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The spring seems to be really rmen bombed Russian air- here. Everything is growing. Some Canadian telegraph companies anon island of Oesel in Gilf of flowers are already in bloom and nounce that low rate domestic

> Of the other early flowers I have available for overseas messages. seen the yellow leopardsbane dais- From any point in Saskatchewan, ies, the little yellow draba, a rock Alberta or British Columbia a plant, a small saxifrage with a little cablegram addressed to any memyellow flower something like a ber of the Canadian Active Army primrose. Then there are prim- in Great Britain may be sent for as roses, yellow and pink, polyanthus low as sixty cents. Anticipated and they will be followed soon by heavy volume of overseas traffic is auriculas. Arabis, white, pink and anticipated. mauve, is blooming and so are the current which seems to do well luncheon tomorrow.

This is a very good time to sow yellow alyssum, known sometimes as gold dust or more properly alyssum saxatile. The flowers of the old plants will be in bloom soon and they make a fine showing, especially if they are mingled with forget-me-not. If the seeds are sown now they will probably bloom in the fall but, if not, they will be all the better next spring. Large plants do not move well.

Last year the fire chief had a few fine hollyhocks in the garden just outside the fire hall. He has some again this year and they seem to do well. Those wishing to grow hollyhocks should plant the seed now so that the young plants may be strong for the winter.

There is some great work going on in Westview on Graham Avenue. The Scherk rockeries are beginning to show up well and are a decided improvement. The Landry home, recently sold to J. Penniger is being wonderfully improved, the garden being about ready for planting. The Dibb, Priest, Mandy and other gardens are all looking well and the avenue is holding its own well although a few residents have not yet commenced their season's work.

In the other direction I have not yet had much opportunity to note what is going on except that Mrs. Winslow's garden is interesting with spring flowers and there is n unusual plant in bloom there just now, a green hellebore, evidently of some northern variety, probably Siberian.

I am planning to get out my, dahlias the first possible opportunity. They could be planted any time now although, if they are well started, there is yet danger of frost injuring them.

I have been slow in starting my garden column but I hope to get time to write oftener now if I can get around and see what is taking place. I see the Signallers at Westview have started what looks like a lawn along in front of the new buildings. If they keep a lawn Repair Water Pipes, Roofs, there it will be a decided acquisition to the neighborhood:

> I cannot close this week without mention of our old gardener friend, A. McIntosh, on Atlin Avenue who. is following the fashion set in the east of having a glaring red front door in a cream colored building. Montreal, Toronto and Ottawa make up for the drab winters there by painting their front doors some glaring colors such as bright blue or

Miss Norah McCaffery arrived in the city on the Prince George this morning from her studies at Little Flower Academy in Vancouver to spend the Easter season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Mc-

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## Alkali or Acid Determine Sex?

Another Way to Tell Whether It's to Be Boy or Girl

approach of the Easter season, the (CP)-An instrument for measur- wat not The re : Konnoops. The participated and, as usual, a lunch-Turkish army in the Cauca- others are coming along nicely. Easter greeting messages of pre- ing the relative alkalinity or acidity demonstration will be held as part con was featured. Snowdrops and crocuses are over, arranged texts will be available in the human body is being put to an anad an War services fund slowly. I have not yet seen any in bloom although the buds are well for the convenience of members the sex of their ch dren. It was reason to anticipate that this will on last nght's train from bloom although the buds are well of His Majesty's forces and their invented by Dr. A. O. Beckman, be achieved. friends, both here and abroad, ex- once a professor at the California ceptionally low rates are made institute of Technology.

search men are working, according to information received here from both English and American sources, is that increased alkali in the mother's system favors the birth of a boy while a predonderance of acid determines a girl.

earlier patches of aubretia. My gar- G. R. S. Blackaby, manager of treating the prospective mother by participated. den is late so I have not as many of the Bank of Montreal, will be the diet or medicine have been reportthese flowers in bloom as most speaker before the Prince Rupert ed, but they are not numerous The Kamloops Athletic Associapeople but I have pink flowering Rotary Club at its regular weekly enough to establish that they are tion's girls' basketball team has Spring grading and repairs have in top of each and fill with canned not merely the result of chance. won the intermediate 'A' girls' been completed on the three principeas, dot with butter. Heat in oven.

R.M.R'S "HOME TOWN"

g leffigy this evening in front of the week. A large number of members

A theory on which several re- was the annual gym revue of the game commissioner, presented an stricken with ruptured aneurysm Kamloops Athletic Association interesting program of moving pic- of the abdominal aorta. which had a three night stand. It tures depicting game and outdoor was the eleventh event of its kind life in British Columbia. and came quite up to all its pre-Several instances of successfully A troupe of Revettoke tumblers is vice-president and Miss Betty | Cook and mash potatoes. Beat

championship of British Columbia, pal highways radiating from Kamhaving defeated Victoria Willows loops and these roads are in normal by a score of 23 to 16 in the decid- condition. ing game. It is the second year in a row that the Kamloops girls won she trophy.

The Kamloops Golf Club formally opened the 1941 season under fav-Adolf Hitier will be burned in orable auspices on Sunday of this

Sandy Sandiford. After the din- | Ital immediately after the arrival Beautifully staged and costumed ner, J. G. Cunningham, provincial of the train but died soon. He was

decessors in general quality. Dis- F. M. Davis, formerly of Prince plays of all kinds were featured. Rupert, has been elected president; The attendance totalled 1673 which of the Canadian National Tennis was just a trifle lower than 1940. Club at Kamloops. Mrs. J. Morrow Carson, secretary. The playing sea- until very light and smooth. Prop son will commence on Good Friday. individual servings on a greased

Another well known Canadian Pacific railwayman to die recently Tulips are coming along only rather again this year between all offices use on a wide scale in an effort to campaign. The Kamioops Jumor Fish and was Henry Hart Burgess, locomo-

and Oddfellows' Lodges.

John E. Hopgood, for many years

a well known official of the Can-

adian Pacific Railway in this dis-

trict, having retired as assistant

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1932, died here recently. He was a

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