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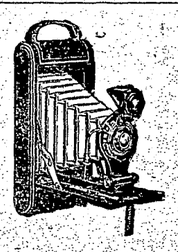

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Around Home

Suitable houses are scarce in Greenwood.

There are 17 men employed at the Emma mine.

H. McKee returned this week from a trip to Nelson.

Wm. Walters, of Phoenix, has moved to Greenwood.

Mrs. Lyons, of Phoenix, is now residing in Greenwood,

Gus Clerf, of Princeton, visited his brother, George, last week.

D. R. McElmon, watchmaker and Jeweller, Greenwood, B. C.

W. Mitchell and R. Pugh, of Spokane, were in town last week.

Stop that cough with Syrup of White Pine. Goodeve's Drug Store.

Miss Jennie Clarey, of Grand Forks, is the guest of Miss Bryan.

A. R. Royce has secured a lucrative position at the Trail smelter.

A. D. Sidley, representative of the B.C. Veteran was in town las Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Crane, of Beaverdell, arrived in Greenwood on Saturday.

Chas. E. Johnson, of the Arrow Lakes district, is spending a few days in town.

Pete Barker had his foot injured at the Rock Candy mine and will be laid up for a few days.

Mrs. A. J. Morrison underwent a slight operation at St. Luke's Hospital, Spokane, this week.

C. P. Charlton, of Allenby, formerly of Greenwood, is spending his holidays in Vancouver.

Monday next being Thanksgiving Day all public buildings and places of business will be closed.

The many friends of Miss G. Lee will be pleased to see her around again, after her recent operation.

Hon. W. L. McKenzie King, leader of the Federal opposition will speak in Nelson next Saturday evening.

Mrs. A. B. Sharp returned to her home in Nelson on Wednesday afternoon after spending a days with Mrs. Wm. Jenks.

R. Tench, the engineer who was in charge of the dismantling of the No. 7 aireal tramway, left last Friday for New Westminster.

G. A. Docksteader, of Haney, Dan R., of Edgewood, and Mrs. Murdock McIntyre, of Merritt, attended the funeral of their father lat Sunday.

Miss Helena Hilscher, of Midway, was operated on for appendicitis on Monday in the Grand Forks hospital, where she has been a nurse for two years.

Charles Harrigan died in the Grand Forks hospital on Saturday aged 71 years. He served with the railway troops in France in 1916 and was gassed twice.

D. Oxley has been appointed postmaster at Eholt in place of E. Bailey who resigned. Mr. Bailey has moved to Grand Forks where he intends opening a large store.

Work of cutting the right of way of the cut-off from Rossland to the Boundary country will be started at once and a couple of camps established before the snow falls.

About twelve of the European nations are in dire distress and need help. Under the patronage of H.M. the King, and with the approval and support of all political parties and national organizations, arrangements have been made for the raising of a British Empire Relief Fund. The Canadian Red Cross Society has been urged to take charge of the appeal in Canada, and to make it during Armistice week.

Funeral of the Late Daniel Docksteader.

The funeral of the late Daniel Docksteader, whose demise was announced in last week's Ledge, was held from the Undertaking Parlors, Greenwood, at 4.30 on Sunday afternoon, Rev. E St. G. Smyth conducting the services. The funeral was very largely attended and the casket covered with floral tributes, thus testifying to the high esteem in which the deceased was held. The pall bearers were W. R. Dewdney, J. A. Fraser, F. C. Buckless, R. Lee, J. Kerr and L. Bryant. Interment took place in the Greenwood cemetery.

Returning Officer for Yale Riding.

Major Richard G. Hardisty, a returned soldier, who is now engaged in fruit growing at Peachland, has been appointed Returning Officer for Yale in connection with the by-election which will be held in this riding on November 22. Major Hardisty's office will be at Kelowna, and he will have under his supervision the largest riding possibly in Canada as it embraces the five provincial electoral districts of Grand Forks, Greenwood, Similkameen, North Okanagan and South Okanagan.

Ore Samples Wanted

Wm. Thomlinson, collector of ore for the Department of Mines, will be in Greenwood about Oct. 25th, and will furnish information to prospectors and miners who desire to send samples of ore for exhibition purposes at New York. Samples of good size are required and will be paid for. Here is a splendid chance for this district to get some good advertising among New York financiers. Miners and prospectors get busy with ore samples and bring them to Mr. Thomlinson on Oct. 25th.

No Increase in Price

Notwithstanding the enormous increase in the cost of production, over three times previous to war prices, that great weekly, the Family Herald and Weekly Star of Montreal, have decided to accept renewals and new subscriptions at the old rate ($1.50 a year) from all who remit before December 1st, 1920. This should be good news to readers of that big weekly. The Family Herald has been vastly improved and is beyond doubt the greatest value in newspapers.

Publications Available For Distribution

The Department of Agriculture at Ottawa includes in its available publications some four hundred titles which embrace practically every phase of farming in its broadest sense in Canada. The new list recently issued contains thirty new publications which relate to dairying, field crops, insect and plant diseases, live stock, the orchard and garden, and poultry. In the miscellaneous list is included "Farm Feeds," "The Use of Coarse Grain for Human Food," and a new edition of "The Maple Sugar Industry in Canada." All these publications are for the free use of the citizens of Canada are obtainable for the asking from the Publication Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa.

Western Float

The Kelowna Record suspended publication last week.

Don't forget to cast your vote on Wednesay next, Oct. 20.

A new Presbyterian church is under construction in Princeton.

It is reported that a large pulp and paper making plant will be established in the Prince George district.

Ten inches of rain fell in Vancouver in the month of September, and during the same period 2.12 inches fell in Enderby.

More than 900 miners who have been on strike in the Rio Tinto district, Spain, have decided to emigrate to the United States.

J. D. Rogers, jeweler of Penticton, was fined $10.00 under the Game Act, at Keremeos, for carrying a loaded gun in his automobile.

Princeton will have a 24-hour electric power and light service. This has been made possible by getting current from the W.K.P. & L. Co.

Alexander McKelvie, a well-known and respected old timer of Vancouver and veteran of the American Civil War, died on October 8, in his 84 year.

The enforcement of prohibition in the western part of the State of Washington has netted the government $132,000, above expenses in six months. The revenue has been derived from fines and the sale of confiscated automobiles, boats and other carriers.

Florence Kirby, of Penticton, a ten-year-old girl, was so badly burned last week, while engaged in cooking breakfast for the younger children in the absence of her parents, that she died in the Penticton hospital the following day. It is supposed that her dress ignited from the stove.

The famous old Cariboo Trail will soon be nothing but a memory. On September 29, the new Pacific Great Eastern "through service" scheduled from Squamish to Williams Lake, a distance of 277 miles, was inaugerated. Cutting out Lillooet and Clinton lay-overs, the through service means that the railway will put into oblivion the historic stage and sleigh mail service through the Cariboo north country.

City Council

A regular meeting of the City Council was held in the City Hall on Monday night, the Mayor and all the aldermen being present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted and all accounts ordered paid.

The Finance committee reported that an order from the Court had been received giving the city permission to collect the rents on the Rendell Block, Miller Block and Hunter-Kendrick Block, the same to apply on taxes.

The Finance Committee also reported favorably on the leasing of the electric light plant for one year together with an option of purchasing the property of the Electric Light Co., in the city and Anaconda.

Applications for the position of City Clerk were received from G. S. Walters, Chas. Nichols and Jas. Paton. On a vote being taken G. S. Walters was appointed, duties be the same as those held by G. B. Taylor as well as looking after the business of the Electric Light Co., salary to be $150 a month.

The fire chief reported a fire in a vacant house on Gold St.

Next Monday being Thanksgiving the Council decided to meet on Tuesday, Oct. 19th.

Meighen to Speak in this Riding.

Premier Meighen will address four meetings in this constituency, where a by-election, necessitated by the resignation of Hon. Martin Burrell, takes place on Nov. 22nd. These meetings will be held at Grand Forks on Tuesday, Oct. 26, Penticton, Wednesday, Oct. 27th, Kelowna, Thursday afternoon, Oct. 28th, and Vernon, Thursday, evening, Oct. 28th.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to try, in words, to convey our heartfelt thanks to all our friends who were so very kind and did so much for us during the time of our bereavement.

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TEMPERANCE PLEBISCITE ACT

PROCLAMATION OF RETURNING OFFICER

Province of British Columbia, in the Greenwood Electoral District

TO WIT:

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the Electors of the Electoral District aforesaid, that I have received His Majesty's Writ to me directed, and bearing date the Twentieth day of September, 1920, commanding me to cause the following question, namely:—

WHICH DO YOUR PREFER?

(1.) The present "Prohibition Act"?

or

(2.) An Act to Provide for Government Control and Sale in Sealed Packages of Spiritous and Malt Liquors?

to be submitted according to law to the Electors qualified to vote for the election of a member of the Legislative Assembly for the Electoral District aforesaid; and, further, that in obedience to the said Writ a poll shall be opened at eight o'clock in the forenoon and shall be closed at seven o'clock in the afternoon of Wednesday, the Twentieth day of October, 1920, for taking and receiving the votes of the said Electors in each polling division of the Electoral District aforesaid at the respective places following:—

POLLING DIVISIONS

Beaverdell	Denoro	Riverside
Boundary Falls	Eholt	Rock Creek
Bridesville	Greenwood	Sidley
Carmi	Midway	Westbridge
Christian Valley School.		

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Haight grinned. "Oh, yes, you will," he said gently, "and I'll tell you why. She is just as fond of you as you are of her. She broke off the engagement on account of some influence being brought to bear on her to make her believe that you were after her money."

"You're crazy."

"No, I'm speaking the truth," persisted Haight. "I happen to know—just how I happen to know doesn't matter. What I want you to tell me now is, was it her money you wanted?"

He laughed and held up a thin hand as Timberley took a quick step towards him. "That's the answer, Tom," he said earnestly. "I simply wanted to get your old spirit back into you."

Timberley was silent. Finally he looked up and his face was a trifle pale as he said: "I love Edna Marsh better than anything, better than anything in the world. I would do anything big and grand, anything mean and despicable to win her."

Haight grinned his approval. "That's more like it," he said; "you're your own man again. Stay your own man. For Heaven's sake, keep those fool thoughts of what this big forest solitude can do out of your mind. You've got the name of being hard, of riding roughshod over all obstacles. Keep it, Tom. We came across here to talk over my little difficulty, and, by George, we're dealing with another case altogether. Funny, eh? Never mind, the Dever & Strads Slows can get their animals the best way they know how. I've already made up my mind what I'll do about the stuff I've wrongly inherited. Dorkin will get it when I get good and ready to give it to him, and not before. So we'll get down to your case. You want to marry Edna Marsh, don't you?"

Timberley looked at the speaker. "You know I desire it above all else," he said earnestly.

"And you want her to know beyond the shadow of a doubt that it is she—not her money, don't you?"

"Yes, she will have to know that."

Haight had reseated himself on the moss. Timberley stood before him.

"Haight," he said, "you're not a bad fellow at all. You're my friend; I like you and you know it. If I hadn't like you, I'm damned if I'd quit my practice to come up here on this wild-goose chase just to please you. Now tell me exactly what you're driving at."

"You needed the change, Tom," fenced the other. "You were pretty hard hit, and I knew it. A fellow feels a thing like that; he feels it."

Timberley shot him a look.

"Oh, I've been through it," said Haight grimly. "I know what it's like." He laughed oddly. "It's all right to give advice, Tom; to advise a man what to do or not to do after he has been thrown down by the one woman. It's a question which is the bigger fool, though, the man who gives advice or the man who listens to it.

"You see," he said, rubbing a blood-crusted ear gingerly, "falling in love is like getting bitten by a black fly. One doesn't realize the pain of it until—some time later. When the burning smart comes—the fly is gone. There's always more or less suffering to be borne, I reckon. Some men can stand it better than others, though, just as some horses can stand flies better than others. You know horses, well, and you know what a Clydesdale can stand would kill a horse of finer metal."

"You're right enough, but I fail to get the connection, Haight."

"Here it is, then. You're high-strung. You're suffering. You've been turned down; flatly, coldly turned down by the only woman. You are losing your grip on yourself, boy. You've got to buck up!"

Timberley turned away. "If that's all you've got to say, we'd better get back to camp," he informed his friend crisply.

Haight arose. "It's not all I've got to say," he cried, "not by a damned sight. I'm an old showman, Tom, and I know animals a damned sight better than I know human beings, but——"

He put a longer finger on Timberley's shoulder. "I know something about a few people; yes, I know that you and Edna Marsh are two foolish human beings, head over heels in love with each other. I know that she has conceived the idea that you want her money, and I know that you are both too high-headed ever to come to an understanding by yourselves, and so——"

"And so," repeated Timberley, smiling, "and so what?"

"And so I step in and take a hand, Tom. That little woman is suffering just as much as you are, more than you are, likely. She has to fight against something you can't understand. Right now, if you could read her heart, she is wishing she didn't have a cent in the world."

"I wish to God she hadn't," was wrung from the other man.

Haight blinked his small eyes and screwed up his face. "Well," he said impressively, "maybe she hasn't, for the matter of that."

"Oh, don't talk foolish," cried Timberley. "She's got it, and that settles it; doesn't it?"

Haight puckered his lips and whistled a bar or two of a tuneless dirge, thoughtfully. "Tom," he said looking across the lake, "I reckon you are too damned weak to deprive her of her money, even to make sure of winning her, isn't that right?"

"Haight," turned Timberley, his voice not quite steady, "there are bigger things than money. There's her happiness and mine. I believe I'm small enough to make her penniless if I could, if so doing would give her back to me; but, my boy, I'd make it up to her. Yes, I'd make it up to her."

He turned away to pick up his fish and rod, but Haight gripped his arm. "Tom," he said, "suppose it could be proven that she didn't own a cent in her own right, that there was another and closer heir to that fortune, what then?"

Timberley did not answer. His head settled low on his breast. Haight watched him meditatively, a look of strange tenderness in his eyes; watched him move slowly across and stand looking up the swift, boiling stream, through the low hanging trees.

Then he spoke again. "Tom, I reckon I'm becoming as bad an Indian as you are, and I'm going to help you win through! And," he added, "to hell with everybody who tries to thwart us. Now, that's settled, I'm going back to camp."

He dived into the cedars and Timberley stood, still gazing across the wild, beautiful world. His back was towards the lake so that he did not see a canoe approach the shore, nor hear the footfall of the young girl paddler on the spongy moss. Not until she spoke did he become conscious of her presence. Then he turned quickly to meet Willow Farney's big grey eyes fixed on his face. Her brown hands were clenched on the stock of a small rifle. Timberley gave a gasp of surprise and admiration; then, recovering himself, he bowed.

"I beg pardon," he said, lifting his hat; "you spoke, didn't you? Sorry, I didn't catch what you said, but the crash of the stream drowned your words. Please say it again, won't you?"

She gazed upon him calmly, deliberately, as though considering.

"You've got to get out of here," she informed him. "You've got to get out of here, quick."

Timberley's lips twisted into a sneering smile. "Well," he returned, "I guess I can do that, if it's your orders. Perhaps I am trespassing on your property, Miss?"

"No," she said, "t'ain't our property; it's a part of our trappin' grounds, but we ain't got no call to order anybody off of it. I'm simply tellin' you somethin' fer your own good. You'd best go back to where you belong, an' you'd best go right soon."

"Why?" he asked absently, his dark eyes drinking in her strange, wild beauty.

She came a step closer and gazed upon him searchingly. "'Cause you ain't here fer no good," she said quickly. "You was up yonder on the Preserve a time ago. You made him sick, sick—I found him layin' on his face among the trees. He was cryin'—cryin'," she repeated with a catch in her voice; "him cryin'! Godamighty, I've a good mind to snuff you out fer that. I've a good mind to do it."

She raised the rifle and Timberley instinctively recoiled. Then he faced her, a glow of admiration in his face. "He is your friend?" he asked.

She smiled at the question, and the man looked at her with a greatly growing wonder. Never before had he seen a smile transfigure a face as that smile transfigured hers. It reminded him of something he had seen when the first primitive wonders of this big solitude were forced home to him; a gleam of unleashed sunlight flashing upon a darkened aisle of the forest, an eddy between rocks glowing out through a splash of sunset colors.

"Oh, man," she said wistfully, "he's everythin' to me."

Timberley's eyes fell before the look in the girl's eyes. Something broke loose in his soul and surged throughout his being. He felt ashamed, strangely out of place. When, at length, he looked up, the strained, set expression was back on her face.

"You'd best go away and leave him alone," she said. "He belongs up here. This place needs him."

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Wheat Grades High

Very small Percentage of Low Grade Wheat Being Marketed.

George Hill, Dominion Government grain inspector at Calgary, is authority for the statement that never before during his long experience in the west has there been such a small percentage of low grade wheat as that from the new 1920 crop. In the course of an interview he contrasted the present samples with his records of last year. Turning to the corresponding date in 1919, out of 30 cars, 24 of them were "No Grade." In turning up other records it was the exception to find a car of No. 1, the general run being cars of tough grains.

"This season, up-to-date," said Mr. Hill, "we have only had two cars of No Grade wheat, and in the case of one of them the farmer admitted that he finished cutting one day and commenced threshing the next thus not giving reasonable time for the wheat to harden."

The most agreeable feature in connection with the whole of the present set of conditions is that there is every indication of the excellent grade of the wheat being maintained as it is admitted that threshing this year has been carried out under ideal weather conditions. In this connection Mr. Hill remarked that he did not think there would be sufficient low grade stuff this year to supply the chicken feed requirements of British Columbia. It appears that a large percentage of Alberta low grade wheat is shipped to the sister province for the purpose mentioned.

There is a general feeling among grain men that wheat grown on irrigated districts does not come up to that grown on non-irrigated land. While the yield may be greater there is not the same hardness. That theory this year, however, has been entirely exploded as some of the finest samples of wheat this season have come from the Bassano district.

When this was mentioned to Mr. Hill, that official remarked that it was an undoubted fact that there had been a marked improvement in the samples of such wheat owing, possibly, to the fact that irrigation was now being better understood and that the water was applied at the right time.

The outstanding wonder in connection with the excellence of this year's crop of wheat and other cereals is that the season was quite a month late even up to July 15. The warm dry weather, however, brought on the grains at a phenomenal rate, and while many were of the opinion that the yield would be light in weight it is gratifying to know that the samples are running up to 65 pounds a bushel, and are of a most uniform character.

Woman Civil War Veteran.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Tiles, 82, who, with close-clipped hair and a uniform, concealed her sex and is said to have fought beside her husband during the civil war, died recently at Raritan, N.J.

The war found the young couple on their honeymoon, the husband, Martin Tiles, joined the ranks of the Fourth New Jersey Infantry and when the regiment left, Elizabeth Tiles marched beside him. She fought through many engagements, it is said, and was mustered out, undiscovered. The husband died several years after the war.

Four More Trading Posts.

The establishment of four trading posts on the Hudson Bay has been successfully accomplished by a company other than the one holding the name of that territory.

John Bull, Shoemaker.

British leather manufacturers made 70,000,000 pairs of army shoes for all the allied armies, including the Americans.

It is the custom of some of the English railway companies to give 12 free passes a year to the wife of each of its employees.

The British and Foreign Bible Societies has produced the Scriptures in more than 80 African tongues and dialects alone.

Canada's Merchant Marine

Built in Canadian Yards and Manned By Canadians.

In striking contrast to the feverish activity of our Government in auctioning off the ships built during the emergency of war is the zeal and enthusiasm displayed by Canada in pushing forward its merchant marine programme. Recently the completion of "The Canadian Victor," a splendid ship equipped with refrigerating facilities, was made the occasion of quite a social event in Montreal. The speakers made much of the fact that this latest acquisition was but one of the fleet of vessels which, when completed, will number 66 "Canadian ships, owned by the people of Canada and built in Canadian yards."

It is significant, too, that more than 80 per cent. of the officers and engineers manning this fleet are Canadians. With pardonable pride the assertion was made that these ships were bearing Canadian commerce where Canadian ships had never been seen before. From small beginnings and under adverse circumstances Canada has proceeded step by step to produce this governmental enterprise, and, if official figures are accepted, has succeeded in operating a merchant marine at a satisfactory profit. —Detroit News.

August Fish Catch.

The catch of fish of all kinds for the month of August on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, amounted to 1,005,884 cwts., as compared with 1,145,290 cwts. for the same month last year. The total value of the August catch was $3,647,137 against $4,506,143 last year. On the Pacific coast there was an increase of 125,983 cwts. in the salmon catch, all three districts contributing to the increase. The value of the salmon catch, however, was very little better than last year. The halibut catch amounted to 28,689 cwts., against 31,116 cwts. for August last year.

Huge Natural Wealth.

It has been officially computed that the natural wealth of the Dominion is equivalent to $2,000 to every inhabitant, or a total of $18,000,000,000.

An association of British rubber growers has offered substantial cash prizes for ideas and suggestions for extending present uses of rubber and encouraging new uses.

10 to 20 times

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Let "Danderine" save and glorify your hair

In a few moments you can transform your plain, dull, flat hair. You can have it abundant, soft, glossy and full of life. Just get at any drug or toilet counter a small bottle of "Danderine" for a few cents. Then moisten a soft cloth with the "Danderine" and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Instantly, yes, immediately, you have doubled the beauty of your hair. It will be a mass, so soft, lustrous and easy to do up. All dust, dirt and excessive oil is removed.

Let Danderine put more life, color, vigor, and brightness in your hair. This stimulating tonic will freshen your scalp, check dandruff and falling hair and help your hair to grow long, thick, strong and beautiful.

Western Canada Needs Settlers

Saskatchewan More Particularly Is Dependent on Immigration.

The Hon. William E. Knowles, Provincial Secretary in the Government of Saskatchewan, while in Montreal recently, said that the resources of that Province merited the most unstinted attention from those having to do with their preservation and development. The great need of Western Canada, he said, was the settler. Our Province, perhaps, more than any other," said the Minister, "is dependent upon immigration, and the most successful way to stop immigration is to continue criticism of the different classes of our citizens. We all recognize that the first essential is, when settlers come to share in the destinies of our Province, that they should be treated not as foreigners, but as potential Canadian citizens, and I think that every courtesy should be extended to them.

"My opinion is that the best interests of Saskatchewan, and of Canada as a whole, would be served through a recognition of the good that these peoples have disclosed in the country. Speaking for Saskatchewan, I would say that the so-called foreign population never has given us any trouble. The vast majority of them have shown a most praiseworthy desire to adapt themselves to conditions in the country in which they have cast their lot. The exceptions to these are very few indeed."

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Send for list of inventions wanted by Manufacturers. Fortunes have been made from simple ideas. "Patent Protection" booklet and "Proof of Conception" on request. HAROLD C. SHIPMAN & CO., PATENT ATTORNEYS, 20 Shipman Chambers, Ottawa, Canada.

INVENTIONS

Fixing Up the Hen House

Now is the Time to Clean and Make Repairs.

The time has come to make needed repairs on the hen house. There are cold winds and rains in November, sudden drops in temperature in December. Any work now that will save illness later should be done. Stop the leaks in the roofs, batten the cracks in the ends and back of the hen-house. Curtains may need replacing, glass set, doors rehung to fit.

Early autumn cleaning is always in order. The pullets should not be put into permanent quarters till they are swept, whitewashed, and the old litter replaced. Never have maturing pullets needed better housing than right now. They should be got in from the roosting coop before they begin to lay. A month of housing and yarding is none too long if you want fall and winter layers. Get them into the clean house with a yard that is carrying some fall green crop; get them on an egg ration, and see them quickly mature and get at their winter's business.

For Married Men Only

When your razor is dull as a hoe, ask your wife if she wasn't paring her corns. Get her Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's the only painless and safe cure. All dealers sell "Putnam's" at 25c per bottle.

An Exhibition Ship.

The Italians determined to catch export trade, are fitting out a ship which will exhibit in foreign ports, specimens of their manufactures and their natural products. This ship will ultimately sail around the world, and buyers will be invited to step aboard. The Italian King is lending the organization his own yacht, the Trinacria, for the purpose and her first voyage is to be along the Mediterranean, calling at Marseilles and Tangiers.

Sail For Europe Nov 3.

Ottawa.—Sir George Foster and Hon. C. J. Doherty, two of Canada's representatives at the first meeting of the League of Nations to open in Geneva on November 15, expect to sail for Europe on November 3. Hon. N. W. Rowell, who is expected to be Canada's third representative, is abroad at the present time.

The day has been divided into 24 hours from earliest times.

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A man at sixty years of age is either a failure or a success. BEECHAM'S PILLS have been made for sixty years and have the largest sale of any medicine in the world! Millions use

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Sold everywhere in Canada. In boxes, 25c., 50c.

The League of Nations

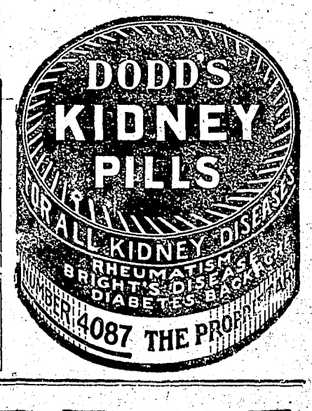
Good Results Attend the Jamboree Held by the Boy Scouts.

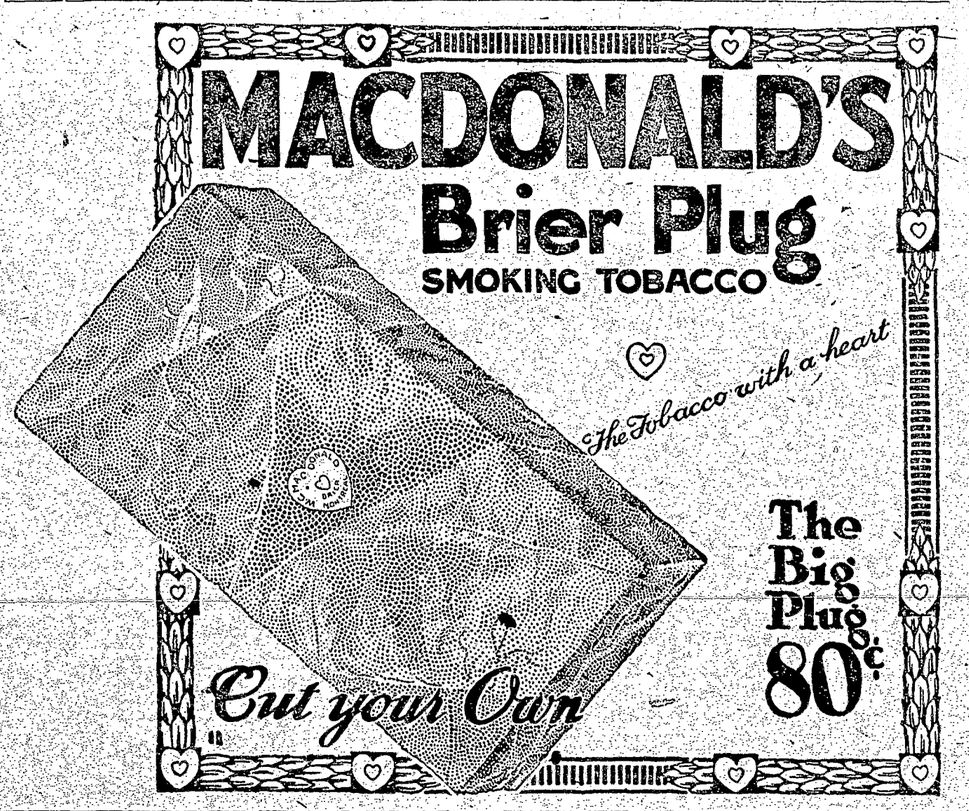
For jaded nerves the spectacle of so much youth and enthusiasm ought to be a tonic at least equal to any that the seaside can produce, and no one can watch the "chumming up" of the youngsters for the future of the League. There are plans on foot for making this meeting an annual affair, or at least for strengthening the opportunities of inter-communication; and it is a scheme in the success of which all nations ought to be vitally interested. Our generation is passing; our powers for good or ill in world history are fading; it is the Boy Scouts of to-day who are the men of to-morrow.—The Westminster Gazette, July 30th.

$48,050 in Scrap Iron.

A tin can, containing $48,050 in negotiable notes and Liberty bonds, was found in a load of scrap iron in Chicago. The notes were returned to their owner in Rockford, Ill.

Penguins are totally devoid of quills.





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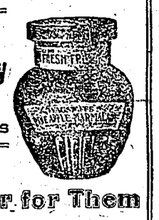

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Ask Your Grocer for Them

Our National Thanksgiving

By proclamation of the Governor-General in Council, Monday, October 18, has been declared to be a day of national thanksgiving in Canada, and all classes of the Canadian people are asked to observe it as such.

There are many good and substantial reasons why the people of this Dominion should observe Thanksgiving Day this year, not merely as a holiday, but in a deep and reverent spirit of thanksgiving.

A kindly Providence has blessed the labors of our husbandmen with a bountiful harvest, not, perhaps, one of those bumper crops which come once in a while, but a better crop than has been reaped in the West for some years past. Unlike the past two or three years, there are no extensive areas of the Prairie Provinces which have suffered a crop failure this year. While costs of production have remained high, world conditions are such as to guarantee a good price for Western Canada's grain crop.

Coupled with a satisfactory return from our fields, business conditions throughout Canada have continued uniformly good during the year. Our factories have been busy, there has been a marked revival in building operations, work has been plentiful and wages high. In fact the only check to development in Canada this year has been occasioned by inability to secure supplies and materials in sufficient quantities to meet all demands.

Compared with other countries, Canada has been remarkably free from industrial turmoil and strife this year. Labor troubles, culminating in strikes, have been few in number, and those which have taken place have been settled generally in an amicable way, and there has not been those great upheavels which last year caused enormous loss and suffering and at one time seemed to threaten the continuance of responsible constitutional government in this country. Both Labor and Capital have met their responsibilities to each other, and to the country at large, in a manner worthy of praise and deserving of the commendation of all people. Both have benefitted and Canada has prospered. Canadians have good reason to be thankful over such a situation.

During 1920, too, Canada has been remarkably free from serious epidemics of disease and no great disasters have occurred, bringing loss, and sorrow and death to whole communities. This is indeed a cause for thankfulness.

The unrest which pervaded all ranks of society following the close of the war still affects our people, but it is more and more finding its manifestation in desires, plans and movements designed to bring about better conditions of living, of health, a higher standard of education and a more general provision that all people shall enjoy some of the best things in life. There is in evidence an impatience with conditions which made for evil and suffering in the past and a very widespread determination for a better standard of living for all. Such a feeling is a cause for national thanksgiving because it must inevitably result in finer national ideals and important reforms.

Canada bore itself nobly in the war. It was a time for sacrifice and service and the Canadian people did their full duty, and have reason to be proud of the part their Dominion took in that great crusade for human liberty. Equally, have our people a right to congratulate themselves upon the comparative ease and success with which the Dominion has reverted to a peace basis and has re-absorbed its soldiers and war workers into civilian life without any serious trouble. These things are cause for sincere thanksgiving.

But if a contemplation of conditions at home is not a sufficient cause for thanksgiving it is only necessary that Canadians should consider for a moment present conditions existing in a large part of Europe and Asia, where a state of war still prevails, where disease and famine stalk through the land, where countless thousands of people are suffering and dying through lack of the bare necessities of life, and where orphan children in their tens of thousands are merely existing without hardly a ray of hope for the future. Viewing conditions in Canada today in the light of conditions in so many European countries, Canadians may well rejoice that their lot has been cast in this Dominion. They may well rejoice and thank God that Canada is their home. And their thanksgiving may well take a practical turn in the form of helping, to the extent that they are able, to alleviate the suffering of others.

Seed Grain Distribution

Farmers Advised to Apply Early to Avoid Disappointment.

The annual free distribution of samples of seed grain will be conducted as usual at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, by the Dominion Cerealist.

The following kinds of seed grain will be sent out this season:

Spring Wheat (in about 5-lb. samples); White Oats (about 4 lbs.); Barley (about 5 lbs.); Field Peas (about 5 lbs.); Field Beans (about 2 lbs.); Flax (about 1 lbs.).

Only one sample can be sent to each applicant.

Applications must be on printed forms, which may be obtained by writing to the Dominion Cerealist, Experimental Farm, Ottawa, at any time after September 1.

As the stock of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply early to avoid disappointment. Those who applied too late last season are particularly requested to send in their names at once so that application forms may be forwarded to them. No application forms will be furnished after February 1, 1921.

C. E. SAUNDERS,
Dominion Cerealist.

Greater Production

Big Grain Crops From Cultivation of Indian Lands.

Ottawa.—The greater production movement inaugurated by Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen through the Indian Department in 1918 whereby some 20,000 acres of Indian lands throughout the prairie provinces were cultivated and turned over to grain growing, has more than justified the hopes of the officials who were behind it. The advances made by the Government for carrying out the scheme will be repaid this year, and it is estimated that there will be a surplus of about $1,000,000, as a result of the splendid crops harvested on all these lands, which, previous to 1918 produced only prairie hay and grass.

All Made in Canada.

In all future vessels for the Canadian Government merchant marine, Canadian Douglas fir will replace the southern pine from the United States heretofore used in the laying of decks.

In a device for measuring the velocity of projectiles seconds are divided into millionths.

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Nature is on your side every time you eat

Grape-Nuts

For this sturdy blend of wheat and malted barley supplies body and brain with just the elements of nutrition that Nature demands for health and vigor.

Grape-Nuts is a Sugar Saver

"There's a Reason"

Potato Crop in Alberta

Double the Crop of Tubers This Year As Compared With 1919.

Although the potato crop in the southern part of Alberta this year will be somewhat light owing to the small size of the tubers, those grown in the north are turning out eminently satisfactory. As a matter of fact, in the central and northern parts of the province, there will be an exceptionally heavy yield. They are being sold at $30 to $32 a ton, f.o.b. Edmonton. Potatoes in Calgary are bringing $35 to $40 a ton. The British Columbia crops will not be so heavy as last year.

"As far as I can see at present," states a wholesale merchant handling large quantities of vegetables, "there will in all probability be double the crop this year in Alberta compared to last year. There has been a substantial increase in acreage and the present weather is most satisfactory for harvesting."

Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis

If there is an ailment in the throat or chest, it is surely essential that the remedy be conveyed direct to the affected part. It's because the healing vapor of Catarrhozone is breathed into the sore, irritated throat and bronchial tubes that its balsamic fumes kill the germs and destroy the cause of the trouble. These are the reasons why Catarrhozone never yet failed to cure a genuine case of Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis or Throat Trouble.

The wonderfully-soothing vapor of Catarrhozone instantly reaches the further recesses of the lungs, produces a healing curative effect that is impossible with a tablet or liquid, which goes merely to the stomach, and fails entirely to help the throat or lungs.

Catarrhozone
Just Breathe It

To permanently cure your winter ills your coughs, sneezing and Catarrh, by all means use a tried and proven remedy like Catarrhozone. But beware of the substitutor. Large outfit lasts two months, costs $1.00, small size 50c, trial size 25c, at dealers everywhere.

Explosive Clothing

Material which was specially prepared in Germany for use in the manufacture of cartridges during the war has apparently reached the open market in the form of tissue for clothes called "art silk." Recently there have been several mysterious cases of clothes catching fire without any obvious cause, and it is now stated that this "art silk" catches fire and even sometimes explodes when exposed to relatively moderate heat.—London Times.

Minard's Liniment For Dandruff.

Where Farming Pays.

A 1,500 acre farm purchased in 1918 near Three Hills, Alberta, recently sold at an advance of $15 per acre, which with the proceeds from the sale of the crop netted the owner $50,000 for one year and a half's work.

CHILDHOOD INDIGESTION

Nothing is more common in childhood than indigestion. Nothing is more dangerous to proper growth, more weakening to the constitution or more likely to pave the way to dangerous disease. Fully nine-tenths of all the minor ills of childhood have their root in indigestion. There is no medicine for the little ones to equal Baby's Own Tablets in relieving this trouble. They have proved of benefit in thousands of homes. Concerning them Mrs. Jos. Lunette, Immaculee Conception, Que., writes: "My baby was a great sufferer from indigestion, but the Tablets soon set her right, and now I would not be without them. Baby's Own Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

China's Armies.

If, in a war, an enemy started killing Chinese soldiers at a million men a year, and if China were using 10 per cent. of her population in that war, it would take 50 years to destroy her first armies, and in that period two further Chinese forces of 50 million each would grow up to confront their enemy.—Basil Matthews in the British Review of Reviews.

The use of Miller's Worm Powders insures healthy children so far as the ailments attributable to worms are concerned. A high mortality among children is traceable to worms. These sap the strength of infants so that they are unable to maintain the battle for life and succumb to weakness. This preparation gives promise of health and keeps it.

Vatican Guards Have Been Armed.

Fearing invasion of the Vatican properties by Italian mobs, guards at the Vatican are now armed. The precautionary measures have been taken, it is understood, because of reports that Communists planned to occupy the Lateran Palace, which is the property of the Vatican. The Osservatore Romano, official organ of the Vatican, declared that "if the crowd is impregnated with Bolshevism it cannot be expected to refrain from invasion of the Vatican prem-

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Getting A Stand of Alfalfa

Soil Should be Made as Smooth as Possible.

The methods of sowing alfalfa vary with the location and climate. In the arid districts it is a simple matter. The land is usually ploughed in early spring, worked down to a good seed bed, and the seed is sown alone in middle spring time. A crop is often secured the first year, although the plants are not at their best until the third year.

The amount of seed to the acre varies from four to thirty pounds. The smaller amount is generally grown for the production of seed, as it seeds better not to be thick. It has been calculated that there are 14,448,000 seeds in a bushels of alfalfa seed. Therefore, to sow half a bushel to the acre would put 166 seeds to the square foot. To sow fifteen pounds would put 83 seeds. It is evident that it is more essential to have good seed and good distribution of it than to use a great amount of seed. About twelve to sixteen plants to the square foot are all that will ever stand, and on rich soil, they will not long endure even that much crowding.

Weeds often come up to crowd the young alfalfa. To destroy these weeds the field should be mown as close to the ground as possible. There may come a yellowish rust which attacks the leaves, but it is very uncommon. To destroy this cut close with a mower. When preparing soil for alfalfa, leave as smooth as possible so that it all can be securely mowed. —M. Wilcox, Camrose, Alta.

Dickens was a reporter on a London paper when he was 22 years old.

Minard's Liniment For Sale Everywhere.

A Funny Horse.

"You remember you sold me a horse last week?" said the cabman angrily, to the horse dealer.

"Yes. What about him?"

"He fell dead yesterday."

"Well, I never!" said the dealer. "I told you he had some funny ways, but I never knew him to do that before."

Farm Sold For $59,000.

In 1906 a farm near Milestone, Saskatchewan, was bought for $12 an acre. It was recently sold for $59,000, or $150 an acre.

MOTHER!

"California Syrup of Figs" Child's Best Laxative

Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruity taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California."

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR OCTOBER 17.

JESUS BEGINS HIS GALILEAN MINISTRY.

I. The King His Own Herald (vv. 12-17).

1. The reason for (v. 12). The news of the imprisonment of John the Baptist caused Jesus to forsake Judea and go into Galilee. The fate of John he accepted as foreshadowing his own. Because of this, he withdrew from the metropolis and went to the remote regions where his work would attract less attention. When the people wilfully reject the truth and attempt to do violence to the messenger, he should turn from them unless specially directed otherwise.

2. To whom the proclamation is made (vv. 13-16). The people in Capernaum. This was done in fulfillment of a prophecy in Isaiah 9:1, 2. These people did not enjoy such privileges as those around Jerusalem. This was one of the darkest and most corrupt of the provinces, and now it is getting the light first. This foreshadowed the present age when the grace of God would reach out to the Gentiles. But this is just like the Lord. He did not come to call the righteous, but sinners to repentance. It should be our business, like the Master, to go to the most benighted souls with the message of light and life.

3. His message (v. 17). "Repent for the kingdom of heaven is at hand." This is the same kingdom which John the Baptist and the Old Testament prophets proclaimed. It means the Messianic earth rule of Jesus Christ. This is not our message, for ours is the gospel of the grace of God through faith in the finished work of Christ. We should call upon men to repent and believe the gospel of Christ's death for their sins and resurrection for justification. The time is coming when heralds will again announce the coming of the kingdom, and the King himself will come forth from the heavens to establish his mediatorial kingdom. For this we pray when we intelligently say, "Thy kingdom come."

II. The King Summons Servants to His Side (vv. 8.22).

1. His command of authority (v. 19). He did not use arguments, but issued the mandate. The King's voice is autocratic. To command is the King's prerogative, not to argue or entreat.

2. The station of the servants called (vv. 18, 21). They were men of lowly birth—fishermen. God chooses the foolish things of this world to put to shame the mighty, that no flesh might boast before him (I. Cor. 1:26).

3. They were called to definite service (v. 19). "I will make you fishers of men." He had previously called them to be disciples (John 1:36-42). He now called them to service. This call, then, was not the gospel call to sinners, which is always "Believe on me," but the call to service, of those who had already heeded the call to discipleship. The qualities which made them good fishermen—patience, bravery to face the storm and the night, the perseverance which toiled all night though no fish were caught, would make them good fishers of men.

4. Their prompt obedience (vv. 20, 22). They gave up their business and homes, not even inquiring where their salary was to come from. They put their trust in him who called, believing that he was able to supply their needs.

III. The King's Triumphal Progress (vv. 23-25).

He went the whole rounds of Galilee teaching the Scriptures, preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of diseases. He did a threefold work.

1. Teaching the Scriptures in the synagogues (v. 23). The revelation of God needed to be explained. This is what he was doing at Nazareth (Luke 4:16-22).

2. Preaching the glad tidings of the kingdom (v. 23). The King who was present and was heralding his own mission was ready to establish his kingdom if they would have been willing to receive him.

3. Healing all manner of diseases (v. 23). There was no form of disease which he could not cure.

Dominion Prosperous.

Hon. J. D. Reid, Canadian Minister of Railways and Canals, on landing in England from Canada, gave to interviewers a rosy picture of Canadian conditions. He said that the railway proposition of the Dominion was good. "We have magnificent crops, our industries are running almost full time, and we have very few labor troubles," the minister added. "Our revenues are fully up to expectations, we are commencing to play off our war debt and we are a happy and contented people. What more could we desire?"

After 10 Years of Asthma Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy proved the only relief for one grateful user, and this is but one cure among many. Little wonder that it has now become the one recognized remedy on the market. It has earned its fame by its never failing effectiveness. It is earning it to-day, as it has done for years. It is the greatest asthma specific within the reach of suffering humanity.

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Baking Powder is one of the most important food ingredients. Alum or other injurious acids are frequently used by some concerns to lower the cost of production.

MAGIC BAKING POWDER
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It is a pure phosphate baking powder and is guaranteed to be the best, purest and most healthful baking powder possible to produce.

W. Matthew Williams, in "Chemistry of Cooking," says: "Phosphates are the bone-making material of food and have something to do with building up of brain and nervous matter."

Made in Canada

Shoes 400 Years Old

Age Established By Other Articles Found in Excavation.

Some boots at least 400 years old, with the stitches rotted but the leather in excellent preservation, have been found during excavations in the city of London. They were twelve feet underground in very moist soil, and it was this that preserved the leather. So pliable was it that the workmen, until they were stopped, took pieces home to do their own repairs with.

The boots do not differ very much from those of to-day—their age was established chiefly by other articles found alongside them. They have no heels. Except for one child's pair, they are all men's boots.

One of the commonest complaints of infants is worms, and the most effective application for them is Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

In Mexico when friends pass each other in the street without stopping, they say "adois" (goodby).

Motor Cars in Saskatchewan.

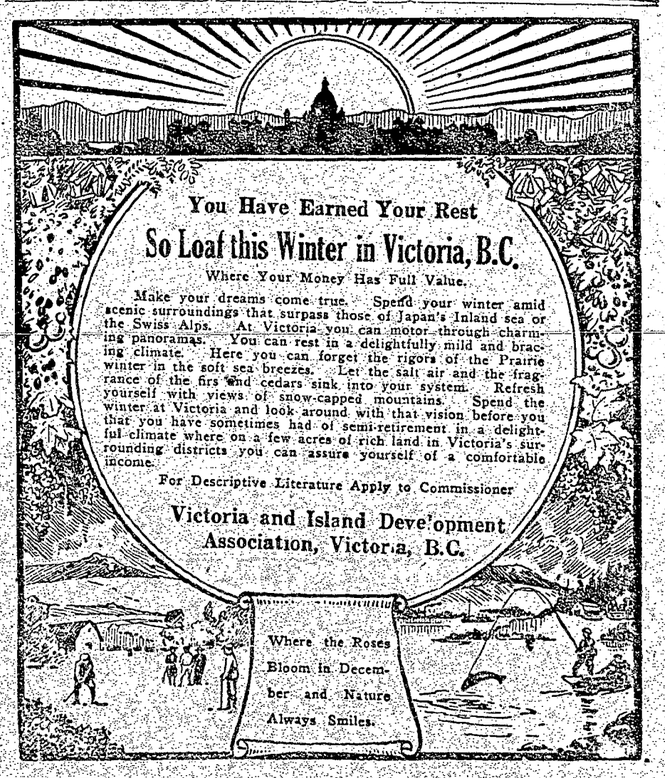
According to statistics recently compiled there is one automobile for every fourteen people in Saskatchewan, thus placing the Province on a par with the United States in this respect.

A Pleasant Time.

"Enjoy yourself at the dance last night?" asked an acquaintance.

"Yep; tollable!" replied a prominent young society blade of Rumpus Ridge, Ark. "I licked the fiddler."

GIN PILLS FOR THE KIDNEYS



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Mining News

M. F. Bancroft, of the government mining department, Ottawa, with several assistants, has been spending the last three months in the Lardeau mining camp and will return to Ottawa after a brief visit to the coast. In the Ferguson district he examined the Surprise, on the North Fork of the Lardeau, and the Canadian or Parrsboro group on the south Fork. Regarding the latter he expressed the belief that it would develop into a good mine being in the approved mineral belt.

"The Silversmith Mines has cut a station on the 1100-foot level preparatory to drifting," according to J. B. White, president, of Sandon. The ore body at this point is six feet wide. Ore was followed throughout the length of the shaft from the 1000-foot level except the last 20 feet, in which the course of the shaft and ore are different. The last carload of ore shipped is 78. The number of cars containing crude and concentrated ore shipped since the resumption of milling operations this year is 31 and their average net value about $5000 each. The company is free of debt. It has six carloads of ore ready for shipment and 1000 tons of zinc concentrates on hand. Three shifts daily are employed at the mill.

Celebrated Anniversary.

F. W. Peters, general superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway in British Columbia, celebrated on October 1, the 47 anniversary of starting his career as a railway man and the 39th anniversary of his joining the services of the C.P.R. He became identified with the Canadian Pacific at Winnipeg on October 1, 1881, and in point of length of continuous work in the employment of the company is third on the C.P.R. payroll. W. F. Salsbury, treasurer at Vancouver, is his senior in the company by three or four months. Vice-president Ogden is the longest service man in the company.

Conserving the Apples

"How much cider did you make this year?" inquired Puttey of his neighbor, Savall.

"Fifteen bar'ls," was the ans'er.

Farmer Puttey took another sip.

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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 residence, but each making necessary improvements on respective claims.

Pre-emptors must occupy claims for five years and 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 improvements 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-emptor 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 within which the heirs or devisees of a deceased pre-emptor may apply for title under this Act is extended from for one year from the death of such person, as formerly, until one year after the conclusion of the present war. This privilege is also 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.

Provision 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 31, 1920.

SUB-PURCHASERS OF CROWN LANDS.

Provision made for issuance 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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Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

Further particulars of the Chief Forester, Victoria, B. C., or District Forester, Nelson, B.C.

TIMBER SALE X 2610

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Sealed tenders will be received by the Minister of Lands not later than noon on the 21st day of October 1920, for the purchase of Licence X2610, to cut 28,000 feet of Fir and Tamarac Ties, on an area adjoining Lot 1273s, near Beaverdell, Similkameen District.

Two (2) years will be allowed for removal of timber.

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LAND ACT

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY TO PURCHASE LAND

Similkameen Land District, Recording District of Similkameen, and situate to the North-East of Long Lake, Greenwood Electoral District, and adjoining the North-East side of Emerald Mineral Claim L822, and Gem Mineral Claim L823.

TAKE NOTICE that I, William J. Prendergast, of Grand Forks, B.C., occupation steam engineer, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted at the South-East corner of Emerald Mineral Claim Lot 822, thence Northerly 40 chains; thence 40 chains in an Easterly direction; thence 40 chains in a Southerly direction; thence 40 chains in a Westerly direction to point of commencement, containing 160 acres more or less

WILLIAM J. PRENDERGAST,
Sept. 3rd, 1920 Applicant.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

IN THE MATTER OF Lot 1230, Group 1, Similkameen Division of Yale District. known as the Butte City Mineral Claim.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the first publication hereof, to issue duplicate Certificate of Title to said lands issued to Mary Garland, under No. 3337a, unless in the meantime I shall receive valid objection thereto in writing.

DATED at Kamloops, B. C., this 8th day, of September, 1920.

H. V. CRAIG,
District Registrar of Titles.

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Rossland Assessment District

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that, on Monday, the 15th day of November, 1920, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Court House, Rossland, I shall offer for sale at Public Auction the Mineral Claims in the list hereinafter set out of the persons in the said list hereinafter set out for delinquent taxes unpaid by said persons on the 30th day of June 1920, and for interest, costs and expenses, if the total amount due is not sooner paid.

The Collector will be pleased to receive any information respecting the following list where the owner is a member of the Allied Forces and entitled to the benefits of Section 29 of the "Taxation Act Amendment Act, 1918" and amendments thereto.

Dated at Rossland, B. C., this 2nd day of October, 1920.

H. R. TOWNSEND,
Collector for the Rossland Assessment District.

LIST ABOVE MENTIONED

Name of Owner	Name of Claim	Lot No.	Taxes	Costs	Total
TRAIL CREEK MINING DIVISION					
Homer F. Libby and Val C. Simmons	Alice L	4331	$10.25	$3.75	$14.00
Neibergall Albert	Berlin	11157	12.00	3.75	15.75
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company	Columbia	694	4.00	3.75	7.75
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company	Copper Jack	1185	5.25	3.75	9.00
J. Vogel Estate	Curlew	1220	8.75	3.75	12.50
Clement Mrs. Elsie L	Canada	4358	64.75	3.75	68.50
Miller Robert	Dandy No 2	2406	11.75	3.75	15.50
Neibergall Albert	Glendale	11137	6.25	3.75	10.00
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company	Golden Chariot	691	11.50	3.75	15.25
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company	Great Western	692	3.25	3.75	7.00
Peterson Norman	Hattie Brown	1047	8.75	3.75	12.50
Neibergall Albert	Hidden Hand	11139	9.00	3.75	12.75
Miller Robert	High Ore No 2	2945	11.00	3.75	14.75
Red Mountain Ida May Gold Mining Co. Ltd	Ida May	1940	5.75	3.75	9.50
Neibergall Albert	Independent	11136	12.75	3.75	16.50
Inland Empire M. & M. Company, Ltd	Inland Empire	3880	13.00	3.75	16.75
Neiberagll, Albert	Inland Fraction	11156	.50	3.75	4.25
Rossland Kootegay Mining Company	Kootenay	697	5.25	3.75	9.00
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company	Kootenay Fraction	1198	.25	3.75	4.00
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company	Nickel Plate	537	4.75	3.75	8.50
Jordan Ben F	Ontario	1057	12.50	3.75	16.25
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company	Ore-or-no-go	696	.50	3.75	4.25
Neibergall Albert	Saginaw	3879	13.00	3.75	16.75
Inland Empire M & Mig. Co	Saginaw Fraction	3881	3.50	3.75	7.25
Rossland Kootenay Mining Company Ltd	Tip-Top	798	9.00	3.75	12.75
Costello W. E	Trilby	1626	12.00	3.75	15.75
Cameron T. A. and McCrea W. S	Viking	4916	11.75	3.75	15.50
Neibergall Albert	Washington	11138	13.00	3.75	16.75
GRAND FORKS MINING DIVISION					
Carraher Eva M	Acoru	2230	10.25	3.75	14.00
Northup Henry Hall	Alpha	3174	11.00	3.75	14.75
McLaren Henry Albert	Alpha	1204	9.25	3.75	13.00
Prendergast W. J. Boyce J. S. and Reeves C W	Athelstan	1325S	10.00	3.75	13.75
Kerman, H. C., Kerman, Maggie M., and Shannon, David	Big Cub	1334S	11.50	3.75	15.25
Kerman, H. C., & M. M., Shannon D	Black Bear	1335S	8.25	3.75	12.00
Denzler Robert, Crane G. L. Oppenheimer, M. Feldman, P Hahn, Gertie Walker Carrie	Butte	1067	13.00	3.75	16.75
Byrnes, T. J Holm, Jno	Caledonia	973	10.00	3.75	13.75
Stewart, William H	Canyon	2390S	12.50	3.75	16.25
Paulson, T. B	Caroline	2483	13.00	3.75	16.75
Stewart, William H	Dominion	2386S	13.00	3.75	16.75
Prendergast, W. J., Boyce John S. and Reeves, C. H	Eganville	1016S	6.00	3.75	9.75
Kerman, Maggie M., and Cannon, Hugh B	Glouster Fraction	145S	9.75	3.75	13.50
Kerman, H. C	Golden Age	967S	6.75	3.75	10.50
Coldwell, G. R	Golden Crown	600	13.00	3.75	16.75
Humming Bird B.C. Gold Mining Co., Julia O'Connor, Deisheimer, S., Williams, J. C., International Railway Co.	Humming Bird	1369	8.50	3.75	12.25
Colby, Z	Humphrey, Davy	3232	7.25	3.75	11.00
Newby, James	Ida	575S	11.50	3.75	15.25
Knight, Bertha J.	Iron Bell Fraction	93S	7.00	3.75	10.75
Kerman, Maggie M	Iron Cap	929S	12.00	3.75	15.75
Rumberger, G. W	Iron Clad	1489	13.00	3.75	16.75
Kerman, Herbert C., Kerman, Maggie M. and Shannon, David	Little Cub Fraction	1333S	13.00	3.75	16.75
Kerman, H C. Kerman Maggie M, Shannon, David and Wotlin, Henry	Lucky Jack	1026S	11.25	3.75	15.00
Oliver, W T and Walsh, Thomas	Lucy	1427	13.00	3.75	16.75
Byrne, Patrick J.	Maine Fraction	430S	2.00	3.75	5.75
Stewart, William H	Mammoth	2385S	4.00	3.75	7.75
Reeves, C. H. and Prendergast W. J.	Nellie	1017S	13.00	3.75	16.75
Stewart, William H	Pan	2387S	6.00	3.75	9.75
Graf, Fred	St. Elmo	2229	12.50	3.75	16.25
Kerman, H. C., Kerman, M. M. Wotlin Henry, Shannon, David	White Bear	1025S	13.00	3.75	16.75
GREENWOOD MINING DIVISION					
Hemmerle, Thomas and McKee, Hugh	Admiral	2379	7.75	3.75	11.50
Rumberger, G. W. Dermody, P. J. and Garrison T. B	Apex	1696	7.00	3.75	10.75
Jackson, Eric E. and Groves, F W	Apex Fraction	563S	11.00	3.75	14.75
Jackson, Eric E and Groves, F W	Battle Axe Fraction	2308	11.50	3.75	15.25
Jackson, E. E	Belmont Fraction	1422S	.25	3.75	4.00
Rumberger, G. W	Cimeron	980	12.25	3.75	16.00
Roderick, Thos. McNulty, James, Marshall, James, Bresnahan, Dan	Dexter Fraction	329S	11.75	3.75	15.50
Prendergast, William J	Emerald	822S	13.00	3.75	16.75
Rumberger, G. W., Daniel, R. T. Stack, Thos. and McDonell, Chris	Garfield	1264	10.75	3.75	14.50
Tate, Edward L	Hercules	926	5.75	3.75	9.50
Holbrook, Mary A	Hill Fractional	2945	13.00	3.75	16.75
Rumberger, G. W. and Garrison, T. B	Joker	1690	2.00	3.75	5.75
Hunter, W. T	Lancashire Fraction	325S	2.25	3.75	6.00
Bank of Montreal, Rossland, Glass, V. D. Aspinwall, Phil	Last Chance	660	5.00	3.75	8.75
McNulty, J., Clark, T., Bresnahan, D. and Bresnahan, J	Little Annie	2389	7.00	3.75	10.75
McNulty, J., Clark, T., Bresnahan D. and Bresnahan, J	Little Brown	2390	12.50	3.75	16 25
Rumberger, G. W. Marshall, Jas. Farney, Wm. Strachan, A., MacAuley, J. B	Magnolia	2950	13.00	3.75	16.75
McNulty, J. Bresnahan, J., Bresnahan, D., Clark, Thos	Marshall	2388	12.50	3.75	16.25
McNulty, J., Bresnahan, J. Bresnahan, D. Clark, Thos.	Marshall Fraction	2404	1.25	3.75	5.00
McIntosh, Alex. A	McKinley	168S	33.75	3.75	37.50
Hemmerle, Thos. and McKee, Hugh	Ottawa Fraction	3503	71.75	3.75	75.50
Mortimer, E. H., Bensley, R. J., Brown, C. H. Graham, M. A., Parry, E	Peacock	1243	12.25	3.75	16.00
Roderick, Thos. and Marshall, James	Pilot	3297	11.00	3.75	14.75
Roderick, T. Marshall, J. McNulty J. Bresnahan, D.	Pilot Fraction	3306	10.50	3.75	14.25
Keffer, F., Anderson, J. P., Beaulieu, T	Pluto	2393	8.25	3.75	12.00
Lee, R., Gillis, Jas., Campbell, J. M., Kay Mark, Bryant, Lewis	Princess Louise	3680	13.00	3.75	16.75
Lee, R. Gillis, Jas., Campbell J. M., Kay, Mark, Bryant, Lewis	Prince of Wales	3681	11.25	3.75	15.00
Hallett, Ellen	Seamet	2663	9.75	3.75	13.50
Rumberger, G. W., Marshall, J., McAuley, J. B., Farney, Wm. Strachan Alexander	Sterlingham	2953	12.00	3.75	15.75
Smith, W. S.	Twin	819	13.00	3.75	16.75
Rumberger, G. W	Williamena Fraction	1693	2.00	3.75	5.75
Rumberger, G. W	Yukon Fraction	1193	10.00	3.75	13.75

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