

The clothing material ordered for the British army during the war was not far short of a thousand million yards, according to some figures that have now been published. It would be equal to about half a million miles, enough to go twenty times round the world.

Of this great total nearly 186 million yards of cotton fabrics for uniforms and other clothing suitable for eastern climates were bought, while 64 million yards of flannelette and 36 million yards of tent duck cotton were other items.

The army's greatcoats were responsible for 39 million yards of cloth and nearly 81 million yards of serge were required for jackets, trousers, puttees and so on; while more than 50 million yards of tartan were used for clothing our Scottish soldiers.

The heading miscellaneous cloth covers an item of 104 million yards; while for use in hospitals and for underclothing more than 276 million yards of flannel were required.

GUARD BABY'S HEALTH IN THE SUMMER

The summer months are the most dangerous to children. The complaints of that season, which are cholera infantum, colic, diarrhoea and dysentry, come on so quickly that often a little one is beyond aid before the mother realizes he is ill. The mother must be on her guard to prevent these troubles, or if they do come on suddenly to banish them. No other medicine is of such aid to mothers during hot weather as is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the stomach and bowels and are absolutely safe. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Mapping the Flin-Flon District

Oil Deposits in Large Area Will Be Investigated

The Geological Survey this year has a survey party, under the direction of Dr. F. J. Alcock, mapping in detail an area of about 50 square miles in Northwestern Manitoba, including the Mandy copper deposit and the Flin-Flon gold-bearing area around Elbow Lake. The known ore deposits in each area will be also carefully investigated. It is intended to provide good geological maps of the areas in which intensive prospecting is being carried on and to accompany the maps with reports indicating the character and mode of occurrence of the various types of ore deposits and the extent of their development.

No Family Quarrels

Great Britain needs Canada, as Canada needs Great Britain, and in their hearts the people of both countries know it. Only by standing and pulling together can the various members of the Commonwealth of British nations fulfil their great destiny of helping, as no other band of nations can, to bring about the unity and peace of the world.—London Times.

W. N. U. 1432

Suffered So Her Hair Turned Gray

Husband of Winnipeg Woman Tells About Her Terrible Experience

"I never would have believed any medicine could bring about such a change as Tanlac has done in my wife," said Harry Gray, of 126 Bryce St., Winnipeg, Manitoba.

"For many years she suffered from stomach trouble and bilious attacks which, of late, were so violent that she had to go to bed for two or three days at a time. She got to be very thin and as weak as a child. She had such terrible headaches and suffered so dreadfully that though still a young woman, her hair turned gray.

"But the way Tanlac helped her is remarkable. She has gained fifteen pounds and is the picture of health. Tanlac is the finest medicine in the world."

Tanlac is sold by all good druggists.

Activity in Building

Recent Returns Indicate Heavy Increase Over Last Year

Building operations in Canada are showing large expansion this year, according to the reports received from fifty-six cities by the Federal Labor Department. The returns for the month of May just published, indicate an increase of 26.2 per cent. over April and 32.6 per cent. over May of last year. The value of building authorized in these fifty-six cities during May was $17,565,326, compared with $14,082,170 for April and $13,402,165 for May, 1921. The volume of building contemplated in all provinces except New Brunswick, Manitoba and British Columbia showed considerable gains during May. Quebec province reported an increase of 51.3 per cent., from $2,619,710 for April to $3,963,598 for May; while Saskatchewan topped the list in percentage gains by registering an increase of 316 per cent., from $308,955 for April to $1,281,431 for May. Of the larger centres, Montreal and Toronto registered increases in the value of permits issued as compared with both April, 1922, and May, 1921, Winnipeg and Vancouver showed declines from April, but gains over May of last year. Brandon, Moose Jaw, Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary and Edmonton reported considerable expansion over April and over May of last year.

Killed By Blood Poison

Used an old razor for paring his corns. Foolish because 25c buys a bottle of Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor which for fifty years has been removing corns and warts without pain. No failure if you use "Putnam's." Refuse a substitute, 25c everywhere.

Speed of Fingers Differs

Right Hand Quicker and More Accurate Than Left

The fingers of your right hand are quicker and more accurate than your left, says the Popular Science Monthly.

The ring finger on your left hand shows a burst of speed whenever it can work with the forefingers of your right hand; and it slows down noticeably when it must team with the middle finger of your left hand.

Two fingers working together are faster than one going it alone. And a combination of two fingers on opposite hands is faster than two fingers on the same hand.

Practice, while it increases the speed of all fingers, tends to increase the rate of the slow ones more than the fast ones, thus overcoming the handicap of that one that lags naturally.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

A Sure Sign

Editor.—Do you know how to run a newspaper?

Applicant.—No, sir.

Editor.—Well, I'll give you a trial. I guess you've had experience.

Figures on the birth-rate in sixteen of the French Departments for the first quarter of the year show that the deaths exceed the births.

Britain's Military Strength

Reduction to Ninety Thousand Being Condemned by Press

The proposal that Britain's army shall be reduced to a strength of ninety thousand of all ranks which is to be made when the mixed commission of the League of Nations presents its report to the Council of the League, in the near future, is being generally condemned by the British press, which thinks that the world-wide military commitments of Britain makes it necessary for her to have an army at least as large as that of pre-war days.

The army is already below what some conservative critics regard as the minimum, but the agreement is warmly supported by Lord Esher, who is the author largely responsible for the scheme. The Sunday Express had a long and somewhat bitter article denouncing Lord Esher as an amiable but industrious nuisance and it demands that he show his authority for juggling with the military strength of Britain.

DISTRESS IN THE THROAT CAUSED GREAT ANXIETY

Not an uncommon experience, was that of Mrs. H. S. Wilmot, of Shulee, N.S.: "Many remedies failed, still splendid results were found in 'Catarrhozone.' I have been a most dreadful sufferer from Bronchial trouble and Catarrh. On damp days I would hawk and suffer great distress in my throat. I used all kinds of medicines but didn't get permanent relief till I used Catarrhozone." It strengthened my throat, stopped my cough, and made me well." Try Catarrhozone yourself—see what wonders it works on a bad throat, or colds, catarrh, bronchitis. Different from the old way, because you breathe Catarrhozone. Get the dollar outfit which includes the inhaler and last two months. Small size 50c. Dealers, The Catarrhozone Co., Montreal.

Buried Culture of the Past

Discover a Shrine Antedating the Cliff Dwellings

Discovery of a shrine and other unique ceremonial objects used in the mysterious rites of a people believed to be older than the ancient cliff-dwellers has been made by Dr. J. Walter-Fewkes, chief of the bureau of American ethnology, in excavations near Far View House in the Mesa Verde National Park, Colorado, according to information received by the Smithsonian Institute at Washington.

These finds are the result of the field work just begun and are expected to be followed by others which may throw more light and add much to the knowledge of the culture which is buried in the past.

The most striking result of the digging is a shrine on a raised dais on the floor of a large ceremonial chamber. On the shrine idols, fetishes, prayer sticks, platter with corn, tobacco, etc., were found as well as twelve well preserved clay pipes unlike anything ever before found in these ruins. Two vases, one representing a duck, are also among the exceptional archaeological collections made. In a room barely five feet long beautifully decorated pottery radically different in ornamentation from that of the cliff dwellers was found and the indications are that this ruin belongs to an epoch older than that of the cliff dwellers.

Cheaper Lumber

The Mountain Lumber Manufacturers' Association announces a reduction of fifty cents per thousand feet in the delivered prices of all principal grades of lumber in order that the benefit derived from lower lumber freight rates to prairie points may be passed on to buyers and consumers of lumber. Rate reductions will average about fifty cents per thousand feet.

The Wretch!

Conductor.—"Pardon me, madam, but your girl seems more than twelve."

Her Mother.—"Conductor! Would you take me to be the mother of a girl that age?"

Conductor.—"Lady don't tell me you're her grandmother!"

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England Has Funeral Tax

Merely Revival of Old Law Modified in 1750

Among the new taxes with which England is burdened there is one on funerals.

This is, however, merely the revival of a tax that existed as early as in 1695. At that time every burial involved a fee to the state of $2.

In 1750 this law was modified and the tax was based on the profession of the deceased.

To bury a workingman $1 had to be paid. The tariff exacted $5 for a "gentleman" or his wife, $25 for a doctor of law, $150 for a duke and $250 for a bishop.—New York Tribune.

To "Manufacture" Eggs

London's newest industry will be Sterilized Egg, Limited, a company which has just been granted a provincial charter for $100,000. It is headed by Dr. A. Roy Routledge and has secured the Canadian rights for manufacture or equipment which it is claimed will keep eggs fresh for two years.

"When you are hungry, keep still," says a doctor; "movement will only make your hunger grow."

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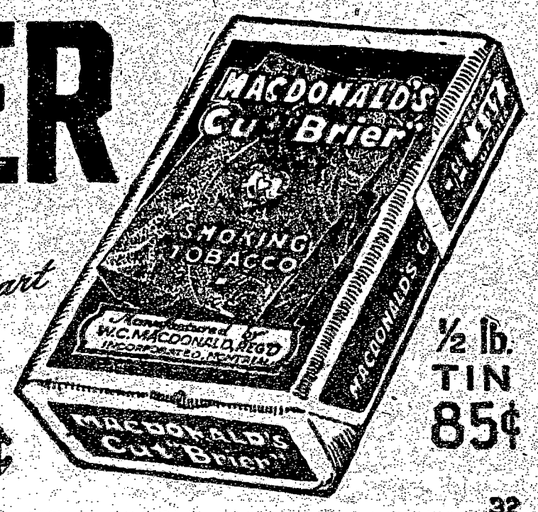

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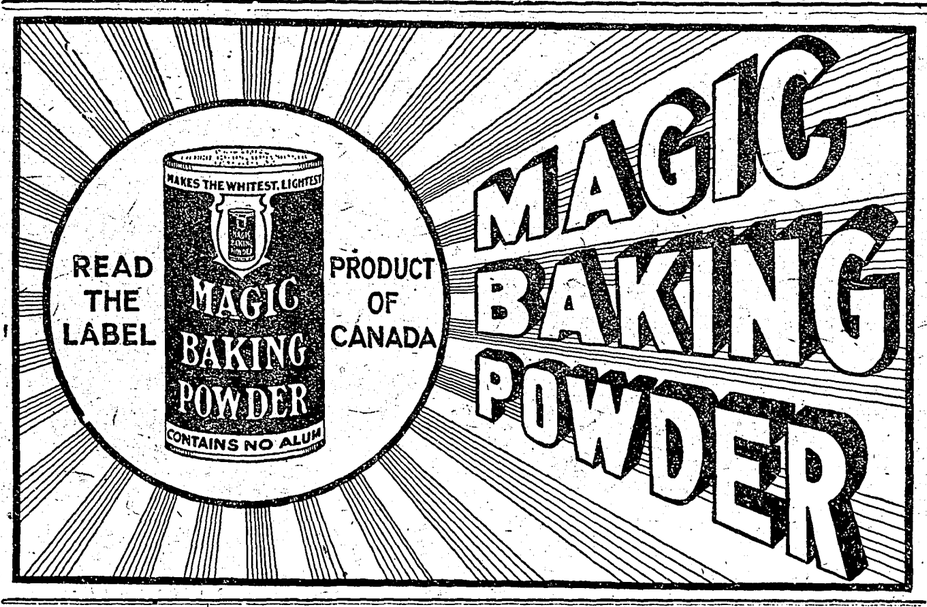

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The new ocean terminal at Ogden Point, B.C., was officially opened Aug. 1 for the shipping business offering at the port.

With an army of five thousand "hikers" "General" Frank Riley hopes to march again to Ottawa at the beginning of October.

It is rumored in Jamaica that a disastrous hurricane in Cost Rica has caused widespread destruction of the banana crop.

The local offices of the White Star and Canadian Pacific Railway at Moscow, which were closed by the Soviet Government, have been re-opened.

Six million feet of lumber, valued at $350,000 and two houses at Trout Lake, North Bay, Ont., were destroyed by fire.

A new Polish Cabinet, headed by Dr. Julian Nowas, rector of the University of Cracow, as Premier, is gazetted.

Infuriated at the sight of a red pail containing blueberries, a bull tore down upon the 15-year-old son of Austen Reed, Waterville, Que., and inflicted serious injuries.

Authority has now been obtained for renaming Avenue Du Bois De Boulogne as Avenue Marchal Foch, and a further portion of the avenue in the Bois itself as Avenue Marechal Petain.

Designed to carry a torpedo weighing 1,500 pounds, to fly two miles a minute, and to reach an altitude of 3,000 feet in six minutes, a new torpedo plane built for the British Air Ministry has just undergone a searching test and satisfactory trial.

Questioned in the House of Commons, London, regarding the interchange of teachers between Great Britain and the Dominions, a representative of the Government said arrangements had been made for recognizing the services of teachers going to the Dominions.

Alberta has spent $450,000 this year in the fight against the grasshopper, according to Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture. Just over 14,000 tons of poison has been used, made up of 685 tons of molasses, 644 tons of arsenic, 6,233 tons of bran, 625 tons of salt and 5,871 tons of sawdust.

Lieut. Tracy Lyons, aviation section, U.S. army, and Augustus Altmeyer, Jr., of Port Jarvis, N.Y., were burned to death at Port Jarvis when an airplane in which they were flying crashed to earth. Breaking of a propeller caused the plane to take a fatal nose dive.

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Measuring Electricity

Method Is Same As Used In Measuring Water

The language of the electrician is Greek to most people. While he talks glibly of volts and amperes and watts, they know only that they have to pay an electric light bill for so many units, and let it go at that!

Though electricity is not a fluid, most of its terms can be compared with water flowing through a pipe. Turn a stream of water onto the paddles of a water-wheel, the work that the wheel will do depends upon two things—the amount of water delivered every second and the pressure of the stream. The first is measured in gallons and the second in pounds.

In the case of electricity, however, the rate at which it flows is measured in amperes and its pressure in volts. The work which it will do is found by multiplying amperes and volts together, which gives the answer in watts, or units of energy.

The unit is 1000 watts, often called a kilowatt, which is the electrical equivalent of one horsepower.

You will find the number of watts they require engraved on most electric lamps, and from this you can discover what they will cost to use. A 25-watt lamp will use one unit of 1000 watts in forty hours' burning.

The ohm is another electrical instrument which can be understood by a comparison with water. Water flows easily through a large pipe, but if the pipe is narrow, only a small quantity can force its way through. What the pipe is to water, the wire is to electricity. The smaller the wire, the more difficult electricity will find it to pass, because the fine wire resists its flow. Wires are measured by their resistance in ohms.

Durable Roman Roads

Portions Being Unearthed Compare Favorably With Modern Highway

In the third century the Roman rulers of England made a road which ran from Dover to London, and then northward to York and Newcastle, with branches leading to Chester and Carlisle.

They made is so well, laid its foundation so honestly, that a piece of it that has been uncovered in Hertfordshire is pronounced by the county and road surveyor to be as good as any highway today.

Give it an asphalt surface, he says, and it would compare favorably with the best of modern roads.

What a tribute to the work of those Roman road-makers! What an encouragement to all who are trying to do faithful, durable work in any direction!

Watling Street was used for centuries, then its surface began to be covered up by the dust of ages. It fell into disuse; it was covered by meadows; it disappeared even from local memory.

But wherever a piece of it is unearthed, as is happening now in Hertfordshire, there are the foundations firm and undisturbed by the centuries that have passed. Honest endeavor, putting the best of use into the day task, never loses its value.

Minard's Liniment for Dandruff

Exchange in Europe

Humorous as well as remarkable are some of the stories of the fluctuating rates of exchange in European money.

An Englishman on his way from Germany to Switzerland bought a bottle of wine for 500 crowns in the Austrian Tyrol. After dring the wine he kept the bottle, and on crossing the Swiss border, sold it for fifty centimes. A Swiss fifty centime piece is worth 700 Austrian crowns, so that the Englishman not only got his wine for nothing, but made 200 crowns.

Snakes Overturn Auto

John Spelton, a traveling salesman, attempted to drive his roadster over two king snakes engaged in deadly combat in a road near Cape May, N.J., and had his car overturned into the ditch for his trouble. The reptiles, each measuring nearly seven feet in length, became entangled in the steering gear and forced the car off the road. Spelton was uninjured.

The United States post office uses 800,000 miles of twine every year, enough to girdle the earth 30 times.

Elephants never recover from pneumonia.

Grazing Privileges

About one hundred thousand head of livestock—cattle, horses and sheep—belonging to settlers and ranchers in the prairie provinces, graze each season on Dominion forest reserves. The grazing is regulated so as to give all stock owners fair play and to utilize all the pastures to the fullest extent without injuring them by overgrazing.

YOUR STARVED NERVES

The Cause of Neuralgia—Must be Treated Through the Blood

Neuralgia is the cry of the nerves for more and better blood. It means that the nerves are being starved. Like every other part of the body the nerves receive their nourishment through the blood. There is therefore no doubt that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will prove beneficial even in extreme cases of neuralgia. These pills increase and enrich the blood supply, carrying to the nerves the elements they need, thus driving away the sharp, torturing pains which nearly drive the sufferer wild. The benefit given by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of this kind is shown by the case of Miss Carrie V. Fletcher, Ravenscliffe, Ont., who says:—"As the result of a severe wetting I got while out in a rain storm, I was attacked with neuralgia, from which I suffered greatly, and which kept me awake night after night. Although the pain diminished somewhat, I began to suffer in other ways. My appetite was poor; I got thin and had no energy. Indeed I was becoming a wreck of my former self. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I am more than glad that I followed the advice, for they have restored me to my old-time strength. I cannot recommend the pills too highly and hope other persons in poor health will give them a fair trial."

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail postpaid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Saskatchewan Coal Shipments

The coal mines of Bienfait, Sask., are maintaining weekly shipments in excess of 2,000 tons, fifty-six cars leaving the past week with 2,146 tons. At the five collieries there is a total of 165 men employed.

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Those subject to frequent "colds in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will build up the System and render them less liable to colds. Repeated attacks of Acute Catarrh may lead to Chronic Catarrh.
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There were 425,022 persons ten years of age and over in the State of New York in 1920 unable to write in any language. In New York City there were 281,121 illiterates, of whom 270,788 were foreign-born whites.

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When the Auto Loses

Collisions at railway crossings continue. Most of these conditions are the culminations of races between trains and autos ending in a tie. The train, however, always succeeds in knocking the auto off the tracks, for no one has ever heard of an auto knocking a train off the tracks. It may therefore appeal to some auto drivers' sense of logic that in all such cases a tie means that the auto loses. —Ottawa Citizen.

A Martial Obligation

"I must say those biscuits are fine!" exclaimed the young husband.

"However could you say those were fine biscuits?" whispered his mother as the fair bride went to get more from the kitchen.

"I didn't say they were fine, mother," replied the young man. "I merely said I must say so."

Minard's Liniment for Burns, etc.

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This trelaine three piece suit of heater and canton crepe has the slender lines so much desired at the present time. Tan wool is used in the embroidered motif, and the collar, which is very unique, is faced with crepe.

Mothers Value this Oil.—Mothers who know how suddenly croup may seize their children and how necessary prompt action is in applying relief, always keep at hand a supply of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, because experience has taught them that this is an excellent preparation for the treatment of this ailment. And they are wise, for its various uses render it a valuable medicine.

Export Saskatchewan Butter

Between 25 and 30 Carloads Will be Sent to Britain this Year

A representative of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Creameries has just returned from Europe after having made arrangements to export the bulk of the company's butter from Regina to Great Britain direct, and it is expected that between 25 and 30 carloads will leave Regina for the British Isles this year. Four cars are already on their way to the Atlantic coast.

Most Travelled Woman

Has Penetrated Portions of South Africa Unknown to Explorers

Mrs. Charlotte Cameron, of Edinburgh, is the most traveled woman of today, according to the Royal Geographical Society. She has just returned from a protracted sojourn in the South Sea Islands. In 1910 Mrs. Cameron covered 10,000 miles in South Africa. Later she continued her exploration of the dark continent, completely circumnavigating it and penetrating portions hitherto unknown even to explorers and scientists. During the war, when most of the world was closed to travel, Mrs. Cameron spent much time in Alaska. During the past three years she has been in South America, Australia and the South Seas.

Paring a corn is both risky and ineffective. It is much better to use Holloway's Corn Remover and eradicate them entirely.

Coin for League of Nations

The League of Nations recently struck off one coin (franc or), which typifies the coin standard under which all league calculations will be based. It contains .3225805 of a gram of gold, 90 per cent. fine, and is worth .1925 of a dollar expressed in American currency.

The coin is octagonal, and carries the inscription "S.d.N.1921," which means "Societe des Nations." Only one coin will be minted, since it will be used merely as a standard and not for circulation.

Complete in itself, Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator does not require the assistance of any other medicine to make it effective. It does not fail to do its work.

A Wonderful Scale

The Bank of England has in use a machine so delicately adjusted that it can give the accurate weight of a speck of dust, whilst the same machine will also weight metal up to four hundred pounds. A postage stamp placed on this scale will swing an indicator on a semi-circle a space of six inches.

Charles Baker, a British soldier, is still living unhampered although he has carried a bullet in his heart since the battle of Gallipoli.

At Alto, Crucero, in Bolivia, water freezes every night in the year, while at noonday the sun is sometimes hot enough to blister the flesh.

Ghent, in Belgium, is built on 26 islands, which are connected by 80 bridges.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR AUGUST 13

ESTHER SAVES HER PEOPLE

I. Haman's Wicked Plot Against the Jews (3:1-4:3).

1. The occasion of (ch. 3). Mordecai refused to bow down to Haman whom the king had elevated to the place of prime minister and commanded that reverence should be shown him by all the princes and servants. In order to get rid of Mordecai Haman formulated a scheme and secured the king's endorsement to destroy all the Jews.

2. Fasting and mourning among the Jews (4:1-3). In their distress they sought the Lord. They did that which all those who believe in God had a right to do (Jas. 5:13).

II. Haman Checkmated (4:4-7:10).

1. Plot made known to Esther (vv. 4-8). Mordecai appeared before the king's gate clothed in sackcloth. This condition was reported to Esther by her maids and chamberlains. Upon his refusal to put away mourning Esther sent Hatach, her special attendant, to find out the cause of it.

2. Message to Esther (v. 8). This was in the form of a charge that she go unto the king and make request for her people.

3. Esther's hesitancy (vv. 9-12). This was on the ground of a certain law which made it a capital offense for anyone to come into the king's presence unbidden unless the king should extend clemency by holding out the golden scepter. The fact that Esther had not been called to come in for thirty days would seem that the queen was in disfavor.

4. Mordecai presses her obligation (vv. 14, 15). (13) Her own life was involved (v. 13). She might meet death if she went to the king unbidden, but most certainly she would meet death if she made no effort to avert the danger. Being in the king's house would not save her, for the decree had been made against the race of which she was a part. Her silence on this occasion would mean death. (2) She was not God's last resort (v. 14). He argues that deliverance would come from another source. God's work goes on and His purposes are fulfilled regardless of the decisions of men. (3) Reminds her that she had probably been raised up for this very work (v. 14). Every one has been born and prepared for some definite work. God's providence brings us into the particular circumstances where we can most definitely do His will.

5. Esther meets the call of duty (4:15-5:3). (1) Preparation by fasting (v. 16). She instructed Mordecai to gather together all the Jews in Shushan and fast for her for three days and nights. She with her maids presence of the king (5:1-3). Having did the same. (2) Went into the made the decision to do her duty regardless of consequences, after due preparation by fasting and prayer, she presented herself in royal apparel in the presence of the king. She decided that the best thing she could do was to lay her life on the altar. "If I perish, I perish," ought to be the watchword when face to face with duty. (3) King's promise to Esther (v. 3). He assured her that her desire would be granted even to the half of his kingdom.

6. Haman hanged (5:4:7-10). Esther was shrewd as well as courageous. She invited the king and his prime minister to a banquet. At this banquet she proposed another for the following day, at which time she promised to make known to the king her request. Haman went home jubilant, but that night something occurred which turned the tide. The king discovered that no reward had been granted Mordecai for having saved his life. Haman is compelled to exalt Mordecai, and at the second feast the queen revealed his wicked treachery and he is ordered hanged on the gallows which he had prepared for Moredcai.

III. The Jews Delivered (chs. 8, 9).

Haman was dead, but the decree against the Jews still stood. Esther pleaded that it be reversed. While it could not be reversed, through her influence another decree was sent out which in a large measure counteracted the first. The Jews everywhere were granted the privilege to defend themselves and destroy their enemies.

Boy Scouts of the World

Number Nearly Two Millions Asserts Baden-Powell

An international congress of Boy Scouts was presided over by Lieut.-General Sir Robert S. Baden-Powell, founder of the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, at Sorbonne.

The congress, which lasted a week, had as its purpose the adoption of measures for intensifying the enrolment of boys i nscout organizations of various countries into closer relation with each other.

General Baden-Powell announced that the membership of the boy scouts of the world was now nearing the two million mark.

Canadian Bred

Premier Oliver, of British Columbia, was born in Derbyshire, Premier Greenwood, of Alberta, in Lincolnshire, Premier Dunning, of Saskatchewan, in Leicestershire. But Manitoba's new premier was born in Ontario. The old land is not to be given a monopoly of western premierships.—From the Toronto Star.

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Dog Receives Decoration

Saved Lives of Ninety-Two Persons in Steamship Wreck

A fine collar with cross attached has arrived at St. John, N.B., for "Hero," a Newfoundland dog, owned by Wm. Orm, of that city, in recognition of his saving ninety-two lives in the wreck of the steamship Ethie, on December 10, 1919, off the coast of Newfoundland. The dog swam through the big waves, taking a line from shore to the ship and by means of this a heavier line was put aboard and all saved.

The collar and cross are from the Starry Cross of Philadelphia. Mayor McLellan has exempted "Hero" from the local dog tax.

Great Reservoirs of India

For conserving her water supply there are to be found in India tremendous artificial lakes. At Dhebar, in the Rajputana Province, for instance, there is a reservoir with a superficial aera of 21 square miles; the masonry dam measuring over 300 yards in length and 32 yards in height. In Southern India, too, there are several reservoirs over 12 square miles in area.

Power of the Sun's Rays

The sun's radiant energy has been estimated as being equal to that which would be required to pump from the ocean enough water to supply a Niagara 75,000 miles wide. To equal the energy which the earth receives from the sun would call for a row of Niagaras encircling the earth three times, with every foot-pound of energy utilized in electric horsepower.

McMurray Tar Sands

Shipment Sent to Britain to Undergo Extensive Tests

A car of the McMurray tar sands has been shipped to Swansea, Wales, this being the combination of 18 months of research by General Lindsay's chemists in London, Eng. A variety of tests have been made in England in addition to which processes for the extracting of oil from the bitumen have been studied in both France and Germany, and it is hoped that the experiments on the new carload will be successful and result in more extensive developments.

The Basis of Trade

If we take the countries of the world we shall find that with few exceptions they do not produce sufficient food for their own people, and it may be said quite plainly that if the general idea some people have, that they ought to do so, were the case, the world's commerce would suffer an appalling setback. It is their interchange of commodities which is the basis of trade.—Singapore Free Press.

Alcohol, it is predicted, will in a few years replace gasoline as fuel for motor-cars.

BLACK LEG
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Soothing, thirst-quenching. Making the next cigar taste better.
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Delinquent Co-Owner Notices	$25.00
Coal and Oil Notices	7.00
Estray Notices	3.00
Cards of Thanks	1.00
Certificate of Improvement	12.50

(Where more than one claim appears in notice, $5.00 for each additional claim.)

All other legal advertising, 12 cents a line first insertion, and 8 cents a line for each subsequent insertion, nonpariel measurement.

Transcient display advertising 50 cents an inch each insertion.

Business locals 12½c. a line each insertion.

PUT your energy into achievement today rather than into regrets tomorrow.

THE impudent man reflects on what he has said; the wise man on what he is going to say.

FACTS, figures and statistics are available in almost every industry to prove that business generally is gathering momentum.

SOMEBODY wonders why men never kiss each other while women are always doing it. The men have something better to kiss and the women haven't.

THE first radio concert was held in Greenwood last night by a tomcat on a back fence. But with this disadvantage—you can "tune out" a radio concert if you don't like it. Though on the other hand, you have a chance of "getting" the cat with a brick or a boot.

BECAUSE of the great loss of life and property damage by fire during the past decade, the Dominion Government, by proclamation, is calling upon all Canadian citizens to exercise special care and to observe October 9th as fire prevention day. According to the proclamation, citizens will be required to inspect their dwellings and to remove all conditions likely to cause fire. The inspection is also to apply to factories, public buildings, warehouses, theatres, hospitals and other institutions.

COLLISIONS at railway crossings continue. Most of these collisions are the culminations of races between trains and autos ending in a tie. The train, however, always succeeds in knocking the auto off the track, for no one has ever heard of an auto knocking a train off the track. It may therefore appeal to some auto-drivers' sense of logic that in all such races a tie means that the auto loses. Idiots who race trains haven't any sense of logic, or any other kind of sense for that matter.

SAYS an exchange, "We wonder at times if a he-flapper doesn't yearn to dress in something that will reveal his ankles." Friend, your not observing—at least not of he-flappers. Been spending too much time and eye-strain, probably, on the flappers of the "she" persuasion. Or you'd have noticed that the he flapper not only yearns, but gratifies his yearning, by getting trousers three inches too short, and then turning up three inches of cuff. But we've never been able to work up as much interest in them as in the other kind. "He" ankles aren't a bit fascinating. Not even when clothed in shrieking silk socks.

Conservative Meeting

At a well attended meeting of the Conservative party at the Co-Operative Hall, Rock Creek, last Friday with John Docksteader in the chair and Capt. Davis, sec., pro tem, the following delegates were appointed:—Greenwood, D. McIntosh, A. J. Morrison, Mrs. W. B. Fleming. Midway; Miss Gladys Jackson, Frank Roberts. Kettle Valley; Capt. and Mrs. Davis. Sidley; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Leighton.

Boy Scouts

Troup meets on Wednesday at 7 p.m.

CUBS

The Cubs will meet this week at the usual place on Thursday at 7 p.m. instead of Saturday.

SEMI-READY
Tailored Clothes

Men's Suits and Overcoats

A fine range of samples to select from. (Just arrived.)

Now on view at

T. THOMAS
Tailor and Cleaner
Greenwood

Labor Day at Rock Creek

The United Farmers' are making great preparations for the Labor Day Celebration to be held at Rock Creek on Monday, Sept. 4th. Posters giving full information are now being printed. Four baseball teams will compete for the $50 prize. There will be horse racing, foot races, swimming, tug-of-war, trap shooting, etc., etc. The day will wind up with a big dance in the Co-Operative Hall.

A Silent Parrot

A lowly but not very humble parrot is responsible for many highly humerous scenes in Sidney A. Franklin's production, "Not Guilty." Director Franklin managed to get the bird into the spirit of the picture, and the bird's curious expression which the camera caught as he watched the actions of the players are said to be very laughable. Watch for his appearance at the Greenwood Theatre on Saturday, Aug. 12th.

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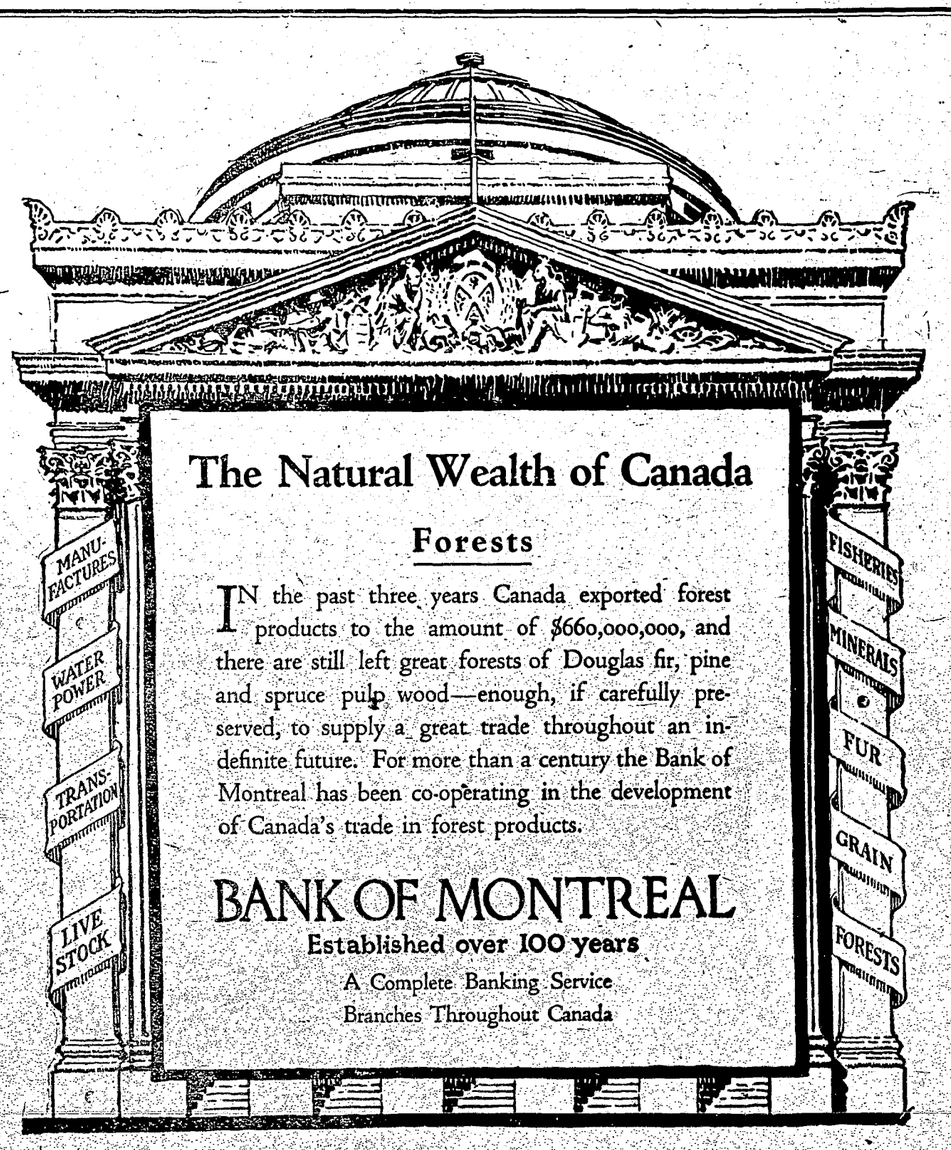

The Natural Wealth of Canada
Forests
IN the past three years Canada exported forest products to the amount of $660,000,000, and there are still left great forests of Douglas fir, pine and spruce pulp wood—enough, if carefully preserved, to supply a great trade throughout an indefinite future. For more than a century the Bank of Montreal has been co-operating in the development of Canada's trade in forest products.
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Another PRICE Suggestion
Muffins and Coffee Cake
BREAKFAST is too often eaten as a duty rather than a joy. The success of the day may depend upon the spirit of breakfast. Here are some breakfast dishes that will stimulate the most critical appetite.
(All measurements for all materials are level.)

MUFFINS
2 cups flour
3 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
1 tablespoon sugar
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup milk
2 eggs
1 tablespoon shortening
Sift together flour, baking powder, sugar and salt; add milk, well-beaten eggs and melted shortening; mix well. Half fill greased muffin tins and bake in hot oven 20 to 25 minutes.

CORN MEAL MUFFINS
¾ cup corn meal
1½ cups flour
4 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons sugar
1 cup milk
2 tablespoons shortening
1 egg
Sift together corn meal, flour, baking powder, salt and sugar; add milk, melted shortening and well-beaten egg; mix well. Half fill greased muffin tins with batter and bake about 35 minutes in hot oven.

DR. PRICE'S CREAM Baking Powder
Made from Cream of Tarter, derived from Grapes. Produces food that is fine in flavor, even in texture, delicious and wholesome.
MADE IN CANADA

DATE MUFFINS
½ cup butter
1 egg
2 cups flour
2 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
½ teaspoon salt
¾ cup milk
½ lb. dates
Cream butter, add beaten egg, then flour, baking powder and salt which have been sifted together, and milk. At the last stir in dates which have been pitted and cut into small pieces. Bake about 25 minutes in greased gem pans in hot oven. If a sweet muffin is desired, add ¼ cup sugar to dry ingredient.

COFFEE CAKE
2 cups flour
½ teaspoon salt
3 tablespoons sugar
4 teaspoons Dr. Price's Baking Powder
2 tablespoons shortening
⅔ cup milk
Mix and sift dry ingredients; add melted shortening and enough milk to make very stiff batter. Spread ½ inch thick in greased pan; add top mixture. Bake about 30 minutes in moderate oven.

TOP MIXTURE
2 tablespoons flour
1 tablespoon cinnamon
3 tablespoons sugar
2 tablespoons shortening
Mix dry ingredients; rub in shortening and spread thickly over top of dough before baking.

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Synopsis of Land Act Amendments

Minimum price of first-class land reduced to $5 an acre; second-class to $2.50 an acre.

Pre-emption now confined to surveyed lands only.

Records will be granted covering only land suitable for agricultural purposes and which is non-timber land.

Partnership pre-emptions abolished but parties of not more than four may arrange for adjacent pre-emptions with joint residences, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and must make improvements to value of $10 per acre, including clearing and cultivation of at least 5 acres, before receiving Crown Grant.

Where pre-emptor in occupation not less than 3 years, and has made proportionate improvements, he may because of ill-health, or other cause, be granted intermediate certificate of improvement and transfer his claim.

Records without permanent residence may be issued, provided applicant makes improvement to extent of $300 per annum and records same each year. Failure to make improvements or record same will operate as forfeiture. Title cannot be obtained in less than 5 years, and improvements of $10.00 per acre, including 5 acres cleared and cultivated, and residence of at least 2 years are required.

Pre-emptors holding Crown Grant may record another pre-emption, if he requires land in conjunction with his farm, without actual occupation, provided statutory improvements made and residence maintained on Crown granted land.

Unsurveyed areas not exceeding 20 acres, may be leased as homesites; title to be obtained after fulfilling residential and improvement conditions.

For grazing and industrial purposes areas exceeding 640 acres may be leased by one person or company.

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

Natural hay meadows inaccessible by existing roads may be purchased conditional upon construction of a road to them. Rebate of one-half of cost of road, not exceeding half of purchase price, is made.

PRE-EMPTORS' FREE GRANTS ACT

The scope of this Act is enlarged to include all persons joining and serving with His Majesty's Forces. The time in which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this act is extended from one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is made retroactive.

No fees relating to pre-emptions are due or payable by soldiers on pre-emptions recorded after June 26, 1918. Taxes are remitted for five years.

Provisions for return of moneys accrued, due and been paid since August 4, 1914, on account of payments, fees or taxes on soldiers' pre-emptions.

Interest on agreements to purchase town or city lots held by members of Allied Forces, or dependents, acquired direct or indirect, remitted from enlistment to March 31st, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LAND

Provision made for insurance of Crown Grants to sub-purchasers of Crown Lands, acquiring rights from purchasers who failed to complete purchase, involving forfeiture, on fulfillment of conditions of purchase, interest and taxes. Where sub-purchasers do not claim whole of original parcel, purchase price due and taxes may be distributed proportionately over whole area. Applications must be made by May 1, 1920.

GRAZING

Grazing Act, 1919, for systematic development of livestock industry provides for grazing districts and range administration under Commissioner. Annual grazing permits issued based on numbers ranged; priority for established owners. Stock owners may form Associations for range management. Free, or partially free, permits for settlers, campers or travellers up to ten head.

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An Aggregate Value of $734,259,619
Production for the Year Ending December, 1921, $28,066,641

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