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Our Column

Are you reading a borrowed paper?

Look at the label on your paper and act according.

It's a 'dog-gone" town we have now, not a cur on our streets.

Only 19 weeks more till mid-summer holidays commence, and all exams will be over.

"Bed," says a local radio fan, "is where you go when you can't tune into another station."

Do you remember when the good wife asked, before going for a walk, "do my ankles show below my skirts?

When one sets down to think it over, what a lot of human cussedness there is in the religious world to-day.

Nothing daunted, the men continue to plod along, doing the best they can, poor dears. How helpless they would be without the women.

It is again predicted that the Ontario elections will be held in June, and the liquor question the issue. The public are getting somewhat dizzy over this guess work.

Now, here are a couple of good subjects for the men to debate, "Resolved that women are better provders than men," and "Resolve that a woman knows more about running an automobile than a man.

Prof. Bell, of the Kemptville Agricultural College will speak on 'Hors s and Dairy Cattle" to the Agriculture Class, in the town hall here next Tuesday, 23rd, in the afternoon. Any citizens will be welcome to the meeting.

A newspaper publisher offered a prize to the best answer to the conundrum, 'Why is a newspaper like a woman.' The prize was won by a lady who sent this answer: "Because every man should have one of his own and not one of his neighbors."

Fashions may change, but the love of the young man for his girl is the same today as in the days of old. Bobbed hair is just as attractive as the long curls, and what nature does not now do for the complexion, cosmetics will. So there you are.

The wonderful Pageant 'The Conversion of the Hon. Mrs. Lane,' in the Town Hall, Monday, Feb. 22nd, under auspices of Mission Circle. Tickets 35c.

Special Lectures

The Winchester agricultural short course class was favored with two most interesting special lecturers during the past week On Monday, January, 15, T. H. Shield, Peterboro, Ont., discussed the business of bee culture in a most entertaining and practical way. On Wednesday, January, 17, E. E. Snyder, Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, gave three lectures on the raising of poultry. In addition to the class of 20 students, there was a large outside attendance. The many favorable comments furnished ample evidence that all were glad they had not over-looked the opportunity of hearing these speakers who knew so well their respective subjects.

"There has been considerable money made in the raising of bees and as a result many unskilled beginners are plunging into the game", stated Mr. Shield, who owns about 700 colonies of bees and is one of the best authorities in Ontario. Continuing he remarked, "My advice to those who know little about bee culture is to go slow. Get a few colonies to start with, learn how to handle them, and then, if you find them sufficiently profitable, gradually increase your holdings, Too many imagine that all that is necessary is to get some bees, wait a little while and the money will come rolling in. That is a mistake as bees take attention and respond to skill the same as any other branch of farming. The sooner we realize this fact the better." Mr. Shield does think, however, that if handled in the right way, if the beginner will endeavor to learn the business thoroughly, that he can make it pay. His lecture was made all the more enjoyable and practical by moving pictures of the bee at work, and of every operation in connection with the bee business.

Those present at Mr. Snyder's lectures on the raising of poultry awoke with a start when he showed with figures that the average hen in Dundas County was hardly paying for her keep Allowing the hens of the county an average of 96 eggs per bird, which figure was claimed too nigh, it was shown that there was a bare profit to the former of 3 cents per dozen of eggs. Better breeding, more careful culling, and better feeding were some of the important points which he stressed. "There are methods by which profits can be greatly increased. For instance, I know of a farm girl who has made as high as $6 per hen out of her flock. It is not accomplished by lack of up-to-date knowledge of handling methods, but rather by an honest attempt to get the best information available about breeding, feeding and management of hens so that she could apply it to her own flock. Every farmer can in a measure do likewise and many of them have already gone far in this regard."

Mr. A. E. Springstead, Agricultural Representative for Dundas County, is highly pleased with the good types of young men from this district that constitute his agricultural class. They have bombarded the lecturers' with a great many questions and are there to get as much out of the course as they possibly can In order to improve the course for the boys and to give the outside public an opportunity of hearing experts on various lines of farming, special lecturers have had an important place.

The Melvin Dramatic Club will present their play, A Little Clophopper, at Chesterville on Sat. Feb. 27, and at the Consolidated School, Mountain, on Tuesday Feb. 23.

LOCAL AND GENERAL JOTTINGS

A Brantford deaf-mute, who had worried over the health of her three-months-old baby, suddenly became insane, and threw the child into the furnace. After the tragedy. she retrieved the scarred and lifeless body of the infant from its fiery resting place.

On the afternoon of Friday, Feb. 19th the Christian women of Canada and the United States gather for prayer. The W. M. S. of the United Church of this place are observing this call to prayer at 3 p. m. to-morrow (Friday) in the Sunday School hall.

The young Mariners C. G. I. T. group spent a very enjoyable evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Johnston, on Thursday, Feb. 11 Mr. Dan Johnston very kindly took the group, accompanied by their honorary president, Miss Stenhouse, in a sleighload. The regular meeting was held was held after which were games and songs. A most delicious supper was then served by Mrs. Johnston. Taps the good-night song of the group was sung and all returned home feeling that they had spent a most delightful evening.

The Roseveir Mission Band of the United Church held their annual At Home on Saturday afternoon under the leadership of their Pres . Mrs. Percy Durant. Twelve tables were set, one for each month of the year aud these were gracefully presided over by young girls. Each guest was supposed to sit at the table representing the month of his or her birthday. The rooms and tables were tastefully decorated to suit the month they represented. The guests were received by Mrs. Armstrong, Band Leader, and Mrs. Earle, W. M. S. Pres. Proceeds amounted to nearly $30

The week between Feb 7th. and Feb. 14th., is known to the Tuxis Boy's as Father and Son week. We are glad to report that the square at Chesterville carried out the program with great success.

Last Friday evening a Father and Son Banquet was held in United Church. S. S. Rooms, at wh ch over a hundred fathers and sons gathered.

A very enjoyable evening was spent, toasts and music constituted part of the program. Rupert E. Helmer, member of the Boy's Parliament, for Dundas, was present and gave an address on Brotherhood and matters pertaining to the Boy's Parliament. The boys at Chesterville deserve credit for their undertaking, and also to be congratulate for their splendid response to the Bond Selling Campaign.

St. Paul's Guild

On Saturday last, at the home of Mrs. Gardner, the Guild of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church held its Valentine Sale of Home-cooking, candy, etc., and served afternoon tea. The tea-room and tables were prettily decorated with St. Valentine decorations, ferns and flowers, presided over by the President, Mrs. Geo. Angus, and Mrs. Rowat Kennedy assisted by the Misses Effie Fisher, Olive Gibb, Violet MacCourtie and Jennie Empey.

Miss Clara Irving ushered the guests to the tea room. The home-baking, candy etc., were in charge of Mrs. A. G. Suffel Mrs. Jas. Gibb, and the Misses Martha Knowland and Tena McIntosh. The event proved successful both financially and socially. The proceeds amounted to $50.85.

The Annual Tea and Money Shower, under the auspices of the Women's Missionary Society of St. Paul's Church, will be held at the home of Mrs. Dr. McKeown, on Thursday, Feb. 25th, from 3 to 6 p. m. Everybody welcome.

Visited Kemptville College

The Agriculture Class now taking a course under Mr. A. E. Springstead, Ag. Rep. for Dundas, visited the Agricultural College at Kemptville on Tuesday, and were given a very cordial welcome by Prof. Bell and his staff and as a result of the visit the young men have gained in knowledge of th ngs agricultural and came away with a high opinion of the thoroughness and splendid system of the Kemptville Agricultural College. There were some twenty or more young men in the party. They inspected green house, orchard, poultry pens, barns and all places of interest. They were al o given a lesson in live stock judging. The party was entertained at luncheon. They had a very happy and profitable day, and express their appreciation to Mr. Springstead and Prof. Bell for their kindness and interest.

Institute At Home

"A most enjoyable time" was the verdict of all who attended the annual "At Home" of the Women's Institute in the attractively renovated Town Hall, on Friday night last. The guests were received by Hon. Pres. Mrs. An drew Christie. 1st. Vice Pres.—Mrs. Ritchie, and Sec.-Treas.—Miss Grace Irving.

The Pres., Mrs. J. H. Ross, presided in her usual capable and pleasing manner, and welcomed all who were guests of the members for the evening. Miss Ida Gardner presided at the piano for the singing of many Community songs, at various stages in the program The debate on: "Resolved that women have done more than men for this community" proved very interesting.

Those who spoke for the affirmative were Mrs. J. W. Ault, Miss Emma Gardner and Mrs. B. L. Carr; for the negative, Mrs. Earle, Mrs. Ritchie and Mrs. Wm. Shaver. Excellent arguments were brought out by all the speakers, showing that a lot of commendable work had been done here by both men and women. Mrs. J. W. Ault as leader of the affirmative was given three minutes at the last for rebuttal.

The Judges, Miss Stenhouse, Mr. Toole and Mr. Nunnick gave their decision in favour of the affirmative.

Another very pleasing feature of the evening was the showing of colored pictures of the Wembley Exhibition by Mr. Nunnick, of Ottawa, who by his explanations made one feel as though they had been in England The views shown of exhibits from Canada, New Zealand, Ceylon, South Africa and all the British possessions proved a real education. Votes of thanks w re given Mr. Nunnick and all who took part as well as all the members.

Dainty and appetizing refreshments were served by a Committee of workers, after which the singing of "God Save the King" brought to a close one of the best social evenings held here for some time.

LOCAL AND GENERAL JOTTINGS

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Merkley have returned home to Rochester after spending a few weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Duncan, left for their home in Didsbury, Alta., on Wednesday.

The police in all parts of the province are now expected to prosecute all owners of cars and trucks without the necessary 1926 markers.

Mrs. Bert Smith, who was operated on last Thursday, by Dr. McKendry and Dr. Fetterly and assisted by Nurse Deeks, is progressing nicely.

The Tuxis Boys, of Winchester are pleased to report that the objective for the Bond Selling Campaign has been reached. A full report will be given next week.

Miss M. Brown has returned from the Spring Millinery Openings in Toronto, and has a complete stock of up-to-date millinery in all the leading shades and materials.

Junior Hockey Play-off

After a very fast, exciting game in Morewood, on Tuesday last the Chesterville Juniors earned the right to meet the fast Winchester Juniors in the play-off for the championship, of the Central Ottawa Valley. Both Chesterville's and Winchester's teams are resting in the lull before the storm as it were which commences next Tuesday night, when Chesterville meets Winchester in the first game of the play off on the home ice. The return game will be played in Chesterville, on Thursday next and fast hockey may be assured both nights as both teams are out to bring home the bacon.

Temperance Meeting

A meeting for the purpose of organizing the temperance forces for the north half of Dundas County was held in the town hall on Tuesday afternoon. The attendance from the outside was not large, owing no doubt to drifted roads. Rev. Mr. Clark, Hallville, was elected chairman, and Mr. F. M. Eagleson, Sec'y of the meeting. The chief speaker was Mr. Bolam, representing the Provincial Organization, who gave a very full account of the working of the provincial organization, and its proposed mode of procedure in the preseut campaign. Briefly he advised the temperances forces in every riding to organize to have men selected at party convention who are known prohibitionists and who would pledge themselves to support prohibition, legislation. He said that at the Provincial Convention a resolution had been unanimously adopted to support all those candidates in the Ontario Legislature who voted against the 4.4 beer amendment to the Ontario Temperance Act, among whom the present member for Dundas is numbered and to oppose all those who had voted for the amendment. They were not to bring out a purely prohibition candidate, but to support the prohibition candidate of either party. Considerable discussion followed. A resolution was finally adopted, pledging themselves to do all in their power to secure the selection in the riding of a known prohibitionist, and one who would pledge himself to support prohibition legislation free from party domination.

At the United Church, of Winchester Springs, on the evening of Feb. 25th, the wonderful Pageant, "The Conversion of Hon. Mrs. Lane" will be presented. Admission 25c. Remember the date and come

Late Mr. W. J. Porteous

In the death of Mr. W. J. Porteous, merchant, which occurred very suddenly at his residence on Friday morning last, Vernon loses one of its most highly esteemed residents. Mr. Porteous apparently had been in his usual health, when stricken with a weakness from which he was unable to rally. He realized he was nearing the Portal and had repeated a verse of Jesus Lover of my Soul when his spirit had taken its flight. He leaves to mourn his loss, a sorrowing wife. one daughter Lola and three sons Wilfred. Howard and Murray all at home, four sisters, Mrs. J. W. Stainton, Winnipeg, Mrs. Andrew Jamieson, Cordova, Manitoba, Miss Kate Porteous, Winchester and Mary of Vernon, three brothers, J. R. Porteous, Toronto, David of Cordova, Manitoba and Alexander of Winchester

The funeral service which was held at the home on Sunday was conducted by Rev. Mr. Howe, pastor of the United Church assisted by Dr. Hughson, Rev. H. A Reid and Rev. Mr. Eakin. A choir of members from the different denominations sang, Asleep in Jesus, Jesus Lover of my Soul and Peace Perfect Peace. after which interment was made in the family plot at Spring Hill.

Mr. Porteous was in his sixty-third year, a man of sterling quaiities and a Christian character, having given his heart to the Saviour in his early manhood he became a member of the old Presbyterian Church at Spring Hill, which afterwards became the present church in Vernon. He was an elder and clerk of the session also Supt. of the Sunday School for fifteen years until he joined the United Church, where he took up similar duties. His place in these will be sadly missed, always attentive at the church services and ready to take part in whatever capacity his abilities called for, as well as in the affairs for the good of the community to which he always gave a helping hand. A man of kindly disposition he was beloved by young and old.

The floral offerings were very beautiful consisting of a Pillow—Family, Wreaths, United Church and Sabbath School. Vernon Hockey Club, Mr. and Mrs W. L. Robinson and Mr. G. H. McIlveen, A Cross—Mrs. Dan Porteous and family Anchor—R. L. Barlow. Basket—Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dixon, Sprays—Mr. and Mrs. Alex Porteous, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunter, Dr. and Mrs. L. S. Hughson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Devitt, Mrs C. Daws and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hunter, Crerar family, Miss Lee, and pupils of II B of Winchester High School, Allan and Colin MacLean and Harold Greer, Mr and Mrs. B. McKercher, Mr and Mrs. Thos. Ralph. Letters and telegrams of condolence were also received from sympathizing friends and the community at large extend to Mrs. Porteous and family their deep sympathy in the loss of a kind husband and devoted father.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NOTES

Mrs. H. R. Patterson, of Merrickville, is spending a few days with Mrs. Annie Hughes.

Miss Helen Timmins spent the week-end in Smiths Falls, the guest of Miss Miller.

Mrs. Rufus Earl, of Port Arthur, is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jessie Hughes.

Mr. Wilbert Johnston and Ethel, of Williamsburg, spent Valentine day with his parents here.

Mr. Ronald Fulton, was in Kemptville on Tuesday with the Agricultural class from Winchester.

Miss Stella Price, of Detroit, Mich., spent the week end at her parents home, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Price.

Miss Etta Bellinger, of Osgoode is visiting her cousins the Misses, Eva, Laura and Kathleen Fawcett.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Sheldrick and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Larmour spent Sunday with friends in Morrisburg.

Miss Tena McTavish, who is spending the winter with Mrs. Render of Mountain spent Friday in Winchester.

Miss Helen Smith left on Monday to attend a Dental Fraternity Dance, also to spend a few days in Kitchener.

Miss Jean Wallace, of the Ottawa Normal School, spent the week end with her porents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Wallace.

Mrs. Barlow, Chesterville, visited her sister, Mrs. K. Helmer here on Wednesday. Mrs. O. D. Casselman was also a guest of Mrs. Helmer.

Mrs. Bowman, widow of the late W. B. Bowman, of Toronto, and sister of Mrs. David Campbell-Johnston, was married Feb'y 15th, to J. W. Scott, Judge of the Supreme Court, Salt Lake City, Utah, U. S. A.

Mrs. G. W. Johnston received word that her neice, Mrs. J. A. Macpherson had passed away at the General Hospital in Brandon, Man. after a serious operation. Mr. and Mrs. Macpherson visited Mrs. Johnston last summer.

Mr. H. B. Fetterly, I. P. S, for Dundas, attended a meeting of P. S. Inspector for Eastern Ontario, held at Ottawa this week, when many questions pertaining to the welfare of Education and the public school system were discussed.

Mr. Joseph McCargar, of Moose Jaw, formerly of Winchester, who has been visiting friends in town and vicinity, for the past two weeks, left to day for Eastern points, where he will visit friends for a few days before his return home in the West, by way of Ottawa.

Mr. J. A. Stafford, of Regina, and son, Jack; Mrs. Richard Sipes, of Saskatoon, Mr. John R. Wylie, of Yellow Grass, Sask., and Mr. Arnold Wylie, of Kingston, have been visiting their mother, Mrs. Robert Wylie, here, who is very ill at present.

The Pathfinder Trail Ranger Camp met at the home of Mr. Karl Helmer, on Tuesday evening, Feb. 16th, for their usual meeting, at which Rev. J. A. Waddell spoke to them on "The Life of Dr. Grenfell," followed by refreshments, after which they ajourned to meet next week, at Mr. A. W. Beach's.

The Queen's University young ladies hockey team on Saturday night last won the Championship from the Toronto University team. Among the star players for Queen's is Miss Erma Beach, of Winchester, who according to the report in the Toronto paper scored the first goal for her team and was one of the star players in the team.

McCormick—Brownlee

At St. Luke's Church, Ottawa, Ont., on Feb. 11th, 1926, by Rev. J. E. Lindsay Edith May, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Brownlee, of North Gower, Ont, to Leslie Johnston McCormick, of New York City, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McCormick, of Winchester, Ont. The happy couple left on the early train, Friday morning for New York where they will reside.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims and demand against the Estate of Anthony Woodward Evans, late of Hanna, in the Province of Alberta, but formerly of the Township of Mountain, in the County of Dundas, a farmer who died on or about the 17th day of April, A. D. 1919, at Hanna, in the Province of Alberta, are required on or before the 15th day of March, A. D. 1926 to send by post prepaid to th undersigned their claims verified by affidavit and the nature of the security (if any) held by them. AND take notice that after such last mentioned date the Administratrix will proceed to distribute the estate of the said deceased among all parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have notice. And that the said Administratrix shall not be liable for the said estate or any part there of of any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been received by her at the time of such distribution. Dated this 8th day of February. A. D. 1926.

James Warren York,
Solicitor for Administratrix
42-5c 74 Sparks St., Ottawa

Auction Sale

Owing to my giving up farming, I will sell by Public Auction at my farm known as the Andrew Riddell Farm, ½ east lot 16, Con. 8, Matilda, about 4 miles south of Inkerman, on

THURSDAY, FEB. 25, 1926

Commencing at 1 o'clock, the following:

LIVE STOCK—7 cows, 2 horses, 2 brood sows due to farrow in April and May, 2 geese, 50 hens.

MACHINERY, Etc—Good wagon, cutter, buggy, harrows, binder. seeder, randle Harrows, forks and shovels, good churn, pails, neck yoke, hay rack, wiffletrees, plow, 2 saws, 1 bed room suit, 1 Singer sewing machine, 1 fall leaf table. 1 kitchen table, 2 small stands, kitchen cupboard, 6 kitchen chairs as good as new, oil stove with two ovens, 1 cook range, 1 box stove, 1 Congoleum rug, 1 kitchen oil cloth, putter jars, 2 good milk cans, some hay, and numerous other articles.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under Cash, over that amount 6 months credit by furnishing approved joint notes or 4 per cent off for cash.

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Skates ground, properly balanced and trimmed, without fault.

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R. J. Empey,
42c Winchester

For Sale

9 shoats, also 1 brown horse, 4 yrs. old, 1350 lbs.
Garfield McIntosh,
42p. Win. Springs.

NOTICE I

We will begin Custom Sawing about February 22nd.
41-2c The M. F. Beach Co., Ltd.

TENDERS WANTED

Sealed tenders, addressed Tenders for putting stone on road No. 6, will be received by the undersigned on or before the 20th day of March, 1926, for putting 2000 yards loose, crushed stone on road No. 6, Tp. of Matilda, commencing at Lot No. 14 at Orrin Wylie's and going east to Lot No. 7, and connecting with the county road. The price submitted by tenderer is to be by the yard. Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque for $150 The cheque of successful tenderer to be held until completion of the work. Cheques of unsuccessful tenders will be returned. The work is to be done under the supervision of the Tp. Road Superintendent The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ANCIL LOCKE,
Matilda Township Clerk.
Dixon's Corners, Feb. 17, 1926

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Horses Wanted!

Mr. P. Vandelac, of Montreal, will be in the following places to purchase all kinds of heavy horses.

Robinson's Hall, Finch
Friday, Feb. 19th

Varin's Hotel, Crysler
Saturday, Feb. 10th

Hotel Winchester, Winchester
Feb. 23rd & 24th

McCloskey's Hotel, Chesterville
Feb. 26th & 27th

The Automobile

MUCH DEPENDS UPON STEERING PARTS OF AUTOS.

There is nothing better calculated to strike terror to the human soul for the driver of an automobile to suddenly realize, as he is driving his machine at good speed on a popular highway, that the steering apparatus of his car has gone bad—is failing to function. One is almost entirely helpless.. There is little to do but await a crash—or if lucky, slide off one side of the road or the other.

Steering gears do sometimes go bad, this in spite of great skill and care on the part of the manufacturers of cars. Of course, no large percentage of the total number of motor accidents can be laid to functionless steering gears, yet there are enough of such calamities to warrant every motorist giving careful consideration to this important matter.

By way of making the steering of a car easy and giving it the necessary strength and the required fleibility the front wheels of an automobile are provided with certain peculiarities. At the lower end of the shaft on which the hand-steering wheel is located there is a gear usually of the worm type, although other types are sometimes employed. This gearing makes it possible to swing the front wheels with very little effort on the part of the driver. At the same time it is necessary for considerable pressure to be exerted on the front wheels to move the steering or hand wheel.

An arm from this steering gear connects through a drag link to a steering knuckle upon which one of the front wheels is mounted. The other front wheel is made to move in unison with the first through means of a tie rod connected to its steering knuckle. These knuckle joints are necessarily points of weakness as compared with a solid axle. Therefore it is necessary to provide some means of giving strength.

If the front wheels were placed in a perfectly perpendicular position considerable leverage would be exerted on the steering knuckle pins. This would not only make for weak construction but would also cause a great resistance to the turning movement that is incident to the steering. To overcome these faults the front wheels are given what is termed undergather—that is, the distance between them at the point where they touch the ground is less than at their tops.

Thus the weight of the vehicle bears directly on a line with the steering knuckle pins and no leverage is exerted. This undergather would result in excessive wear on the tires if both wheels were pointed straight ahead, or in other words, if they were set parallel. To prevent this excessive wear the wheels are given what is called foregather, which means that they are slightly closer at the fore edge than at the rear. While this difference is only about three-eighths of an inch it is very important that the front wheels toe-in that much. Of course, this does not apply to the rear wheels, which in practically all cases are directly parallel.

The steering parts of an automobile need careful and frequent inspection and he is a wise owner who does not neglect this essential aspect of satisfactory motoring.

ADAMSON'S ADVENTURES



The Shell Game

Eligible Peer Deserts Society.

London society has lost one of its most eligible young bachelors by the decision of Lord Hobart, only son of the Earl and Countess of Buckinghamshire, to desert England for the great open space sof Australia. This youthful peer, not yet 20, is riding in the bush as a cowboy in Queensland, while London mothers and debutantes with designs on a distinguished title are regretting his defection from Mayfair.

Lord Hobart left Eton a little while ago with the intention of going into business, but a short period in a counting house convinced him he was meant for some other career, so he embarked on a freighter bound for Australia. There he became a cowboy and now looks forward to a career in the cattle business. His family owns thousands of acres of coal land in Fife and had hoped to induce the heir to take up a conventional life in England.

Utilizing Time.

"Why do you walk so slow, my little man?"

"I'm going to the dentist and he closes his office in five minutes."

Another Alps Railway.

An electric railway is to be built to the summit of the Zugspitzee, the highest mountain in the Bavarian Alps.

Happiness.

He sought for happiness,
Idly on land and sea,
In various ways and places,
But ever missed it sadly.

And then he tied his soul
To a monumental task
And now of the joy he sought
He has all that a man could ask.

Happiness comes to those
Absorbed in the work they love;
They have no need to seek it—
It's a gift from Heaven above.



He—"It's quite a feat to dance the Charleston."

She—"Yes, feet, hand and everything."

Stars.

Our little earth fares bravely through the night,
For though before her stranger darkness lies,
A host of friends attend her in the skies.
Northward, the two Bears lead her with their white
Lantern, Polaris, and the Great Dog's light
Blazes a nearest trail. When Sirius dies
Out of the springtime East new torches rise
As down the West old beacons fade from sight.

That whirl of golden moths, the Pleiades,
Orion's giant suns, the red-eyed Bull
Depart, and the wee wanderer knows loss
Of Gemini's twin flames: instead, she sees
Altair and Scorpio, the beautiful,
Between the Northern and the Southern Cross.

—Lilian White Spencer.

"Here is the Place."

Here is the place where Loveliness keeps house,
Between the river and the wooded hills,
Within a velley where the Springtime spills
Her firstling wind-flowers under blossoming boughs:
Where Summer, sits braiding her warm, white brows
With bramble-roses; and where Autumn fills
Her lap with asters; and old Winter frills
With crimson haw and hip his snowy blouse.
Here you may meet with Beauty. Here she sits
Gazing upon the moon, or all the day
Turning a wood-thrush flute, remote, unseen:
Or when the storm is out, 'tis she who flits
From rock to rock, a form of flying spray,
Shouting, beneath the leaves' tumultuous green.

—Madison Cawein.

Moments.

So new are words, unweildy tools and slow
We have no names to call those moments by—
Dim stirrings of a silent self, no flow
Of utterance can reach . . . to satisfy.
So new! So old! Like meteors they come
All-blazoning, we grope, we hesitate;
Like meteors they pass, and leave us dumb . . .
Great moments leave us inarticulate.

The sculptor stricken of a palsied hand
Before the wonder of the human form;
The lookout high as any mast can stand
Still at the gathered glory of a storm
Though it roll crested death, black wave on wave;
And . . . country people waiting at a grave.

—Mildred Fowler Field.

Music Championed by Member of Parliament.

American men of the commercial and political world have given high praise to music—its influence and values. Now comes from London the opinion of a Mmber of Parliament, The Right Honorable J. R. Clynes, and what he believes music can do. He freely expresses himself in the following:

"Music plays a very large part in the lives of most of us. here are, it is true, people who are not influenced by it and take no pleasure in it, but they are a small minority compared with the hosts of those who, generation after generation, are moved in some degree by the appeal of music. Enjoyed as a pleasure, pursued as a hobby, or studdied as an art, it has the interest and the affection of the vast majority of the human race. Among the many forms of music which influence the minds and hearts of men and women and children, the music of the home is perhaps the most valuable and the best loved.

"It will be agreed by all that the home, the life of the home, the spirit of the family, are, above most things else, of crucial importance to the welfare of the State; and if that be so, if the life of the family is the mainspring of the life of the nation, it follows that every influence which can benefit the family life, which can help to unite the members of the family in real companionship, which can give them a common interest, which can make their life together more pleasant by making it more enjoyable—any influence which can do this is an influence of great national value. It draws the family more closely together. It eases the clash of competing individual desires within the family circle. It sets up an interest appealing to all. It does that inestimable good to family life—it increases the family's power to hang together for mutual advantage.

Music is such an influence. Music in the home plays the part of a social reformer. It improves the standard of the mental, the emotional, the spiritual life. When you have got music in the home you have made less room for inferior interests. For one thing, you bring to bear upon the younger members of the family an influence that may be of lifelong benefit to them. Soon enough, and inevitably, valueless and injurious influences will be playing upon them. Give them music—have music played and sung to them—have them taught to sing and play music for themselves—and you will have done something to counteract the danger of unwholesome influences to which they are certain to be exposed."

Sentence Sermons.

Seven Ways to Fail—Wait for something to turn up.

—Blame all your misfortunes on your own bad luck.

—Put no confidence in your own ideas.

—Sell out your friends in a pinch.

—Make a habit of starting more than you can finish.

—Learn to laugh at the voice of experience.

—Act as if the world owed you a living.

THE FLYING DUTCHMAN

If it hadn't been for the phonograph, it is extremely unlikely that many people to-day would have been as familiar with Wagner's great opera, "The Flying Dutchman," as they are. Here is simply another case, of course, where credit has to be given the phonograph for bringing good music to the masses.

The idea of writing this opera, "The Flying Dutchman," incidentally was first conceived by Wagner, when sailing for London with his wife and big Newfoundland dog, in 1839. It was a decidedly rough voyage, taking more than three weeks to make the crossing. Sailors told him the story of the "Flying Dutchman" during the voyage—a story that is as old as Homer.

The legend of the "Flying Dutchman"—and it is a story that fairly bristles with interest—owes its origin to the days of Homer, when the wind and storm-tossed seas were part of all adventures. According to this legend, a Dutch captain, foiled by contrary winds when rounding the Cape of Good Hope, takes a sacrilegious oath that he will succeed if he has to take eternity for it. Thereafter, for long centuries, his ship is in charge of demons, who make it the sport of wind and wave. Little wonder is it that such a story would fire Wagner's imagination as he heard it from the lips of sailors themselves as he was crossing over to England.

Wagner sticks fairly close to this story in his opera. The first act shows a bay in Norway. Daland, a Norwegian sea captain, is driven by a violent storm to the shelter of a port. During the storm another vessel casts anchor alongsside. The latter belongs to the famous Flying Dutchman, whom all mariners fear. It has been decreed that the Flying Dutchman can only go ashore once in seven years, and if perchance he finds a wife who will surrender herself to him in perfect love, the spell will be released. He speaks with Daland and, finding that the latter has a daughter, asks permission to sue for her hand, at the same time offering Daland gold. Daland agrees. The two vessels set sail in company for Daland's home.

Although senta, the daughter, is advised by Eric, a huntsman who loves her, not to marry the Flying Dutchman, she decides she will accept her father's plan and be divinely appointed saviour of this sea-rover.

The Dutchman believes that his hour of liberation is at hand. Meanwhile, Senta comes down to the shore, followed by Eric, who makes one last plea for her to relinquish her folly and love him as she had formerly done. The stranger overhears this and, believing himself betrayed, bids her farewell and hastsens on board his ship. He admits publicly that he is the Flying Dutchman, upon whom a curse rests and, while Daland and the rest shring back in horror, the ship heads towards the open sea. But Senta tears herself away and, rushing to the cliff under which the vessel is passing, casts herself into the sea, faithful unto death, as she had promised. Instantly the curse is lifted, the phantom ship sinks, and the Dutchman and his bride are seen ascending from the sea.

Interesting, isn't it? Yes, but to hear the opera itself rendered by some capable musical organization is even more interesting.

There are more than six times as many passenger cars in the world as there are trucks.

ISLAND KINGDOMS FOR SALE IN ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

Lundy, in the Bristol Channel, Free From All Taxation, Recently Sold to London Business Man.

The Count of Monte Cristo lived, in the midst of luxuries and wonders, on an island of his own in the Mediterranean. Like Alexander Selkirk he was monarch of all he surveyed, his right there was none to dispute, and since his day every reader of the immortal romance in which his adventures are described have envied him, not indeed his solitary grandeur, but his island kingdom.

It is not given to all of us to become a king in the sense that the King of England or the King of Italy is, but given a sufficiently large bank account, and not very large at that, there is no reason why kingship on a minor scale cannot be attained. A few weeks ago Lundy, in the Bristol Channel, was sold for £16,000 to a London business man who for this mere bagatelle acquired complete sway over an attractive island, with absolute freedom from Imperial taxation or county or municipal rates.

Brownsea Island Castle.

Now the news comes to hand that Brownsea (or Branksea) Island and Castle are in the market, with another opportunity for someone of playing the role of island king. Brownsea Island is situated at the entrance to Poole Harbor in the heart of the beautiful Dorset lakeland. The island itself consists of 500 acres of some of the most beautiful scenery in the south of England, and apart from the Castle would offer many inducements to quit the busy world for a life of quiet communion with nature. But to anyone who is not given to Thoreau's habits there is the Castle, which was built in the time of Henry VIII. as a defense for Poole and to command all shipping going in and out of the harbor. This surveillance was irksome. if we may believe a complaint dated 1581, which placed on record that "the Goovner of Bronkseye doth moleste the inhabitants of the towne, and will not suffer them to passe Northaven Point, but doth threaten them to shoote at them, and violently doth take their money from them, which is not only a great hindranc to poor mn that were woonte to gayne that wayse, but also an infryngінge of our liberties, whereof we think yt very necessarye to be remedyd."

Bought for a Shilling.

Present possession, it goes without saying, does not include the privilege of molesting the sturdy inhabitants of Poole. Since the Civil War the Castle has been used simply as a dwelling house, and a beautiful one it is, fit for any island monarch who may wish to reside there. Given a sufficient figure, and Sir Arthur Wheeler, its present possessor, will vacate his throne immediately and voluntarily go into exile on the mainland of England. In the latter part of the sixteeth century the rental of the whole island stood at 8s.; but you will have to pay more now

If Lundy be unobtainable, and Branksea be too dear, there are other islands round the British coast which offer the opportunity of becoming king at a small price They go begging at sundry intervals, and the auctioneer is ready to knock them down to the highest bidder. Last summer a distinguished novelist, who had lived for some years on the Island of Herm in the Channel Islands, bought an island off the West Coast of Scotland, which had belonged to Lord Leverhulme. A few years ago Lord Strathcona purchased the isles Colonsay and Oronsay in the Hebrides, and at the same time an English general became the owner of one of the lesser Orkneys. Calday Island, off the coast of Pembrokeshire, was formerly in the possession of the Rev. W. Done Bushell, a master at Harrow School.

Probably the smallest amount ever paid for an island off the coast of the United Kingdom was one shilling, in consideration of which sum an islet in Lough Erne, County Fermanagh, was, about 20 years ago, sold by the Commissioners of Woods and Forests. It is hardly possible to become an island king much cheaper than that!

Age of Umbrella.

The umbrella is undoubtedly of high antisuity, appearing in various forms upon the sculptured monuments of Egypt, Assyria, Greece and Rome; and in hot countries it has been used since the dawn of history as a sunshade—a use signified by its name, derived from the atin umbra, a shade.

When dining tables first came into use diners reclined on them and ate with their fingers.

WEDGWOOD POTTERY OF 18TH CENTURY

When Josiah Wedgwood started in the potter's trade, most of the tables of the middle class in England bore only crude clay dishes. Salt-glaze ware was too expensive. Wedgwood set about the task of providing those tables with good ware, in perfect form and of low cost. His finer ware is art indeed, and the envy of sincere craftsmen of to-day.

Josiah Wedgwood's Inventions.

Josiah Wedgwood came from a family of potters. He was born in Staffordshire, England, in 1730, and at the age of nine years left school and went to work in his brother's pottery. During the time from 1752-1758 he formed partnerships with several famous potters, but in 1758 started business alone in a small way. He constantly aimed at both artistic and mechanical perfection, and was an incessant worker in spite of many reverses.

In 1769 Wedgwood invented a green glaze, but his cream-colored ware, light and durable, similar to Leeds ware in appearance, but superior in biscuit, glaze, color, and form, is perhaps the earliest known. Several tones and hues are employed, ranging from cream to straw, saffron, and sulphur-yellow. At first it was plain; later decorated in various ways. In 1761 Wedgwood presented a breakfast set of this cream-colored ware to Queen Charlotte, and was made potter to her majesty in consequence. This greatly increased its popularity, and it became known as queen's ware.

In 1767 Wedgwood turned his attention to the manufacture of black basalt, or Egyptian black ware, which he brought to a high degree of perfection. It is so hard that it will strike fire with steel, and yet is velvety and smooth to both touch and eye. It was usually decorated with raised work in flutings, basket effects, and relief figures, classic in form. This work, even under a magnifying glass, is perfect to the minutest detail.

Interpreted the Classic Revival.

It is interesting to note that the classic forms and motifs used in this pottery accord with the age of classic decoration in architecture and furniture—generally known as the Adam period. This ware also furnished the ground on which his so-called "encaustic" paintings were executed. These were intended to reproduce the effect of the work on Greek and Etruscan painted vases and other vessels. The black background was either dull, velvety black or had the half-lustre of the Nolan ware.

The rare bronzed ware made by Wedgwood appears to have been black basalt dusted over, sometimes before and sometimes after firing with a metallic bronze powder.

Perhaps the best known and admired of all Wedgwood's work is the jasper body, which was his greatest triumph in the ceramic art. Nothing like it had ever been seen in pottery, and he produced this ware in endless variety of forms. It was his own invention and can best be described in Wedgwood's own words as "a white porcelain bisque of exquisite beauty, possessing the quality of receiving color throughout its whole substance, as the ground may be made of color and the raised figures in pure white." The light blue is without doubt the best known; but there were at least five tones of blue, six of green, three of red, and orange, terra cotta, lilac, rose, plum, chocolate, buff, brown, yellow, black, and four distinct whites.

The enthusiasm for classicism filled the air in the days of Wedgwood. Homer's Iliad and Odyssey had appeared in many translations just prior to Wedgwood's manhood. The statues of naval and military commanders in Westminster Abbey were in Roman costume; and the interior as well as the exterior decorations of houses all bear alike the stamp of the Greeks.

In the midst of this eighteenth-century classic revival, adroitly seizing classic models, Wedgwood in his art adopted all that was most suited to modern requirements. Pope translated Homer into English verse, and Wedgwood translated classic designs into English pottery.

MEMORIES THAT LEAD AFAR

There are times in the winter, when books, writing, and walking have all yielded their full interest, and yet remains an hour between daylight and dusk that calls for occupation. This would seem a pleasant time to take a ramble in one's armchair in the loved and remembered pathways of the past. Memory, at such times, drays her veil aside and shows me, vignetted out from the vague shadows of less-remembered things, a series of soft or brilliantly tinted pictures as beautiful, to my thinking, as any that have yet hung on the walls of a gallery. The season—but what matters the season? In such rambles I set forth in early spring, and walk into the glowing heart of autumn. Or, recalling some mountainous track in summer I climb it to look down on a swirling snowstorm in the valley, and the exhilaration of the dry cold air returns to me as I climb higher into dazzling sunshine.

Sometimes memory sets me in the twist of a road through a forest, but I can go no further. I cross the bridge of a roaring mountain torrent, and can see the long descent of a path through flowering trees, but the signpost has disappeared, and I know not in which hemisphere I rejoiced at these lovely scenes. Nor do I feel there is need to see more. I am grateful for the landscape that flashes by me when I travel in a train. And how easily I take my remembered ramblings without help of train or steamer and find myself in Italy, Egypt, India!

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Here is a dusty road outsde Florence that winds steeply up between high walls; a majestic stone pine soars into the blue sky and the single bell is heard clanging in a lovely campanile.

There is no wind to shake the olive trees so that their leaves turn over to show the silver underneath, and the glare is so intense in the unshaded lane that no one is about. Far below, the City of Flowers dreams with its palaces and towers along the Arno which lies in a broad gleam of white in the shadowy recesses of the Cascine. Once in Italy, such memories lead me far. I see again the sombre pile of a palace made a background for the bright blossoms in a flower-girl's basket. I see the olive-clad hillside, the white foam of cherry blossom against a distant blue mountain, the yollowing trees in a bright autumn afternoon on the Lombardy plain. I walk the arcaded streets of Bologna, and once more I tread the road above the sea where Capri lies in mist and sunlight like a blue shadow, and each deeply indented ravine in the hills is filled with orange trees.

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Some memories I love much are the softly colored pictures that open before me of walks near an old English town. I see the cathedral town of Salisbury, but beautiful as are its towers and the creeper-covered old red brick houses in its Close, I leave the town by a well-remembered path, and now perhaps I am on the short crisp grass of the Wiltshire downs, and I walk in the grove of black yew trees that are said to have furnished bows for the Saxon soldier. Or I turn to the water-meadows, or to the new forest. But on a winter afternoon the meadows are cold to walk in, for the pale wraith of a mist rises from their streams, and the thatched village is more inviting, where the windows show the glow of a fireside. In the forest walks there is alawys a happy anticipation of seeing hollies gleam brightly with their scarlet berries, and the bracken is still golden in the frosty grass. Here along the rutted road comes a wagon heavy with logs of wood for fuel, and some forest ponies are seen, in shaggy coats, among the furze.

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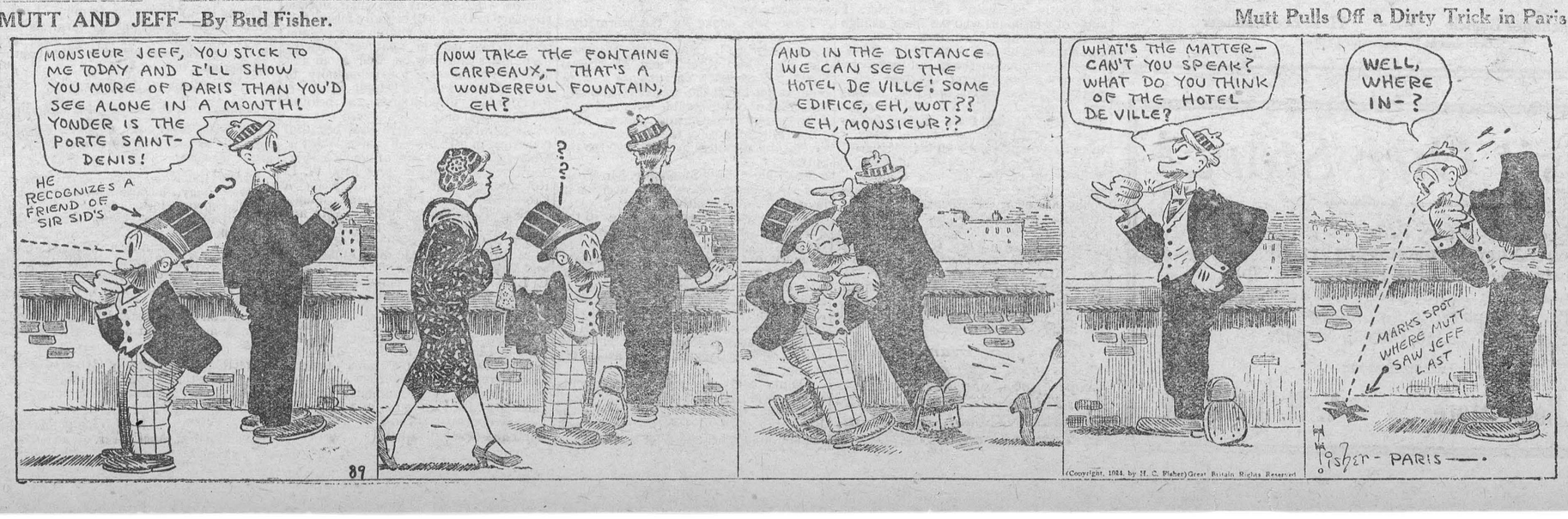
There is one road I often walk, but I do not get far along it. I want to get to an old market town, and can see the white road dipping up and down before me through the fields, but the fields are full of ox-eyed daisies, and there are dog-roses in the hedges, and the ditch is grassy and full of flowers. So I stay there and pick them. It must be that I am a child again, for a market-cart passes me in the cloud of sunlit dust it raises, the grasses meet over my head, and th sorrel is like a tall flowering tree. There is a high hedge of may, and somewhere sheep are feeding, and those little breezes that steal about in summer seem to whisper of "the sweet o' the year" that is never stale in its coming.—M. A . B. in The Monitor.

MUTT AND JEFF—By Bud Fisher.

Mutt Pulls Off a Dirty Trick in Paris



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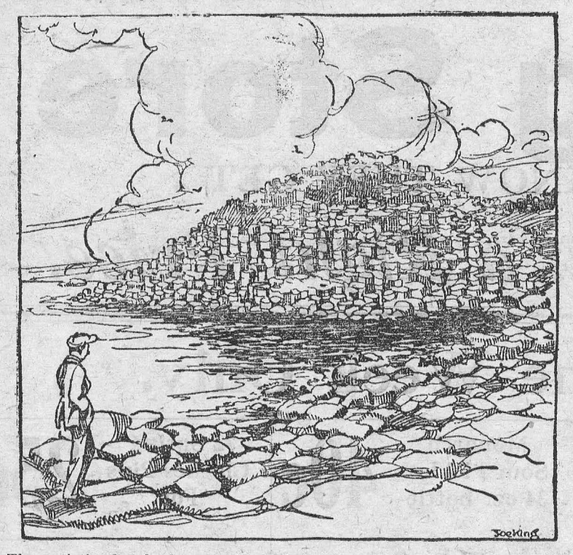
That Was When Land Emerge d at Close of Formative Period



The artist's sketch shows a formation of basaltic rocks on the coast of Ireland known as the Giant's Causeway. The formation is the result of a stream of molten rock pouring up through a fissure in the earth's surface. The column-like structure of the Giant's Causeway is thought to have been caused by contraction which took place as the lava cooled.

Secrets of Science.

By David Dietz.

At the conclusion of the formative period, as we have seen, there were continents composed of lighter rocks to which geologists give the name granites. Then there were the great oceans whose beds were composed of heavier rocks which are known as basalts.

These rocks which formed out of the original lavas are known as primary rocks because they were the first ones formed. They are sometimes called the fire-hardened rocks.

The geologist calls them the igneous rocks, from the Latin "ignis," meaning fire.

The original lavas from which the igneous rocks formed were very complex and not exactly alike everywhere. Consequently we would expect many variations in the igneous rocks. We would however, expect a certain general uniformity.

The facts bear out these assumptions. When geologists examine samples of rocks which they believe are these first-formed or primary rocks, they find seven chief constituents.

These are the oxides of iron, silicon, aluminum, calcium, potassium, sodium and magnesium. By an oxide is meant the substance results from the chemical combination of an element with oxygen.

The basaltic rocks owe their great weight to their richness in iron. They also contain much magnesium and calcium.

The granite rocks owe their lack of weight to their poverty in iron. The granites contain much silicon.

The geologist also finds many rocks in the earth of igneous origin which are intermediate between the two types.

During the formative period, as we have seen, the slowly forming crust was frequently inundated by great streams of molten lava from below. It is therefore supposed that in many instances parts of the crust were remelted and that when they solidified again their constitution was greatly altered.

The study of the formation of igneous rocks constitutes one of the most involved and difficult sides of the whole subject of geology.

In addition to differing in composition, igneous rocks also differ in structure.

Some are crystalline, consisting of masses of irregular crystal. Others possess a grass-like structure and are called natural glasses.

Geologists believe that when the lava cooled slowly under high pressure, the crystalline structure resulted. Where the pressure was light, natural glasses resulted.

In intermediate cases, rocks formed which consisted of crystalline centers surrounded by glassy structures.

Next Article—The Earth's Changing Surface.

NEW SCENIC AREA OPENED BY ROAD

THE LAKE LOUISE-FIELD HIGHWAY NEARS COMPLETION.

Glories of Yoho National Park in British Columbia Accessible to Motorists.

Steadily year by year, the motor car is making its way into the most remote regions of the continent. It has forced many doors open into hitherto inaccessible territory and brought about the projection of undertakings of nationwide benefit.

The latest achievement in this connection is the completion of a motor highway across the famous Kicking-horse pass in the Central Rockies, opening up the previously inaccessible glories of the Yoho valley and Emerald lake, in Yoho National park, to the motoring world. The engineering staff of the Canadian National Parks has practically completed work on the new road and it is expected that it will be open for traffic by the end of June next year. The new road continues westerly from near Lake Louise gradually ascending to the Great Divide and thence descending through the Kickinghorse pass to the Yoho valley, utilizing in part, in British Columbia, a short section of the abandoned Canadian Pacific Railway right of way. Between the summit of the Divide and Field, a distance of 11 miles, there is a drop of over 1,200 feet. The descent was formerly made by the railway in a series of thrilling hairpin curves which gave the traveller glimpses of some of the most dramatic scenery in the world. Climbing the grade it was often necessary to use four engines to pull the train up to the Divide. The construction of the spiral tunnel is one of the greatest engineering feats of this century. It adds to the comfort of passengers and the ease of operation of the railway but deprives the traveller of some most remarkable views. On this account in recent years, many mountain lovers have been in the habit of alighting from the train at Hector and walking down by the old grade to Field. The motorist of to-day will, however, soon be able to glide down from the summit by safe and easy grades and enjoy at his leisure the magnificent panorama unfolded along the way.

Magnificent Views.

This will include high views looking up the Yoho valley with the magnificent ice-fields visible at its head, the splendid Waputik escarpment walling its eastern side and to the west the rugged outlines of mount Burgess with the glacier-crowned head of mount President showing beyond. Three miles before reaching Field the road will connect with the existing motor road which reaches 8 miles up the Yoho valley as far as Takakkaw falls, a splendid cascade over 1,150 feet in height, which is fed by the Daly glacier between mounts Nile and Balfour. Another road 7 miles long leads from Field to Emerald lake, one of the most beautiful lakes in the Rockies which is known to beauty lovers the world over. At Emerald lake a beautiful Canadian Pacific Railway chalet provides accommodation and there are small but adequate bungalow camps at Wapta lake and Takakkaw falls, both under the management of the Canadian Pacific railway.

Picturesque Route.

This year the Government also began operations on the construction of an additional road from Field to the western boundary of Yoho park. There it will link up with a highway now under construction by the Government of British Columbia from Golden east. Once these two roads are completed there will be opened to the motorist a scenic loop route probably without parallel in the world which will include a great part of the finest scenery of the Rockies. From Calgary the road will proceed west to Banff, from that point to Castle, from Castle to Lake Louise, thence down to Field and along the magnificent canyon of the Kickinghorse, one of the most spectacular regions of the Rockies, to Golden, thence south, via the Columbia or Windermere valley to the western gate of the Banff-Windermere highway, returning over that road to Banff. The Banff-Windermere highway is already connected on the east, via Calgary, and on the west by the Columbia River road with the 4,600 mile loop, known as The Grand Circle Tour, stretching down the Pacific coast to southern California and returning via Arizona, Utah, Idaho, Wyoming, and Montana. The highway touches throughout its length ten natural parks in the United States and Canada, and the Canadian section is by no means the least attractive part of the tour. The growth in travel over the Banff-Windermere highway, in the past two years indicates the tourist possibilities involved through the construction of the new road and there is little reason to doubt that within a few years it will be the means of attaroting thousands of visitors annually to the Canadian National Parks.



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Two useful books, "Building Up the Blood" and "What to Eat and How to Eat," will be sent free by The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont., if you mention this paper.

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Oh Mother! What Can I Do?

How many times a day do your babies ask you that question? And how often are you able to suggest some interesting game for them to play, some amusing occupation for a rainy day? If you'd like always to have a practical, helpful suggestion for them, read this snappy new feature.



Pull this paper bag down over your head. Now mark where your eyes and nose and mouth come. Take the bag off and cut holes in it to make a false face. You can make several and color them with your crayons if you wish.

Her Mistake.

Mrs. Huggins was in court. She was charged with assault and battery, and the recipient of her unkind attentions was none other than the husband whom she had promised to love, honor and obey.

"So you broke an umbrella over your husband's head?" remarked the magistrate. "What have you to say?"

"It was an accident, sir," replied the accused.

"How could it have been an accident?" queried the magistrate quickly.

"Well, sisr," explained the woman, "I didn't mean to break the umbrella."

A Good Bargain.

The doctor was awakened in the small hours of the morning by a resident who lived some distance from the centre of the town, and asked to make a call. They got into the doctor's car and drove furiously to the man's house. Upon their arrival there the caller alighted and said, "How much is your fee, doctor?"

"Three dollars," said the doctor in surprise.

Counting out the money the man said, "Here you are, doc, that darned thif of a garage man wanted five dollars to drive me home."

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The smile on the face of Miss Helen M. Pierce, of Liverpool, is due to the fact that she was the first girl of that city to receive permission to go to Canada under the new £3 scheme which provides for the transportation of agriculturists and household workers from Great Britain to Halifax, Saint John, or Quebec for the sum of £3. Miss Pierce is shown here on board the Canadian Pacific liner Montnairn on which she arrived in the Dominion recently.

By the new plan for the stimulation of an immigrant movement from the United Kingdom to Canada, the Imperial Government, the Canadian Government, and the steamship and railway companies, offer farmers and domestic workers transportation to a destination in Canada at a lower rate than has been known in a generation.

Less Than Kin.

He was a hill man,
And she watched the spray
Until he came and won her
All in a day.

Sea-folk will talk all day,
But mountain-folk are still
And the tide dashes vainly
Against a cliff's will.

He knows not how to answer
Her salt tide of talk.
He goes no further from his hills
Than a day's walk!

Though she climb to roof or hill-top
As if her soul to save,
All that her eastward staring sees
Is a hill-wave.

Hill-folk cannot easily
Speak what they feel,
But his look follows her
Like a dog at heel.

Far up a hillside
Seas cannot climb . . .
Her tide of talk is going out
Before its time.

Destiny that mated them
Was less than kind or human;
All in a day to tether
Hillman . . . sea-woman.

—Isabel Fiske Conant.

BABY'S WELFARE DURING FEBRUARY

Should be Most Carefully Guarded by All Mothers.

February is one of the hardest months of the year on little ones. It is a month of cold, blustery days that prevent the mother taking her baby out for the fresh air so necessary to its welfare. Baby is consequently confined to the home. More often than not the rooms are over-heated and badly ventilated and the little one catches cold or grippe. What is needed to keep the baby well is a gentle laxative that will regulate the stomach and bowels; banish constipation and indigestion and in this way will either prevent or break up colds and grippe. Such a laxative is found in Baby's Own Tablets. They are mild but thorough in action; are absolutely safe and they are guaranteed to contain neither opiates or other harmful drugs. They never fail to be of benefit to little ones and may be given to either the newborn babe or the growing child.

Baby's Own Tablets are sold by all dealers in medicine or may be had by mail, post paid, at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A blind chameleon ceases to change its color, and remains dark in tint. The reason of this peculiarity has never been explained.

Are there going to be any regrets tomorrow about that good meal you're all set to stow away tonight. Better take Seigel's Syrup. Any drug store.

Then She Went.

It seemed as if the visitor never would go away. She had been there a month or more, and gave no signs of departure. One day the small boy of the house was looking at her very intently at the table.

"What is it, Johnny?" she inquired, graciously, as do those who are receiving undeserved benefactions.

"Ain't no part of your head gone, is there?" he asked.

"Of course not. Why do you ask such a queer question?"

"'Cause I heard mamma say you were eating your head off, and I wanted to see if there was any marks on it."

Beware of Overloading.

Avoid overloading your tires and when it is absolutely unavoidable help the tires to handle the extra load by putting in more air. If the overloading is likely to be continuous change your tires for larger ones.

Minard's Liniment for frost-bites.

Midwinter Calm.

On a soft open day in midwinter
When elm trees in fawn-colored jackets
Etch delicate outlines and clear
On the whetstone blue of the air;
When limbs from young maples droop down
And dapple with shadowy tracery
The fronts of colonial houses,
Like shadow-bands during the hour
The moon steals the gold from the sun,—
The trees in this Puritan village
From the rough-shapen roots of wild oaks
Turning black as the snow melts about them
To the tips of tall birches that stretch
For a glimpse of their brother, the sky,
Breathe a tranquillity deeper
Than the leaf-blowsy quiet of June.

Think with what stillness and patience
Northern trees wait for the spring!

The brooks are so mute that the snap
Of a clean block of ice in the stream,
(Clean but for grasses stuck through it)
Disturbs like the voice of a child
Crying out in the hush of church service;
And the neighborly town-meeting fathers
Spread out in the shoemaker's doorway
Reminiscing and loafing together,
As if hibernation were useful
For men as for trees in midwinter.

—Wilbert Snow in The Monitor.

Tuberculosis.

"Tuberculosis lies round about us in our infancy" might be the radiogram broadcasted by any town or township in Ontario. Ontario has been wondering for some time to what extent tuberculosis was attacking her child population and is now informed by two surveys, one urban and one rural, that 32 out of every 100 (or 426 out of 1392 examined) apparently healthy, normal children gave evidence that germs of this disease had gained entrance into their bodies. In addition, 94 suspicious cases and 14 active cases of tuberculosis were found.

The common source of infection was the adult open case. Every person, but particularly a child, who has been in close contact with a tuberculosis patient should be examined by a doctor who has studied the disease.

Milk from tuberculous cows was shown to be the one and only source of infection in many children, both town and rural. This led the committee to urge "that children be protected from the milk of tuberculous cows, and that milk from uncertified herds for the use of children should be pasteurized."

To assist physicians who have not facilities at their disposal in detecting early tuberculous disease in people who have been exposed to opportunities for infection is the reason for the Traveling Tuberculosis Clinic of the Department of Health. The clinic is staffed by two chest specialists and a nurse; its equipment includes an x-Ray outfit, and it is sent free upon request of physicians in different localities.

Warned.

The fresh young traveling salesman put on his most seductive smile as the pretty waitress glided up to his table in the hotel dining-room to get his order and remarked:

"Nice day, little one."

"Yes, it is," she replied," and so was yesterday, and my name is Ella, and I know I'm a lovely girl and have pretty blue eyes, and I've been here quite a while, and I like the place, and don't think I'm too nice a girl to be working here. My wages are satisfactory and I don't think there's a show or dance in town to-night ,and if there was I wouldn't go with you. I'm from the country and I'm a respectable girl, and my brother is the cook in this hotel, and he was a college football player and weighs three hundred lbs.; last week he pretty nearly ruined a $25-a-week traveling man who tried to make a date with me; now what'll you have, roast beef, roast pork, Irish stew, hamburger or fried liver?"

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Write for a copy of the MacLean Builders' Guide which contains plans by leading Canadian Architects, and helpful information on building, financing, decorating, furnishing and gardening. Profusely illustrated. 52 pages. 20 cents a copy. Questions answered. MacLean Building Reports, Ltd., 344 Adelaide St. West, Toronto.

If, when making pastry, a little lemon juice is added to the water, it will make the pastry lighter and remove all taste of fat or lard.

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Authorities Say 50% Due to Neglect

Kidney disorders are largely caused by poverty of the blood causing nervousness, headache, sleeplessness, etc. Warner's Safe Kidney and Liver Remedy helps improve the condition of the blood and its circulation as well as removing waste matter and poisons from the blood.

Don't neglect the first symptoms but use this 50 year old remedy. Neglect will soon have serious troubles developing.

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EASY TRICKS
Not Very Easy



This stunt will tax the skill of the most agile member of any party. The next time one of your friends demonstrates his steadiness of hand—as he will do if you coax him properly—propose this one. If he succeeds in doing it, he will be an exception.

He is to take a candle in each hand. One is to be lighted and one unlighted. He is then to sit on a bottle as in the illustration and to place the heel of one foot on the other.

He will find it rather difficult to do this but he may succeed in keeping his balance. The rest of the stunt, however, is the most difficult of all. He is to light the unlighted candle from the lighted one.

The stunt can be done by a person who has good command of his muscles and who will practice it well.

(Clip this out and paste it, with other of the series, in a scrapbook.)

Short and Sweet.

Talleyrand, it seems, hated to write letters, and when he could not escape answering a note his style was telegraphic. Two autographs of his were recently sold, both addressed to a widow who remarried.

In answer to the news of the death of her husband he wrote:

"My dear —— Alas! Devotedly yours."

When the consoled widow told him of her second marriage he wrote back:

"My dear ——: Bravo? Yours devotedly."

Minard's Liniment for Grippe.

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Do you feel broken down, nervous and weak sometimes? Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is excellent to take at such a time. It always helps, and if taken regularly and persistently, will relieve this condition.



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Thursday, Feb. 18, 1926

RURAL SCHOOL SURROUNDINGS

(Brockville Recorder and Times)

With a view to the improvement of the surroundings of rural schools, H. B. Fetterly, inspector of public schools in the County of Dundas, is reported to have been successful in obtaining cash prizes, presented by public men and others interested in the welfare of the county schools, to be competed for by the pupils of each township in this district. The prize money is to be used by the school winning it for the further betterment of the grounds.

This is a movement which deserves encouragement and which is well worthy of emulation in other sections of the country. Of late years, and rightly so, much stress has been placed by the educational authorities upon the necessity for proper equipment of the schools in respect to lighting, ventilation, and other internal facilities. Not as much attention has been given to the matter of the exterior, yet the surroundings of the school undoubtedly have a great influence upon the growing boy or girl. If the school is attractive, the boy or girl will be more willing to attend it and gain greater benefit from the instruction which he or she receives. In the country the provision of adequate playgrounds is not the vital necessity that it is in the congested town or ciiy, but a drive along almost any country road will enable the enquirer quite easily to arrive at a realization of the infinite possibilities which lie in the way of the improvement of grounds. Not infrequently those who established rural schools, perhaps generations ago, seem to have chosen the worst possible site in the vicinity, and during the years which have passed little effort has been made to make up for this deficiency, when the planting of shrubs and flowers, with perhaps a vine to hide the bare walls of the little building, would have worked wonders in the improvement of its appearance and of its efficiency. If these flowers and plants are planted by the pupils themselves and cared for by them, and if the winning of a prize depends upon their efforts, they will receive respect at their hands. Even if no prizes are awarded, much may be done through the initiative of the teacher, who will be able to interest both the community and the pupils in the project. More attractive schools mean better attendance and greater benefit to teacher and pupil alike.

THE TEMPERANCE CAUSE

The Temperance Cause in Ontario will never be advanced, or even helped, by the wholesale denouncing of either, or both, of the political parties, or by linking itself up with any political party. Temperance reform is a process of education, and a slow one. Once you bring the question into the political field. you make it the foot-ball of politicians, and too often, what is regarded as a victory, really turns out to be a defeat. Neither is the cause of temperance advanced when the heads of temperance organizations and temperance conventions denounce on the public plarform, and in resolutions, this or that political party. The better way is to work reform within the party. When an election contest comes about, let the temperance forces organize to select and support the candidate pledged to support temperance legislation. They can best do this by controlling party conventions, and conventions in most rural sections can be controlled with the help of the women voters, if the temperance people really means business. The chief trouble is that there are so very few active temperance workers. The majority of the people are in favor of temperance legislation, but do not care to be actively identified with the movement. Astute politicians know the real situation and that is why they treat with comparative indifference the resolutions and petitions forced through temperance conventions.

Errors In Newspapers

The Toronto Daily Star in replying to a student says: "You had better send your criticism to the newspaper in which the errors in grammar appeared. It is easy of course, to find mistakes at your leisure in another man's production, but quite another thing to turn out a high degree of accuracy and precision in the haste of newspaper work. The newspaper writer is not like the banker or the business man, whose blunders are confined to the few persons concerned; he is like the actor on the stage whose slightest slip is manifest, to those persons in the audience who maintain that if they were in his place they would not make such a slip The errors that a newspaper writer makes are usually as apparent to himself as to his critics, but frequently he does not detect them until it is too late to correct them. If some of his critics were in his place a few days they might get their eyes opened.

The Editors's Beatitudes

Blessed are the Merchants who advertise because they believe in it and in their business; for their prosperity shall increase manyfold.

Blessed are the Country Correspondents who send in their written items every week; for fame of their friendly neighborhoods shall go abroad in the land.

Blessed is the Woman who sends in a written account of a party or wedding for she shall see the details of the function and the names of the guests correctly reported.

Blessed are those who do not expect the editor to know everything, but call up and tell him whenever an interesting item occurs to them; for they shall have a newsy paper in their town.

Blessed are they who get their copy in early; for they shall occupy a warm place in the editor's heart.

Blessed are all those who co-operate with the editor in his efforts in behalf of the Community, for their town shall be known far and wide as a good place in which to live.

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Extracts from Annual Report of Inspector of Public Schools for the County of Dundas for the year 1925

There are 63 schools with one teacher each, 7 with two teachers each, 2 with four teachers each, 1 with five teachers and 2 with six teachers each, a total of 75 schools with 102 teachers.

This is an increase of 1 rural school with 1 teacher. This is Union S. S. 21, Winchester and 12, Russell, which was opened in September with an enrollment of 4 pupils. It had been closed since June 1920 and was opened because of a lack of co-operation on the part of the School Boards of adjoining sections which would have saved at least $500 to the Township.

Of the teachers 25 are male and 77 female, 4 have First Class certificates and 98 Second Class. The highest salary paid male teachers is $1500, and female $1200; average for male teachers $1081, for female $966 and for all $1000, the total amount paid for salaries for the year was slightly in excess of $102,000.

An encouraging feature is that there were fewer changes of teachers than in any previous year, In the ungraded rural schools there were 24 changes or nearly 40 per cent while in the village schools there were only 2 changes or less than 10 per cent. Those who take an interest in the educational progress of the children know that the continuity in the teaching is of great advantage. Trustees are also recognizing that experience in teaching is worth a great deal to a school but in most cases the rumuneration is not increased to correspond with the added experience. In no other trade or profession does this condition exist and as a result many of our best and most ambitious teachers are lost to the Public Schools.

The aggregate enrollment for the year was 3114 a decrease of 43 as compared with 1923. The average daily attendance was 2196 or 88 per cent. of the possible attendance.

A gratifying feature of the year was the improvement made in the grounds of a number of the rural schools. Several have taken advantage of the Agr. grants to secure lawn mowers, bulbs, shrubs and flour seeds and the results have been most pleasing. Among the schools deserving of special mention are No. 2 Matilda, No. 3, 4 and 9 Williamsburg and No. 5 Winchester. No. 5 Winchester entered the competition for the cup donated by the Canadian Horticultural Council for the greatest improvement in grounds in Eastern Ontario and were successful in winning it. A cut of the school is shown in this report.

Beautiful surroundings are the greatest aid the teacher can have in developing the aesthetic side of nature in children and it is to be hoped that every school in the county will follow the example of those noted, especially the one of which the cut is shown.

S. S. No. 15 Winchester, commonly called the Melvin Settlement, have built a fine one-roomed school and have equipped it with the most modern improvements including teacher's room, sanitary chemical closets, single desks and a large airy basement. A cut of this school is also shown in this report. It will be, when completed, and the grounds fixed up, one of the most up-to-date rural schools in the province.

The school at Cass Bridge, S. S. 2 and 19 Winchester was remodelled during the summer, a basement put under it and a pipeless furnace and sanitary chemical closets installed.

S. S. 2 Mountain equipped their school with new single desks and S. S. 20 Williamsburg have also decided to do so.

S. S. 20 Winchester added several new single desks to their equipment and purpose to entirely remodel their school in the vacation of 1926.

The number of schools where Household Science is being taught is gradually increasing. Boards may purchase equipment up to a certain amount each year and this amount will be refunded by the Department of Education so that there is no cost to the section. The hot lunches that are served in most of these schools are greatly enjoyed by the pupils whose health is certainly improved as a result. It is hoped that many more schools will also take advantage of the privilege.

The Minister of Education has referred to the School Boards and citizens generally a "proposed" Bill for the creation of Township Boards. The problems confronting the Department are, 1. A great many small schools have too small an attendance to permit them to be either economically or efficiently conducted. 2. The cost of maintaining the schools in any township is not spread fairly among the ratepayers and 3. The opportunities for high school education are inadequate and unequally distributed.

The cost of maintaining pupils in many small schools averages $250 per pupil while in the larger schools it is only $35 per annum. It is estimated that the schools could be so arranged under Township Boards as to save at a conservative estimate over $1,000,000. The saving in Dundas County could be at least $10,000.

I am also privileged to add that while the Bill will be again introduced at the approaching session that it will be for the purpose of a general discussion and will then be withdrawn.

The object is to give everyone a chance to make suggestions, as to how the unsatisfactory conditions can best be remedied, keeping in mind that the welfare of the children is the first consideration and that better citizenship should be the ideal of our educational system.

Winchester. Jan. 2, 1926 H. B. FETTERLY, I. P. S.
Dundas County.

P. S.—A prize of $10 is being given in each township to the school making the greatest improvements in the grounds in 1926, the money to be spent for further improving them in 1927.

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Maple Ridge Radiograms

Miss Myrtle Derby was a guest at the home of Mr. Foster Haines on Monday last.

Miss Jessie Cross had tea at the home of Mr. Albert Derby, on Sunday.

Mrs. S Hyndman has returned to her home in Winchester after spending the last month with her neice, Mrs. Fred Helmer.

Miss Jean Cross had tea on Suuday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. McNaughton, the guest of Miss Mary Sinclair.

Mr. D. G. Hutt and Arthur attended the funeral of the late E. Woods, at Dunbar on Monday afternoon.

The younger set of this locality spent an enjoyable evening at the Monday Evening Motion Picture Show, at Winchester. Among those present were; Mr. Sherman Ball, Miss Jean Cross, Mr. Ronald Fulton, Miss Mary Sinclair, Mr. Otho Hutt, Miss Rae Derby, Mr. Ora Hutt, Miss Mildred Derby. Mr. Arthur Hutt creditably performing the role of Chaperone.

A little bird told us, that a certain young man has taken to horse back riding of an evening. This may be an act of emulation, but we prefer to regard it in the light of prevention, as one can hardly upset out of a cutter, when journeying in this way.

With regard to the weather, static has been prevalent the last week, but are glad to report we had no trouble in picking up these items from local stations.

Melvin News

Miss Lena Hughes, of Winchester, spent the week end with Miss Evelyn Erratt.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Black and daughter Hilda spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Summers.

Mr. and Mrs Sherman eherman Christie and son Glenn spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. McDonald. of Ormond.

Miss Hilda Black spent Friday with the Misses Edna and Annie Christie.

Mrs. M. Wilson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ab Dillabough of Morewood.

Cloverdale

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Carkner, of Maple Ridge spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Docksteader.

Little Miss Helen Dillabough spent a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cinnamon, of Harmony.

Mrs. A. Churchill and children have returned home again.

Mrs. S. Dillabough returned home last Sunday after spending sometime with friends, at Elma.

Miss Eva Docksteader was the guest of Miss. L. Hughes last Saturday night.

Mr. Dwight Summers, spent Saturday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Docksteader.

Mrs. Charles Dillabough spent one day last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cinnamon.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Docksteader spent Friday visiting friends here.

Winchester Springs

(Received too late for last week)

Mrs. A. J. Casselman visited for a few days at Carleton Place, Ottawa and Winchester.

Miss Mary Bailey spent the week end at the home of Miss Linda Steel.

Rev. M. Robinson, of Iroquois, spent a day recently with his father here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Loucks and son spent one day last week with Mr. Andy Jackson Winchester.

The young ladies class were invited to the home of Miss Evelyn Gray, Nation Valley, Wednesday evening, accompanied by their teacher, Miss M. E McIntosh. The evening was spent in games and music, after which lunch was served by the ladies.

Mr. H. Meddagh and son from Brockville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Loucks Wednesday.

The Presbyterian W. M. S. held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. T. Johnstons, Cass Bridge, the President, Mrs. P. Walker had a well prepared programme which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bolton spent a few days with the latters mother at Morrisburg.

Miss Lucy McIntosh returned to Winchester after an absence of a few days of Tonsilitis.

Miss Della Holmes is visiting friends at Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Duff are spending a few days among relatives at Avonmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Merkley, from Williamsburg, spent one day recentiy with Mr. and Mrs. L. McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Merkley, Rocheste, N. Y. visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Runions, and Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Myers on Tuesday.

Miss Grace Myers visited Miss Muriel McIntosh on Saturday.

Vernon

The Women's Institute met on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. S. Duncan, although the attendance was small, the members are enthusiastic in t eir endeavours for community welfare. Arrangements were made to start a public library and the Melvin Dramatic Club will put on their play, The Little Clodhopper, on Friday evening, Feb. 26 in the Orange Hall, the proceeds to go towards the Library.

The day of Prayer which is observed by the Missionary Societies of all protestant churches, will be held in the Baptist Church, on Friday, Feb. 19th at 2 p. m

Mr. J. K. Porteous, of Toronto, was home to attend the funeral of his brother, Mr. W. J. Porteous on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Howell and Jean, of Kars, were visitors at Mrs. J. Howell's, Sunday.

Dr. L. S. Hughson, of Britannia Heights, attended the funeral of Mr. W. J. Porteous on Sunday last.

The play-off match between Vernon and Kenmore on the home rink on Monday night resulted in a score of 6-4 for the home team and final play-off which took place in Kenmore on Tuesday night was a tie 2-2. leaving Vernon with a lead of 2 points They will play the leading team of the other league. North Gower in Vernon on Saturday night and at North Gower on Monday following.

The Boss Paid

A commercial traveller called upon a grocer, and at the same time a poor woman entered soliciting alms. The grocer, wishing to play a joke on the traveller, told the woman "to ask the boss", at the same time pointing to the other man.

The traveller, turning to the grocer, who was a very small man, said: "Boy, give this poor woman sixpence out of the till."

Auction Sale

FARM STOCK & IMPLEMENTS

The undersigned, on account of giving up farming, will sell by Public Auction, on the east half of Lot 29, Con. 7, Tp. of Williamsburg, 2½ miles south of Winchester Springs, on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 23

commencing at 1 o'clock, sharp, the following:

LIVE STOCK

Herd Sire, Pure Bred Holstein, rising 3 years old, sire, Pontiac Sirecho, No 40022; dam, Beauty Ragapple, No. 91134, milked 722.3 lbs milk in 7 days and made 29 17 lbs of butter in 7 days as a three year old. Her best day's milk as a three year old being 109 7 lbs. Papers furnished on day of sale. 21 milch cows, some of which haae freshened, 3 heifers rising 2 years, in calf, 4 yearling heifers, 2 farrow cows, dry.

One team of General Purpose Bay Mares.

About 100 pure bred White Leghorn Pullets. About 50 mixed hens, 5 turkeys, 3 ducks, 1 drake, White Pekin.

IMPLEMENTS, Etc.

1 Frost & Wood Binder, 1 McCormick Mower, 5 ft. cut, 1 Frost & Wood steel rake, new; 1 International hay loader, 1 McCormick Deering 14 out-throw disc withh pole and fore-carriage, new; 1 No. 10 Percival plow, corn cultivator, 1 truck waggon, 1 set sleighs, 1 wheel barrow, set of double harness, 8 eight gallon milk cans pails and strainer, forks, 1 Portable Colony Chicken House, 10x12. and numerous other articles.

FEED & GRAIN

About 25 tons of hay, a quantity of mixed grain.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under Cash, over that amount 7 mos. credit by furnishing approved joint notes or 4 per cent off for cash.

R. S. Johnston, Prop.
Ross Morrow, Auctioneer

Auction Sale

FARM STOCK & IMPLEMENTS

There will be sold by Public Auction at the Middagh Farm, lot 3, con. 1, Tp. of Winchester, ¼ mile west of Winchester Springs, on

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24

commencing at 1 o'clock sharp, the following:

LIVE STOCK

22 head High Grade Holstein cattle, due to freshen in March and April, including 4 yearling heifers. About 100 hens.

MACHINERY, ETC.

Set new bob sleighs with box, 1 new wagon with box, 1 truck wagon, 1 wagon rack, 1 Massey Harris disc drill, 13 disc; 1 M. H. binder, 1 M. H. 10 foot rake, 1 M. H. Disc, 1 steel roller, 1 M. H. hay tedder, 1 corn cultivator, 1 set 12 foot harrows, 1 Oliver 2 furrow plow, 1 Percival No 10 plow, 1 Chatham Fanning Mill with bagger, 1 milk wagon, 4 milk cans, 1 lawn mower, 1 large potash kettle, ropes, forks, shovels and numerous other articles. About 15 ft ensilage in silo, 40 tons hay, 400 bus. oats. Everything will be sold without reserve. At the same time and place Mr. A. Loucks, late tenant, will offer for sale 1 horse, 7 years old, weight 1500 lbs, set double harness. 1 spring tooth cultivator, McCartney hand milker. 1 new French Sleigh.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under Cash, over that amount 7 months credit by furnishing approved joint notes or 4 per cent off for cash.

Harry Middagh, Proprietor
Ross Morrow, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale

FARM STOCK & IMPLEMENTS

Having sold my farm, I will offer for sale by public auction on Lot 28, Con 6, Tp. of Osgoode, half way between Metcalfe and Vernon, on the Ottawa-Morrisburg Highway, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 4

Commencing at 1 o'clock, Sharp, the following:

CATTLE

15 head of cattle: 8 milch cows, 4 heifers, 2 of them pure bred Holsteins, with calf; 2 yearling heifer calves, 1 bull.

HORSES

5 Horses: 1 Clyde Mare with her yearling colt, team of general purpose horses, one 6 years old, the other 8, weighing about 1200 each; 1 heavy black horse, 7 years old.

SWINE

2 Brood Sows, due to pig in March; 3 sows 5 months old.

POULTRY

12 Barred Rock Hens, 56 Barred Rock Pullets, 2 Roosters, 2 Geese and 1 Gander.

IMPLEMENTS, Etc.

1 Massey-Harris spring tooth cultivator, 1 wide set of harrows, 1 drill seeder, 1 cultivator, 1 McCormick mower, 5 ft. cut; 1 horse rake, 1 Cockshutt Walking Plow, 1 fanning mill, 1 heavy waggon, set of sloop sleighs, 1 high waggon with box, milk rig, 1 buggy, 1 cutter, half speeder; 1 wheel barrow, set of double harness, set single harness, 1 Legare Separator, 400 lbs cap.; churn, milk cans and pails, 400 fence posts, 8ft. long, 20 cords of stove wood, 4000 shingles, a lot of lumber, water trough, whey barrels, shovels, picks, forks, axe, cross-cut saw, chicken crate holding 20.

FEED & GRAIN

A lot of hay, 300 bus. oats, barley and buckwheat mixed, 20 bags of potatoes, 8 bags of seed potatoes.

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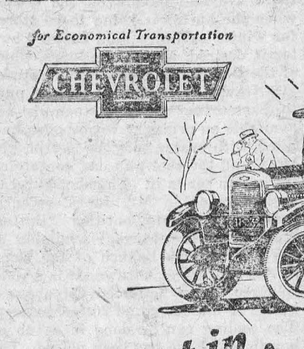

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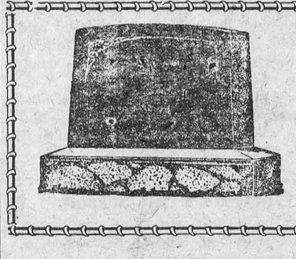

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English Woman Walker, 70, Seeks Pedestrian Laurels.

Miss Gertrude Richards, seventy years ald, is challenging the pedestrian record of Edward Payson Weston, the veteran American walker. She recently completed a walking tour of 1,644 miles through Scotland and England.

Bad weather has checked Miss Rickards's tour, but she will resume it next spring. When she sold her country home in 1923 she took up walking to amuses herself.

"I started at Land's End and set out for York at the beginning of my tour, but I went by highways and byways and not by the main roads," Miss Rickards explained. "I went to the south Cornish coast, Exeter, Bath, Gloucester Warwick, Rugby, Oakham, Grantham, Lincoln and Doncaster, studying flora and fauna. In 1924 I went to Inverness, by way of Edinburgh, and this summer I reached John o' Groat's, putting in 186 days of actual walking."

Miss Rickards always lunched on cheese and biscuits while on her tour and had her other meals in inns. She says she never experienced the slightest loneliness, and always knitted or embroidered while she was resting by the roadside at lunch time.

Sodding a Sandy Ditch.

If you have ever tried, you know that ditches in sandy land are harder to sod than ditches in black or clay loam. The following tells how I have found it not so difficult to make a sandy ditch sod over:

I first scatter quite a lot of straw, old fodder and other similar waste along the bed of the ditch. I do not put this material on thick enough to hide the ground at any place. Next I throw over the straw a considerable layer of loose brush, staking this at various places so it can not wash away. I then scatter a mixture of timothy, blue-grass and white clover up and down the ditch. The straw or old fodder acts as a sort of mulch and the brush checks the action of the water and holds the sand back until the grass can root itself. Following this method I have had no difficulty in sodding two or three troublesome ditches that were rapidly carrying away valuable top-soil from various parts of my farm.—E. V. L.

World's Best "Stenog."

The Earl of Birkenhead, Secretary of State for India, started out early in life to be a stenographer, but he did not get very far. He made this revelation in an address to the graduating class of a commercial college.

"I thought I would rather be a shorthand reporter than anything in the world and I worked like a beaver," he said. "I was a wonder. I broke all speed records. My teachers had never seen any one who developed such speed. But there was a rude awakening. Nobody else could read my notes, and I couldn't read them myself. So my shorthand ambitions came to a sudden end."

Power Plant at Mines.

Western Australia is planning to erect a large plant at the mouth of coal mines to produce electric power for wide distribution.

An excellent green feed substitute is fine clover or alfalfa hay. Pour boiling water over a bucketful, cover with an old sack, and let it steam until cold. The hens will devour this quickly.



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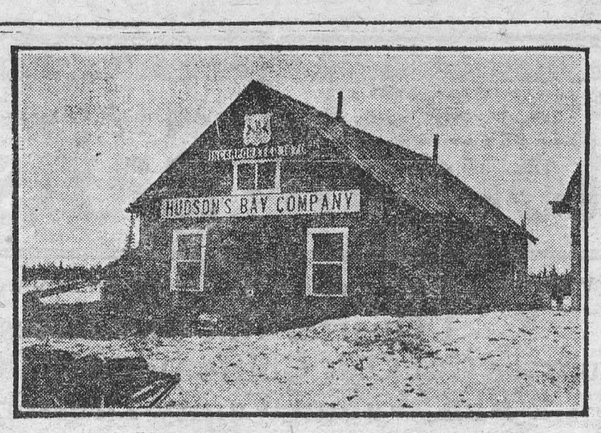

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Above shows the Hudson's Bay Company post at Aklavik, on the delta of the Mackenzie river, 60 miles from the Arctic ocean, where the Canadian government recently established a radio station to give direct communication with Edmonton, 1,700 miles away. This is the farthest northern outpost.

Canada's Fire Losses and Their Cost.

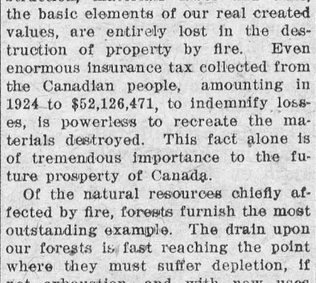
Fire losses in Canada in 1925 were again large, although considerably lower than in 1924. According to the Monetary Times, the fire loss amounted, exclusive of forest fires, to approximately $30,580,000, while in 1924 the same authority gives the losses as amounting to $33,319,609. As at the time these figures are issued it is only possible to give a general statement of losses, an omount is included that is considered ssufficient to fully cover unreported losses.

In his report of fire losses and fire insurance for 1924, the Dominion Superintendent gives the net fire loss as $30,649,795 for that year. It is hoped, therefore, that when final figures for 1925 are available the total losses will show a proportionate reduction.

Canada is paying dearly for her fire losses, not only in the heavy outlays for insurance, for fire protection, public and private, and for water supplies of sufficient volume to provide for extraordinary fire services, but in the destruction of her valuable natural resources that enter into building construction, materials labor and time, the basic elements of our real created values, are entirely lost in the destruction of property by fire. Even enormous insurance tax collected from the Canadian people, amounting in 1924 to $52,126,471, to indemnify losses, is powerless to recreate the materials destroyed. This fact alone is of tremendous importance to the future prosperty of Canada.

Of the natural resources chiefly affected by fire, forests furnish the most outstanding example. The drain upon our forests is fast reaching the point where they must suffer depletion, if not exhaustion, and with new uses being found for saw material and pulpwood, it is evident that building costs must advance. At the same time other natural resources must be substituted for wood as a building material. Forest fires are, of course, the greatest enemy of the forests, but it must be admitted that in the destruction of created resources we are rapidly burning up our timber supply.

Can this fire loss not be prevented? Are we Canadians less careful, less thrifty, even less honest than those of the older countries, where the fire loss is so so very much smaller than Canada's? In some classes of fire risks the losses are exceeding the premium collected, making no allowance for the cost of doing business or of getting it. The most ouestanding of these is that of farm property. In the four years, 1921-1924, according to the report of the Federal Superintendent of Insurance, the premium collected amounted to $8,323,572, while the losses paid amounted to $10,276,074. Every person in Canada is interested in this class of risks, as undoubtedly the insurancee companies must charge a higher premium on farm property if the above condition continues. Such being the case, the additional premium will add to the farmers' cost of production, and will have to be paid by the consumer. It will readily be seen that the fire loss in Canada affects every individual Canadian, not only that it is destroying the product of his country's natural resources, but also is increasing his cost of living.



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"Fifty-seven."
"Just the right age for our cradle roll."

Save Your Watch.

Watches are safer if carried in the right-hand pocket of the waistcoat, as pickpockets almost invariably go for the left-hand pocket.

Hoods for Pet Dogs.

Fashionable women in London now provide their pet dogs with fancy hoods or bonnets to protect them from the winter cold.

Of present-day conversationalists I have known I should put Mr. Lloyd George first at breakfast; the late Mr. Massingham at luncheon; and Mr. Balfour at dinner; and Mr. Augustine Birrell, of course, first and last and all the time.—C. F. G. Masterman.

A stained porcelain sink or bathtub can be cleaned as follows: Scrub first with hot water and soap to remove grease, then place in the sink or bath one or two tablespoonfuls of fresh chloride of lime. Add vinegar or lemon juice to make a paste and rub the stains with it, then rinse with clean water.

Pasteurizing Cream on the Farm.

Pasteuizing cream means heating it to a temperature of 140 to 180 degrees. In creameries this is done by specially devised machinery, but on the farm it is not so easily performed. However, in cases where there is difficulty in getting the cream to churn, when there are bad flavors on the cream, when the butter is going to be stored for winter use, or a mild-flavored butter is desired, Mr. W. F. Jones, Chief of the Division of Dairy Manufactures at Ottawa, is of opinion that it pays to pasteurize. When steam is not available an ordinary wash-boiler half filled with water may be set on the stove and the shot-gun can containing the cream set in it. The shot-gun can is illustrated in Mr. Jones' recently published Bulletin entitled "Butter-making on the Farm," available at the Publications Branch of the Dept. of Agriculture at Ottawa. It is a well-soldered, plain bottomed tin about 8 inches in diameter and 20 inches deep. The cooling can be done in a tub or box in which ice has been placed. The cream must be stirred continually while being heated.

When putting the cream to churn is the only difficulty advises Mr. Jones, a temperature of 145 degrees will be high enough. When the flavor on the cream is bad or if the butter is going to be kept for several months, the best results will be secured by heating to a temperature of 165 or 180 degrees. A cooked flavor will be given the butter, but that will pass away in ten days, leaving a mild sweet flavor. All the cream for a churning should be on hand when pasteurizing is done and the cream should remain at churning temperature for three hours at least before churning.

Pasteurizing cream, it is pointed out in the bulletin, usually requires a slightly lower churning temperature than unpasteurized. If the butter comes soft the churning temperature of the cream should be lowered.

Rid of Rats.

Some folks don't mind going down cellar and having rats scamper across their feet. But A. S. Parrish does. So he got rid of the rats. The material used was barium carbonate.

Six mixtures of barium carbonate were used, in every case using one part of the carbonate with four parts of bait. The first and very effective one was mixed with watermelon and left in places safe from the livestock on the farm. The next morning he killed several rats that were wandering about outside in a half-dazed condition. This was followed by using ground apples, scraped potato, sorghum syrup, Hamburger and salmon. These were spread on pieces of cardboard and left only one night. That which was uneaten was collected and burned in the morning. The following day a different material was used.

No rats are now in evidence. A. S. says some of the ones that died in out-of-the-way places smelled pretty bad for a while, though. "It was worth it to be rid of them," says he.

Ontario's Fruit Season.

Of the fruit growing provinces, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia, Ontario alone showed an increase last year compared with 1924. This increase was mainly in apples, of which, according to returns from Ottawa, Ontario in 1925 produced 1,587,848 barrels compared with 913,080 barrels in 1924, and in peaches, of which the production was 199,716 bush. compared with 133,144 bush. In cherries there was an increase of 16,335 bushels and of strawberries 193,000 quarts. Raspberries and other berries were about the same. Of pears there was a decrease of 23,800 bushels and of plums 26,592 bush.

The yield of apples in Nova Scotia in 1925 was 956,056 barrels and in 1924, 1,274,742 barrels. In British Columbia the apple totals were in 1925, 858,570 barrels and in 1924, 991,547 barrels. Pears, plums and peaches all showed a decrease, the first named from 80,609 bushels to 24,182 bushels, the second from 172,488 bushels to 89,674 bushels and the third from 21,240 bushels to 2,124 bushels. Cherries, strawberries, raspberries and other berries were rather less.

Sentence Sermons.

No Man Ever Made—A success at anything by worrying over it.

—A failure of life who kept faith with his own conscience.

—Enough money to be able to live on it alone.

—Progress who did not occasionally attempt the impossible.

—A bargain who lost his honor in

—Himself popular by making other the transaction.

people feel uncomfortable.

—His opinions carry more weight by expressing them with profanity.

The highest-growing plant yet found by man is a larkspur, collected at a height of 20,600 feet by a Swiss naturalist, Dr. Jacot Guillarmod, on Mt. Kangchenjunga.

St. Francis and the Birds.

St. Francis preached a sermon once,
Not to dominie nor dunce,
Prince nor pauper—to the birds
He addressed his loving words.

Flocking in from far and near
One and all kept still to hear,
Robin, vireo and wren
Sitting mut like decent men;

Tanager in scarlet coat,
Golden-wing and ruby-throat,
Bobolink and chickadee,
Like children good as good could be.

From the catbird not a squawk,
Not a whistle from the hawk,
From the raven not a croak;
Not a parrot cracked a joke.

Even the outrageous jay
Sat without a word to say,
And the oriole and thrush
Forced their golden throats to hush.

Grosbeak, meadow-lark and quail
Let their sliding woodnotes fail,
While the lonely whippoorwill
Ceased his grieving from the hill.

And the whitethroat from the wild
With his music undefiled,
Even he put singing by
For the greater mystery,—

Some new phase of being's lore
He had never heard before,
Which might turn his plaintive fall
Into triumph after all.

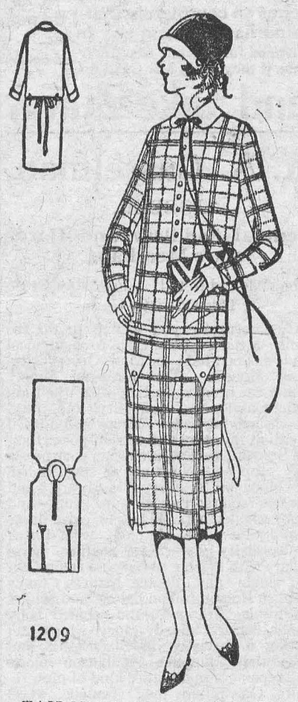
There they waited all intent
For the word the Lord had sent,
Hearing good St. Francis tell
How life's song of joy befell;

How they each must bear a part
In the chorus of the heart,
Keeping harmony alive,
Helping rapture to survive;

For if any voice were dumb
Their Lord's Kingdom could not come,
And the world must pass away
In a wreck at Judgment Day.

As he finished every tree
Sounded like the Litany
When the people make response,
For the bird folk all at once,

With new reason to be glad
Such as they had never had,
Lifted up with one accord
Heart and voice to praise the Lord.
—From "Far Horizons"—Bliss Carmen



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Remembrance.

Wate'er the theme, the Maiden sang
As if her song could have no ending:
I saw her singing at her work,
And o'er the sickle bending;—
I listen'd, motionless and still;
And, as I mounted up the hill,
The music in my heart I bore,
Long after it was heard no more.
—Wordsworth.

Keeping Apples White.

To keep apples from turning brown when using them in salad, squeeze lemon juice over each apple immediately after it has been peeled and cut into pieces. The lemon juice also improves the flavor of any salad in which apples are used.

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RUBBER'S NEW ROMANCE

The Empire's Richest Industry From Smuggled Seeds.

America's millionaires are worried because British enterprise is developing the Empire rubber industry to such an extent that two-thirds of all the rubber used by the United States is being imported from territories with the British Empire, says an English writer. Rubber has risen in price, too, and if the present state of affairs continues, rubber may soon be making America into a debtor instead of the world's creditor.

Fifty years ago rubber was not found in the Dominions. To-day our plantations in the Far East are amongst the Empire's most valuable possessions. British enterprise has stretched a rubber band round the world.

Seven Priceless Seeds.

One summer night about forty-eight years ago a hansom cab containing three mysterious sacks rolled up to the gates of Kew Gardens, London. This priceless freight had been smuggled from Brazil by Sir Henry Wickham, under the nose of a watching gunboat, and in spite of drastic regulations forbidding the export of rubber seeds.

The seeds lose their vitality after about seven weeks, so for Wickham it was a race against time if a single seed in those sacks was to germinate at Kew, and thus give effect to the suggestion made in 1872 by the late Marquess of Salisbury that rubber-bearing trees might be introduced into India by re-planting the coveted seeds from South America.

A fortnight later, 2,500 tiny plants peeped out of the soil. Only seven weathered the journey and arrived at sunny Perak, in Malay, but from these seven solitary plants sprang the rubber trees now forming plantations covering over 3,000,000 acres of British Empire soil which produce three-quarters of the world's raw rubber supplies.

Columbus said that he found the natives of Haiti playing with balls that bounced. But in 1770, red rubber—the only kind then known—was still regarded as a curiosity, and cost three shillings for a square half-inch. Rough lumps of caoutchouc (pronounced kochok) arrived in Britain in 1820, and the same year Thomas Hancock put rubber springs in braces, produced waterproof cloth, and made rubber thread. But ignorant tailors sewed the rubber-cloth to the garments—and the needle holes let in the water!

The first mackintoshes had a habit of turning soft in summer and in winter hardening like an ancient suit of mail, but the difficulty was solved almost simultaneously in Britain and America by a hardening process called vulcanization, during which the substance was heated with sulphur and white lead.

Pneumatic tires were first developed by a Mr. Dunlop, of Belfast, whose name is now known all over the world. British tires are the finest made, and it was owing chiefly to the expansion of the cycle and motor-car industry that such rapid developments in rubber plantation took place.

Made into tires, tennis balls, pipes, fabrics, and other useful articles, rubber is now used extensively. After treatment with sulphur it forms the ebonite panels of your radio receiving set. Rubber roads at Euston Station have survived thirty years' wear and tear, and manufacturers have thought of making rubber linoleum and furniture on rubber wheels, whilst a rubber process demonstrated recently enables boots to be made without stitches or nails.

Something More Than "Help."

A Scotch lad, says the Continent, having taken a prize in a difficult examination, was confronted by his teacher, who asked doubtfully: "Who helped you with your question paper, James?"

"Nobody, sir."

"Come, now, my boy, I know all about your capacity and abilities, and I know you never answered those questions alone. Tell me honestly, now, didn't your brother do part of the work?"

James, after some deliberation: "No, sir, he did it all."

Thousands of letters are posted every year without any address on the envelopes.

Morning Glories.

There must have grown in Palestine
These beauties on their clinging vine
Some wall or tent adorning;
Perhaps their precious coloring
Inspired the Psalmist's harp to sing,
"Joy cometh in the morning!"
—Heloise M. B. Hawkins.

The Persian farmers have been roundly denounced because they raise and sell so much opium. It now appears that it is not their depravity but their economic necessity that is to blame. A few camels can carry a lot of valuable opium across the desert stretches to the seaports, but neither grain nor cotton can be made to pay without modern methods of transportation, which Persia does not yet enjoy.

FOOLING THE FAMOUS

Even the Most Absurd Hoax Will Usually Take in Somebody. Dukes and Bishops Have Figured Among the Victims of the Practical Joker.

The "hoax" is not dead, as many people who have recently paid big prices for "old masters" or "historic" relics, to which romantic stories have been attached, can testify.

One of the most fantastic hoaxes on record occurred when Sir John Herschel, the great astronomer, made an expedition to the Cape of Good Hope with a giant telescope for the purpose of studying the moon.

Amazing accounts of what had been revealed by that telescope were sent to the "New York Sun" by one Richard Locks. This hoaxer—who must have possessed a highly-developed sense of humor—gave a minute description of the flowers growing on the moon and of its inhabitants.

The New York paper sold like hot cakes until the authentic despatches arrived.

Londoners have proved themselves just as credulous, however. No less a personage than the famous Duke of Cumberland was victimized, along with some thousands of others, by a hoax perpetrated by Lord Chesterfield and the Duke of Montague.

A Young Man's Fancy.

Those two noblemen had a wager that, by advertising an utterly impossible performance, they could fill the Haymarket Theatre. They announced that a person would get inside a quart bottle and there sing several songs. The Duke of Cunberland came to see this marvel, and lost his sword in the stampede which followed the exposure of the hoax.

The most astonishing literary hoax on record was that by means of which a young man, calling himself Georges Psalmanazan, hoodwinked the Bishop of London and the professors of Oxford University of his period.

He came to England with a wild story of having been spirited away from his native Formosa by Jesuits. He invented a complete and very clever language, said it was Formosan, and so impressed the Bishop of London that that prelate sent him to Oxford to teach this strange tongue to intending missionaries to Formosas.

It was only after a "Formosan" grammar and dictionary had been printed at the Bishop's expense that the hoax was discovered. The young man had never been out of Europe.

Publicity Up-to-Date.

Fusco's "Fiasco" was the name given to the hoax worked by Dr. Martino Fusco, an Italian scholar, two years ago. Dr. Fusco announced that he had discovered the lost books of Livy, the historian of Rome. Had his claim been true, it would have been a literary find of tremendous importance. But, alas, he failed to produce the "lost books" when called upon to do so. They are still lost.

Also, two years ago, a fantastic hoax succeeded—for a time. It took in many London newspapers. The story, which came from San Francisco, was to the effect that Benjamin Franklin had left a secret will creating a trust for 150 years, at the end of which period the trust funds were to be awarded as prizes for valuable contributions to science and literature.

It was stated that the first award of $25,000 had been made to a certain gentleman. It transpired, however, that the whole story was merely a "stunt" of the gentleman in question to secure prominence for a book he had published.

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GOLD PROSPECTORS COVER 140 MILES OF BARREN LANDS BY DOG TRAIN

Hundreds of Pack-teams Are Treking Out of Hudson on Rigorous Journey to Gold Area.

A despatch from Toronto says:—The era of Canada's romance is not yet dead. That appears obvious, from the stories which are coming from the Red Lake district, the latest Canadian gold lure; and if the spectacle which is now working itself out in the heart of winter, in the district of Patricia, some hundred and forty miles from the nearest railway station, is any indication of what is yet to come, then Canada, famed for gold rushes, is in for one of the greatest rushes of its history. The latest story to come out of the North is that which was told by Major C. J. A. Cunningham-Dunlop, a mining engineer of Haileybury, who has been in the gold zone for some weeks past staking claims, and who was able to lift the curtain and show some of the scenes which are being witnessed daily in the great White North. Major Dunlop is so enthusiastic over the Red Lake district and its possibilities that he predicts that the spring will see a gold rush such as has not been known since the palmy days of the Klondike.

The Red Lake district is so far from the centres of civilization that the spectacle which it now presents has to do for the most part with the difficulties of transportation. The nearest railway station is Hudson, on the Canadian National line, and this has become the jumping-off place for the gold enthusiasts who are now daring the North in the middle of winter. Hudson, from being a small and all-but-isolated centre of population, has suddenly sprung into a place of importance, and now it is the scene of all those features of northern activity which of late have been branded as fiction and nothing more. But, according to Major Dunlop, all the scenes of romance are there, with the dog-train, the pack and the packer, the snow-shoes, the Ojibway Indian, and the general excitement which always accompanies the thought of gold.

If a person wishes to go into the Red Lake district at this time of the year, he is confronted with the problem of covering 140 miles of snow-clad North, where the thermometer thinks nothing of dropping to 35 to 40 below, where the huskies moan in the cold, where the snow whirls in blizzards over the frozen lakes, and where the forests are lashed with the gales of winter. But in spite of the difficulties, hundreds of pack-trains are being made up, and they are treking out of Hudson at the rate of from ten to twenty a day, each bound for Red Lake, where the only touch of civilization is a lone Hudson Bay Post, with a factor in charge and with a few hunters and trappers who, of late, have turned their attention to hunting for gold or packing in the belongings of the prospertors.

Major Dunlop furnished a glimpse of the difficulties along the trail, and these chiefly concerned the frost, the snow, the forest and the whims of the huskies. So far as transportation is concerned, the gold rush appears to be a case of reverting to the primitive for all forms of transportation other than that of the dog-train have failed to stand the strain of a trip from Hudson to Red Lake. The reason is to be found, not so much in the wide stretches of ice which must be covered, as in the problem of penetrating the forest, where the trails, though marked, are not such as would appeal to the average man.

Because of that, the dog has already been quoted as a premium, as the prevailing price for good dogs, when Maj. Dunlop left Hudson a few days ago was $200 each. Even so, the demand has been so keen that all the dogs in the district have been bought up, so that any person wanting to go into Red Lake must get his dogs somewhere else.



AFTERMATH OF COBALT DISASTROUS FIRE.

Above is shown the ruins of the Hunter block in Cobalt, Ontario, which was destroyed by fire with an estimated loss of $125,000. One man was burned to death in the fire, which was the most disastrous that Cobalt has experienced in 15 years.

CAPTAIN BATTLES ICE FLOES ABOVE RAPIDS

First Greeting is Telegram Announcing Death of Daughter in Brockville.

A despatch from Prescott says:—Bringing his ship safely into port after a 24-hour fight against the ice-choked north channel of the St. Lawrence River, Capt. Arnold Henry of the ferry Charles Lyon, plying between Ogdensburg, N.Y., and Prescott, Ont., received as his first greeting a telegram announcing the death of his 9-year-old daughter Irene in a Brockville hospital.

Torn between his duty to his ship and devotion to his daughter, Capt. Henry, who pilots the most powerful ice breaker in the river, elected to remain with his ship and the 12 members of his crew, who were marooned when the ferry was caught in an ice jam just above the Long Sault Rapids. Two members of the crew reached shore after a perilous trip over the broken ice-field, and brought back provisions.

After hours of tedious work in zero weather, 25 men, using saws and other ice-cutting tools, cut a channel through the 150-foot stretch of 18-inch ice between the ferry and open water. Once in open water the Charles Lyon, a 1,600-ton steel craft, worth $400,000, crashed her way through four miles of ice-jam. Some of the cakes were 10 feet high.

The ferry carried 12 carloads of coal for ballast.

British Lead in Foreign Population of Yokohama

A despatch from Tokio says:—The foreign population of Yokohama, which has been steadily increasing since the earthquake of 1923, reached 995 at the end of 1925, according to the Government's Census Bureau statistics.

The British are far in the lead with 288 persons in 133 households. Americans are second with a total of 108, 64 men and 44 women, in fifty-eight households. Third place goes to the Germans, who number 71, and fourth to the French, who total 42.

Other nationalities are listed as follows: Canadians, 9; Indians, 7; Filippinos, 6; Russians, 19; Italians, 7; Dutch, 9; Portuguese, 26; Swiss, 38; Swedish, 6; Danes, 5; Armenians, 16; and others, 19. These figures do not include the Chinese, who are by far the most numerous of the non-Japanese residents in Yokohama.

R.M.C. RECRUIT MEETS MYSTERIOUS DEATH

Found in His Room at Night With Rifle Bullet in Chest.

A despatch from Kingston, Ont., says:—William Lewis Campbell, a recruit at the Royal Military College, was found in his room Wednesday night about 11.45 shot through the chest by a bullet from his own rifle. An inquest was held Thursday morning, Dr. J. Morrison acting as coroner. T. J. Rigney, Crown Attorney, was present.

Deceased was educated in the English schools. His parents brought him from England to attend the R.M.C. He was an only son. His father is living at a hotel in Quebec City and his mother is at present visiting relatives in England. Campbell had been in hospital for a couple of days with influenza, being admitted on Feb. 5. He was discharged on the 7th and had been ordered for light duty only. He reported fit for duty and was feeling well.

From the surroundings in his room, Campbell had been sitting on the edge of the bed and the rifle had been discharged in front of him. Lights were out and he had not yet turned down his bed. There was a bullet wound through his chest. The bullet had passed through the wall at the head of the bed about ten feet from the floor. There were powder stains on the boy's body, indicating that the rifle was very close to him when it was discharged. The gun had apparently been in position for cleaning.

Campbell had been summoned to B. S. M. Davis' room for the purpose of rubbing him down with liniment, Davis having played hockey earlier in the evening with the College against Queen's. Davis stated that Campbell rubbed him down, and a few minutes later he heard the report. Campbell's room was next to his. He heard a groan and rushed into Campbell's room. Campbell was lying on the floor, face down. There was a spot of blood on his shirt and the light in the room was on, having been turned on by the first man to rush in. The light was out when the shot was fired.

Answering a question, witness stated that it was against the rules for cadets to have ammunition in their rooms, and there was a severe punishment for breach of the regulation. In Campbell's room there were three other rounds besides the one that was fired.

Cadet Robert Graham said he was with Campbell early in the evening and Campbell was happy then. He had been getting along well in class.

The jury returned the following verdict after delibertaing for over half an hour: "We, the jury assembled to inquire into the death of William Lewis Campbell, find that he met death from a rifle bullet fired in an unaccountable manner from a rifle in his own custody and charge."

Queen of Holland Celebrates Silver Wedding Anniversary

A despatch from The Hague says:—Holland and her colonies made extensive preparations to celebrate the silver wedding of Queen Wilhelmena and her consort, Prince Henry, a Mecklenburg duke. There were married here February 7, 1901. The only child of the union is Princess Juliana, sixteen years old.

The Queen has added greatly to her popularity lately by her visits to the flooded regions, where she personally comforted the stricken population. It had been planned that the nation should present the couple with a suitable gift, but the Queen let it be known that she would prefer the money be applied to the relief of the flood sufferers.

Apart from a general display of bunting and treats to school children, the celebrations were mainly of a religious character. The royal couple attended a choral service in the Groote Kerk, at The Hague, and there was a gala performance at the Royal Theatre of a Dutch patriotic play.

London-Paris Planes Provide Easy Chair for Sleeping

A despatch from London says:—Lulled by the ceaseless drone of engines, so high in the air that there is little sensation of speed, and with landmarks of England and the Continent far below, many air passengers, it is found, fall asleep while in planes between London and Paris.

To provide greater comfort for these mid-air nappers, a new armchair has been designed for giant air express planes now being constructed.

Luxuriously upholstered, the new seats have high, sloping backs and are fitted with softly padded head-rests. These will pillow the head of the traveller who wishes to contemplate how seasick he would have been in a cross-Channel steamer, or will ease the agony of air-sick passengers sweeping along in the mists or sunshine high above the land and sea.

French Farms Are Valuable.

A despatch from Paris says:—The soil of France represents a total value of 144,000,000,000 francs, affording an annual revenue of 4,500,000,000 francs.

FIND BODIES OF THREE IN ELMVALE RUINS

Father, Mother and Son Perished in Fire Which Destroyed Business Block.

A despatch from Barrie says:—The remains of Lawrence McWatters of Elmvale, who, with his father and mother, was burned to death in the fire which destroyed the block in which their store was situated, were discovered in the ruins Thursday morning. Only a few fragmentary bones remained to show the place in which he perished, within about ten feet of the back door, where his father's body was found, with the mother's charred corpse but a few feet away.

From the position in which the remains were found it is thought that the parents would have been saved had they not turned back at the door when they found that their son did not follow them, as they expected. The son, it is believed, must have stumbled and fallen, or been overcome by the smoke and flames when he was but a few yards from the door. The triple funeral took place Friday afternoon. Dr. Corcoran, the Coroner, after investigating the circumstances, decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Joseph McWatters had been a resident of Elmvale for five years, moving there from Waverley, where he had a store for several years. He served two years on the Elmvale Board of Police Trustees, was a county constable, an Anglican, and an Orangeman.

Winter Wheat Acreage Shows Large Reduction

A despatch from London says:—The Ministry of Agriculture has received information from the International Agriculture Institute in Rome that 6,953,000 acres are under winter wheat in Roumania, a decrease of nearly 300,000 acres compared with the previous season. Production of wheat in New Zealand is estimated at 2,460,000 hundredweight, a reduction of 460,000 hundredweight compared with the previous season.

FIRING AT OFFICER MINER KILLS CHUM

Lethbridge Man is Shot in Attack on Provincial Constable.

A despatch from Lethbridge, Alta., says:—Karl Perdue, aged 23, was arrested late on Thursday and charged with murder in connection with the killing here on Thursday morning of Walter Vere, 18-year-old miner. Perdue is stated to have made a confession which will be admitted as evidence at the inquest to be held Friday. The police refuse to reveal the contents of the alleged confession.

Vere was shot and killed at 3 a.m. Thursday in what was believed to be an attempt on the life of Constable Carr of the Alberta Provincial Police. Two men called the constable to the door of his home. The constable became suspicious and grappled with the man nearest the door, whereupon his companion fired two shots from near the gate.

Both shots hit Vere and he died almost instantly. The man who fired the fatal shots made his escape and the arrest of Perdue followed an all-day search.

Farmers Entertain Prince and Two of His Brothers

A despatch from Melton Mowbray, Eng., says:—With one arm in a sling strapped closely to his body and waited upon by a bevy of rosy-cheeked farmers' daughters, the Prince of Wales had a feast here with a crowd of local farmers.

His hosts were men over whose farms in Leicestershire has Wales often galloped, and sometimes rolled when he came a cropper, while following the hounds. The arm in the sling is a consequence of one of these tumbles.

The Duke of York and Prince Henry, brother of the Prince of Wales, also were guests of the farmers, many of them personal friends. And it was a free and easy dinner and a homely fare was placed on the table.

Emigrants to British Colonies Now Receive Training

A despatch to London says:—An emigrants' university recently established at Mundford, Norfolk, to prepare men and women of education, character, physique and financial means for life in British overseas dominions presents a student body which is in strong contrast to most of the immigrants entering the United States, even under the present restricted American policy.

Instead of poverty-stricken and ill-trained immigrants, the British colonies demand the best blood and brawn their mother country has to offer. This demand has resulted in the establishment of the training centre in Norfolk, a certificate from which insures immediate acceptance of an immigrant by the colonial governments. Farms are provided and financial assistance given those who have passed tests for fitness.

$2,500,000 Rubber Lands Sold

A despatch from London says:—Reuter's understands that Sumatra rubber plantations owned by the Danish East Indies Plantation Co., have been sold to J. A. Wattie & Co., of London, for 10,000,000,000 kroner (about $2,500,000.) The deal includes 25,000 unplanted and 5,000 planted acres.

THE WEEK'S MARKETS

TORONTO.

Man. wheat—No. 1 North., $1.69½; No. 2 North., $1.65½; No. 3 North., $1.62½.

Man. oats—No. 2 CW, nominal; No. 3, not quoted; No. 1 feed 47c; No. 2 feed, 45c; Western grain quotations, on track, bay ports.

Am. corn, track, Toronto—No. 2, yellow, 91c; No. 3 yellow, 89c.

Millfeed—Del. Montreal freights, bags included: Bran, per ton, $30.25 to $31.25; shorts, per ton, $32.25 to $33.25: middlings, $39.25 to $40.25; good feed flour, per bag, $2.30.

Ont. oats—42 to 44c, f.o.b., shipping points.

Ont. good milling wheat—$1.35 to $1.37, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freights.

Barley—Malting, 63 to 65c.

Buckwheat—No. 3, 63c.

Rye—No. 2, 85c.

Man. flour—First pat., $9.10, Toronto; do, second pat., $8.60.

Ont. flour—Toronto, 90 per cent. pat., per barrel, in carlots, Toronto, $6.05; seaboard, in bulk, $6.15.

Straw—Carlots, per ton, $9 to $9.50.

Screenings—Standard, recleaned, f.o.b. bay ports, per ton, $20.

Cheese—New, large, 22c; twins, 22½c; triplets, 23c; Stiltons, 24c. Old, large, 28 to 30c; twins, 29 to 31c; triplets, 30 to 32c.

Butter—Fine.t creamery prints, 48c; No. 1 creamery, 46 to 47c; No. 2, 45 to 46c. Dairy prints, 41 to 42c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, in cartons, 42 to 43c; fresh extras, loose, 41 to 42c; fresh firsts, 37 to 38c; storage extras, 33c; storage firsts, 30c; storage seconds, 24 to 25c.

Dressed poultry—Chickens, spring, lb., 32c; hens, over 4 to 5 lbs., 24 to 26c; do, 3 to 4 lbs., 22c; roosters, 18c; ducklings, 5 lbs. and up, 30 to 32c; turkeys, 35c.

Beans—Can. hand-picked, lb., 6c; primes, 5 to 5½c.

Maple produce—Syrup, per imp. gal., $2.40; per 5-gal. tin, $2.30 per gal.; maple sugar, lb., 25 to 26c.

Honey—50-lb. tins, 11½ to 12c per lb.; 10-lb. tins, 11½ to 12c; 5-lb. tins, 12 to 12½c; 2½-lb. tins, 14 to 14½c.

Smoked meats—Hams, med., 28 to 30c; cooked hams, 42 to 45c; smoked rolls, 22c; cottage, 25 to 27c; breakfast bacon, 32 to 36c; special brand breakfast bacon, 33 to 39c; backs, boneless, 37 to 45c.

Cured meats—Long clear bacon, 50 to 70 lbs., $22; 70 to 90 lbs., $20.50; 20 lbs. and up $19.50; lightweight rolls, in barrels, $43.50; heavyweight rolls, $39.50 per barrel.

Lard—Pure tierces, 18½ to 19c; tubs, 19 to 19½c; pails, 20 to 20½c; prints, 21 to 21½c; shortening tierces, 14 to 14½c; tubs, 14¾ to 15c; pails, 15¼ to 15½c; blocks, 16½ to 17c.

Heavy steers, choice, $7.50 to $8.25; do, good, $7.25 to $7.50; butcher steers, choice, $7 to $7.50; do, good, $6 to $6.75; butcher heifers, choice, $6.50 to $7.25; do, good, $6.00 to $6.50; do, med., $5.50 to $6; do, com., $5 to $5.50; butcher cows, choice, $5.50; do, fair to good, $4 to $4.50; butcher bulls, good, $4.50 to $5.50; bolognas, $3.25 to $3.75; canners and cutters, $2.25 to $3; springers, choice, $85 to $100; good milch cows, $70 to $80; medium cows, $45 to $60; feeders, good, $5.75 to $6.50; do, fair, $5 to $5.50; stockers, good, $4.75 to $5.50; do, fair, $4.50 to $4.75; calves, choice, $13.50 to $14; do, good, $12 to $12.25; do, grassers, $5 to $5.25; good light sheep, $7 to $8; heavies and bucks, $5.50 to $6.50; good lambs, $13 to $13.50; do, med., $12 to $12.50; do, bucks, $9 to $10.50; do, culls, $10 to $11; hogs, thick smooths, fed and watered, $13.85; do, f.o.b., $13.50; do, country points, $13.25; do, off cars, $14.50; select premium, $2.77.

MONTREAL

Oats, Can. West., No. 2, 61c; CW, No. 3, 57c; extra No. 1 feed, 54c. Flour, Man. spring wheat pats., firsts, $9.10; seconds, $8.60; strong bakers, $8.20 to $8.40. Bran,, $30.25 to $31.25. Shorts, $32.25 to $33.25. Middlings, $39.25 to $40.25. Hay, No. 2, per ton, car lots, $13 to $13.50.

Cheese—Finest wests, 21 to 21½c; Butter, No. 1, pasteurized, 44 to 44½c; No. 1 creamery, 43 to 43½c. Eggs, storage extras, 30c; storage firsts, 25c; storage seconds, 19 to 20c; fresh extras, 44c; fresh firsts, 34c. Potatoes, Quebec, per bag, car lots, $3 to $3.10.

Canner cows, $2.25 to $2.50; dairy type cows, fair quality, $3.50 to $4.25; veal calves, $11; good quality hogs, mixed lots, $14.75; sows, $12.50 to $12.75.

REVIVE ANCIENT RITE IN ENGLISH VILLAGE

Cradle Rocked Before Altar to Symbolize Presentation in the Temple.

A despatch from London says:—The ancient ceremony of rocking the cradle before the altar, thus perpetuating a rite that is believed to have originated in the village of Blidworth, Nottinghamshire, seven centuries ago, was performed by Right Rev. Dr. John Edward Hine, bishop of Grantham, recently in the Church of England at Blidworth before an immensely interested and reverent congregation.

The ceremony of rocking the cradle symbolizes the presentation of the holy infant in the temple. The cradle at the ceremony was draped in white and there were snowdrops and daffodils spread around it.

The bishop, after reading the lesson describing the calling of Samuel, dedicated the infant chosen by the church authorities for the occasion according to a form very much like that of the baptismal service. Kissing the babe the bishop then handed it to the vicar who placed it in the cradle, meanwhile rocking the cradle for several seconds.

A century ago it was the custom at this ceremony to carry the babe thus honored in a cradle through the village, but consideration for the health of the child led to the abandonment of this part of the religious observance.

Historic Building.

The National Parks Branch, Department of the Interior, has placed a tablet on the front wall of the office of the Daily Whig at Kingston, Ontario. This building stands on the site of the old St. George's Anglican Church, within which, on July 8, 1792, Governor Simcoe held his first meeting of the Executive Council of the province of Upper Canada. The inscription on the tablet indicates the historic importance of the site.

An Expensive Metal.

Iridium is next to radium as the most expensive metal in general use.

Natural Resources Bulletin.

What does the development of her natural resources mean to Canada?

To a young country, with no accumulations of created wealth dating back for centuries, natural resources mean everything—growth of population, advancement of industry, employment for labor and capital, and prosperity.

Canada is heavily endowed with natural resources, but lacks capital for development. There is reason to feel, however, that this problem is being overcome as new industries are being established to utilize our native raw materials. In a government organization such as the Dept. of the Interior, of which Hon. Charles Stewart is minister, this interest is very evident. Dealing with the wide variety of resources, as this department does, such as forests, water powers, lands, mines and minerals, fisheries in certain areas, and even of water supplies, the advancement may be the more readily noted.

Daily enquiries are received as to possibilities in Canada, from the humble farm laborer to the captain of industry, each in his sphere essential to Canada, and, while immediate results are not always traceable, it is the long pull that counts. Eventually we will see our natural resources being developed to supply raw materials, and we will see also the raw materials being utilized, in Canadian manufacturing.

An additional interesting feature is evidenced by the enquiries. The heretofore out-of-the-way places of Canada are becoming known, and it will be but a comparatively short time until development of many now distant natural resources will be undertaken. As an illustration, it is only a few years since gold was discovered in Northern Ontario, and yet this discovery has led to the establishment of a large number of healthy municipalities, to the development of water powers for the operation of mines and mills, to the advent of railways to provide transportation for freight and passengers, and, with the coming of the railways, the further development of forest resources.

The numerous natural resources in which Canada has almost a world control has attracted the attention of outside capital and is leading to development, while in other instances accessibility of supplies has been the deciding factor. New methods of reduction and refining are making available for commercial use many of our minerals heretofore considered economically valueless, and their exploitation at an early date may be expected.

Canada's natural resources are abundant in almost all lines, and on their wise development and use the prosperity and the future of our country depend.

London Goes Back to 1840 to Obtain Styles for Men

A despatch from London says:—London's well-dressed men have reached back into the 1840 period for some of their styles of 1926.

The Prince of Wales and other young Londoners who are responsible for the leading fashions have revived the black evening waistcoat, double-breasted, with heavy lapels, and cut straight at the waist line. This is made very much after the styles of eighty years ago, modified here and there to meet certain requirements. A new evening tailed coat with small, short lapels and close fit at the waist line, also bears resemblance to the garments of other days.

In the latest styles, however, whether for day or evening wear, men are seeking a slimness of silhouette with almost the same fervor the women have shown in recent years.

A Helping Hand.

Irate Parent—"I'll teach you to make love to my daughter, sir."

Young Man—"I wish you would, old boy. I'm not making much headway."

Canada from Coast to Coast

Halifax, N.S.—The total market value of fishing operations off the Nova Scotia coast during 1925, together with by-products, will exceed $10,000,000, according to official statistics. The total value for 1924 was $8,779,250.

Fredericton, N.B.—The average income of the Canadian farmer during 1925 was $1,500, according to Dr. J. H. Grisdale, Federal Deputy Minister of Agriculture, speaking at the New Brunswick Farmers' and Dairymen's Association, which he stated compared favorably with the average income of the Canadian in other trades and professions. This represented the distribution of the 1,500 million dollars valuation of the 1925 farm products among the million farmers of the Dominion.

Quebec, Que.—It is announced that the International Paper Co. will shortly commence the development of a second large water power on the Gatineau River with the erection of a hydro-electric plant at Farmers, Que. In conjunction with the Chelsea development further down the river, work on which was started two months ago, there will be developed a total current of not less than 150,000 horsepower, the announcement said.

Toronto, Ont.—The news school of forestry was officially opened recently by the Canadian Society of Forestry Engineers, during the time of their annual convention. The school will be devoted to the thorough training of embryo forestry engineers in the most recent practices, insofar as the lumbering industry is concerned, as well as the latest methods of forest conservation and silviculture, particularly as it applies to Canadian conditions.

Winnipeg, Man.—Through the close co-operation of the Royal Canadian Air Force and the Topographical Survey, Dept. of the Interior, 47,700 square miles of Canadian territory have been successfully photographed during the past season. The operations were carried on in various parts of the country from the air bases already established. The bulk of the work performed was, however, located in Manitoba and Western Ontario, where 37,700 square miles of forested and mineralized areas were photographed.

Regina, Sask.—Plans are now under way for the establishment of a pottery plant at Estevan, Saskatchewan, by the International Clay Products Co. Already a small kiln has been in operation for experimental purposes. Using only Saskatchewan clays the company has turned out fine face brick, building terra cotta, floor and wall tiles, and sanitary whiteware.

Calgary, Alta.—According to reports here, John Dewart, a farmer of the Jordan district, has threshed 1,860 bushels of wheat from 30 acres, an average of 62 bushels to the acre.

Victoria, B.C.—About $600,000 in California money will come to British Columbia to establish a fish products plant on the west coast of Vancouver Island, it was learned in local manufacturing circles. The California Fish Packing Co., of San Francisco, it is stated, has plans well advanced for the establishment of a large fish reduction industry in this province.



CREW SAVED AND DOOMED VESSEL BURNED

This photo was made from the liner Westphalia as she stood by the freighter Alkaid, with the passengers lined along the rail watching the removal of the crew of 27 from the foundering ship. The rescue was similar to that effected from the Antinoe recently. The Alkaid was later set on fire to prevent her from becoming a menace to navigation. The photo gives a good idea of how close the Westphalia stood to the Alkaid.

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Ormond

The unusually large number present at the weekly meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union on Wednesday evening, Feb. 10th, was in itself a testimony to the esteem for two who are leaving us for their home in the west. When it was known that Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Duncan would leave in a few days for their home at Didsbury, Alta.. it was made an occasion for a social evening of the Young People, which was also attended by many who do not usually identify themselves with the organization Mrs. Duncan (nee Rubena McGregor) has spent her girlhood in this district. She is well known not only in this community, but in other parts of the county having spent a number of years teaching school.

The pastor, Rev. J. T. Kirkwood, spoke of Mrs. Duncan's willingness to help in every work, for the advancement of the church and community. Mr. Garfield McVey, on behalf of the Sunday School read an address expressing our appreciation of Mrs. Duncan's helpfulness in connection with the Sunday School and also our good wishes for the future of Mr. Duncan and herself. Others spoke of the place Mr. and Mrs. Duncan have made for themselves in our hearts, and assuring them of a hearty welcome, when they at any time in the future, should come back to boyhood and girlhoods home.

At the close of a varied programme, refreshments were served.

A more pleasing, clean and entertaining photo play than "Jackie Coogan in the Ragman" has not been staged. It will be shown in Lannin's Hall on Saturday and Monday nights.

The United Church

Rev. C. H. Brown, of Inkerman, in speaking in this church on Sunday morning from II Cor 7:1 showed the need of holier and purer living. He said that the standards of conduct ought ever to be the highest possible. He spoke of God striving to reveal Himself to men and their unwillingness to believe on Him. A great many do not take time to count their blessings but can find time to complain. We can help one another by a system of self-examination. Ask, "What lack I yet? We should rejoice in this wonderful day of opportunity.

The pastor presided at the evening service and called upon Mr. N. W. Beach first to bring his impressions of the open-sessions of the recent Prohib tion Convention held in Massey Hall, Toronto. Mr. Beach said it was a very enthusiastic gathering and was representative of the whole province. Everything was said in good faith to promote the interests of Temperance in Ontario. Very strong criticism was given the Ontario Government for its attitude on the O. T. A., also the Dominion Gov't for allowing rum-running boats to operate. It was felt we are at a critical stage in the Temperance cause. Mr. Eagleson was then called on to continue the report. He gave a synopsis of the address of Rev. W. Peck, Educational Sec'y of the Prohibition Federation of Canada, who showed by statistics that Gov't Control has not brought us what it was expected to bring in B. C., Ontario spends four times as much on education as Quebec, while the latter spends 20 times as much on liquor as on education. He also referred to the address of Dr. E. C. Dinwiddie, Supt. of the National Temperance Bureau of Washington, who said that Prohibition sentiment in U. S. is growing stronger, and the country is much more prosperous under Prohibition. We were urged to vote as we pray and to put prohibition principles before party politics. Temperance education among the young especially was strongly stressed. Mr. Waddell in closing said that it rests with us as to what the future may be.

Toy's Hill

Miss Jeneva Jeffrey, of South Mountain spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Johnson.

Rev. Mrs. Mahlon Robinson of Iroquois spent a few days at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McKee, of Inkerman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Haggerty, on Wednesday.

Miss Bessie Strader of Rowena, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Earle Johnson.

Mr. Norman Hunter is spending some time with his uncle, Mr. J. Moore, of Haddo.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bell and family were guests of Mrs. Louisa McIntosh, on Saturday.

Miss Dora Hanson, of Strader's Hill, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Miller.

The Regular Monthly meeting of the young people's club was held at the home of Mrs. Peterson, on Friday evening.

Master Merrill Coleman, spent the week-end with Mrs. A. J. Casselman, at Winchester Springs.

Belmeade News

Mrs. Alex Fisher, of Kenmore, has returned home after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Kinnard.

Mrs. A. Hoy and Ruby spent Saturday in Metcalfe.

Miss Hazel McConnell spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. C Acres.

Miss Jean Wyatt has returned to Winchester after spending a few days at her home here

Mr. Kinnard spent last week in Morewood.

The Misses Gladys and Irene McConnell were the guests of the Misses Ada and Isobel Docksteader on Thursday night.

Miss Hilda Wyatt has returned home after spending the past two weeks in Winchester.

A number from here attended Mr. W. J. Porteous funeral on Sunday.

Louis Hamm, of Kitchener, aged twenty six, took his own life with a shotgun a few days ago, and the fact was revealed that he is the third generation to commit the tragic act, both his father and his grandfather having been suicides.

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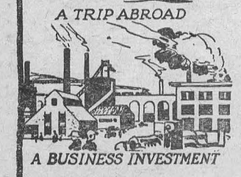

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Marmalade — Golden Marmalade spread evenly over your toast at breakfast time gives a nutritious and delightful finishing touch to your meal. This week we have a Special, Aylmer, absolutely pure Orange Marmalade, in 3 lb. glass jars at 65c

Oranges, etc. — Oranges, Lemons and Bananas offer a touch of summer freshness in the way of healthful desserts.

Cocoa — Cocoa furnishes a pleasant change from other beverages. It is easily prepared and will find favour with both guests and the family. The full flavor and aroma of this cocoa will be found invigorating and stimulating in the sense that pure food is stimulating, An ideal beverage for in between meal occosions, 2 lbs. for 25c

Coffee — Many people believe that to get good coffee they must pay a high price. That is a mistake, our old Government and Mocah brand is good coffee. It is fresher than you can obtain ordinarly. We grind it for you just as you buy, try it just once, then see if you can match it at prices higher than this 70c lb.

Fruits — Begin your breakfast with fruit. Medical Authorities, as well as fashion, say that an Orange or Grapefruit before your cereal is the best thing you can eat for breakfast.

Apples — A few barrels of Talman Sweets. apples are not large but are a good quality, price $5.50 per barrel.

Cheese — There are a great variety of dishes to which cheese adds flavor as well as colories. Use more cheese and less meat and you will have cheaper and more wholesome menus.

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